Course Unit Descriptor

Study Programme: Chemistry, Biochemistry

Course Unit Title: Physical Chemistry I

Course Unit Code: Z-201

Name of Lecturer(s): Associate professor Bransilav Jović; Assistant professor Vesna Despotović

Type and Level of Studies: Bachelor Academic Studies

Course Status (compulsory/elective): Compulsory

Semester (winter/summer): Winter

Language of instruction: English

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

Number of ECTS Allocated: 8

Prerequisites: None

Learning objectives

- To provide students with the necessary theoretical and practical knowledge in selected topics of physical chemistry as a basis for further understanding and application in other fields of chemistry.
- Development skills of students to apply the concepts learned in practical work with chemical systems.
- Development of practical skills for students to perform experiments by adopting an appropriate methodology of work.

Learning outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

Apply obtained knowledge in solving problems in different fields of physical chemistry (intermolecular interactions, chemical thermodynamics, etc.). Measure and monitoring the important physical-chemical properties of the substances with relevant instruments, and the obtained results will associate with the theory to solve practical problems on the field of physical chemistry. Apply basic experimental techniques and correctly handle basic equipment and instruments during the performance of physico-chemical experiments.

Syllabus

Theoretical instruction

Molecular systems. Aggregate states (solid and liquid state, ideal and real gases). Principles of chemical thermodynamics (I, II and III law and application). Equilibrium (chemical equilibrium and phase equilibrium).

Practical instruction

Determination of molecular parameters by instrumental spectroscopic methods. Determination of <u>physico</u>-chemical properties of liquids. Determination of thermodynamic parameters of some <u>physico</u>-chemical systems.

Required Reading:

1. P. W. Atkins: Physical Chemistry, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1998

Weekly Contact Hours: 105 Lectures: 45 Practical work: 45+15

Teaching Methods:

Lectures and laboratory work

Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points): 100

Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points
Activity	10	Test	20
Lab exercises	10	Written exam	20
		Oral exam	40