Study Programme: PHYTOMEDICINE

Course Unit Title: DETERMINATION OF THE ECONOMICALLY IMPORTANT WEED SPECIES POLLEN

Course Unit Code: 19.FT2015

Name of Lecturer(s): Assoc. Prof. Bojan Konstantinović, PhD; Assoc. Prof. Milena Popov, PhD

Type and Level of Studies: UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC STUDIES PHYTOMEDICINE

Course Status (compulsory/elective): elective

Semester (winter/summer): summer

Language of instruction: english

Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): face-to-face

Number of ECTS Allocated: 6

Prerequisites: The conditions are in accordance with the ECTS system.

Course Aims: The education and the training of the students for the individual recognition and determination of the most important weed species pollen in the urban and rural habitats.

Learning Outcomes: The students which possess the theoretical and practical knowledge in recognition and determination of the most important weed species pollen in the urban and rural habitats.

Syllabus:

Theory

The definition of the pollen. The structure and the appearance of the pollen grains. The chemical structure of the pollen grains. The development. The function of the pollen grains. The methods for collecting the weeds pollen. The determination of the pollen. Aeropalynology. The significance and the application. The statistical analysis and the results presentation. The pollen calendar. The types of the weeds pollen grains.

Practice

The determination keys for the weeds pollen grains. The pollen type of the genera and families: Ambrosia, Artemisia, Chenopodiaceae, Amaranthaceae, Plantago, Cannabaceae, Urticaceae.

Required Reading:

Konstantinović, B. (2014): Osnovi herbologije i korovi urbanih sredina, Univerzitet u Novom Sadu, Poljoprivredni fakultet, Novi Sad.

Šimić, S. (2007): Palinologija. Novi Sad.

Weekly Contact Hours: 1+2 Lectures: 15 Practical work: 30

Teaching Methods:

Lectures and Practical classes.

Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):

Pre-exam obligations	Points 40	Final exam	Points 60
Colloquium	20	oral exam	60
Tests	20		