Course Unit Descriptor

**Study Programme: Agronomy** 

Course Unit Title: Forests stands and forest ecology

Course Unit Code: 19.AGR094

Name of Lecturer(s): Galić A. Zoran

Type and Level of Studies: PhD studies

Course Status (compulsory/elective): elective

Semester (winter/summer): summer

Language of instruction: English

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

**Number of ECTS Allocated: 7** 

## **Prerequisites:**

**Course Aims:** Necessity of knowing the components of abiotic and biotic factors in forest ecosystems in the changed condition. In recent decades there are significant changes in environmental factors due to climate change, so it is necessary to acquire knowledge for the analysis of emerging environmental conditions compared to the previous state. In addition to the environmental conditions studied in the past need to be far more attention to the sensitivity of forest ecosystems to drought and extreme events.

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

Theoretical and practical knowledge of forest sites and forest ecology, with the purpose-oriented use in the changed conditions.

## **Syllabus:**

1. Forest stands. 2 Abiotic factors (climate, water, soil). 3 Biotic factors of the environment: flora, fauna. 4 Bioecological characteristics of shrub and tree species. 5 Interaction of abiotic and biotic factors in the changed environment. 7 The impact of human on the environment - degradation of basic elements of the environment.

#### **Required Reading:**

- 1. Antić M., Jović n., Avdalović V. (1982). Pedologija
- 2. Ćirić M. (1984). Pedologija
- 3. Šafar J. (1963): Uzgajanje šuma

Weekly Contact Hours:	Lectures:	Practical work:

**Teaching Methods:** Lectures combined with interactive classes, seminars, consultation and mentoring with students.

# **Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):**

Pre-exam obligations	Points	Final exam	points
Active class		written exam	
participation		William Chain	
Practical work	10	oral exam	50
Preliminary exam(s)	20		
Seminar(s)	20		