

<b>Study programme:</b> Bachelor of Science in Geography, Bachelor of Science in Geospatial Analysis			
<b>Course title:</b> English language - academic skills (B1)			
<b>Professor:</b> PhD Stanka Radojičić			
<b>Status of the course:</b> mandatory			
<b>ECTS credits:</b> 3			
<b>Prerequisite:</b> -			
<b>Course objectives:</b> Mastery of language skills, processing and understanding typologically diverse texts, authentic situations, and topics equivalent to level B1.			
<b>Course deliverables</b> After listening to and learning the content of the course, the student is able to identify and categorize authentic written and spoken materials from everyday life and the academic environment, as well as to understand the precise meanings of specific expressions in academic language; to express themselves independently in everyday situations within the academic setting; to discuss current topics in science and practice; to apply strategies for acquiring academic vocabulary; to read more complex texts from various scientific fields independently; to fill out forms, write a curriculum vitae, formal and informal letters and emails, and short reports independently; to identify and apply the grammatical categories of academic language; and to research and present academic topics independently.			
<b>Course content</b> I – Student Life - basic vocabulary of the academic environment, communication in an academic context through reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills II – CV Writing - writing a curriculum vitae according to specified formats, practising constructions III – Grammar: Present Tenses IV – Email Basics - basic academic written communication V – Presentations - fundamentals of thematic presentations in English VI – Grammar: Past Tenses VII – Education - communication skills VIII – Technology - vocabulary expansion, listening, note-taking IX – Grammar: Conditionals X – Cities of the World - description, preparation for discussion XI – Focus on Science - encouraging independent research XII – Inventions, Discoveries, Processes - recognizing verbs and complex verbal structures XIII – Cultural Issues - active listening, verification, confirmation, and clarification of understanding XIV – Grammar: practicing grammatical categories XV – Presenting scientific and popular science content			
<b>Resources</b> 1. Harrison R., Philpot S., Curnick L., <i>New Headway Academic Skills 2</i> , OUP 2. Coe N., Harrison M., Paterson K., <i>Oxford Practice Grammar: Basic</i> , OUP 3. Oxford English-Serbian Student's Dictionary, OUP 4. Clark, A. N., <i>Dictionary of Geography</i> , London: Penguin Books. 5. Swan, M., Walter, C., <i>How English Works</i> , OUP 6. Additional literature: grammars, dictionaries, authentic materials, and multimedia 7. Radojičić, S. (2023). English Language - Academic Skills (B1) Script. Department of Geography, Tourism, and Hospitality, Novi Sad.			
<b>Teaching hours: 3</b>		<b>Lectures: 3</b>	<b>Practical instruction: 0</b>
<b>Teaching methods</b> Interactive approach: discussions, role-playing, individual work, group work, audio-visual aids, oral presentation method, conversation method, illustrative-demonstrative method, text-based work.			
<b>Assessment (maximum score 100)</b>			
<b>Pre-exam obligations</b>		points	<b>Final exam</b>
Lecture participation		5	Written exam
Practical instruction		0	Oral exam
Midterm exam		40	.....
Project presentation		10	