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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 12-IDR | **Course name:** An Introduction to Debate and Reasoning

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 0 / 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: I., II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

abs	n	p	v
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Dana Benčiková, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-004	**Course name:** Audiovisual Translation

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester:

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned if the student collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
Seminar paper

Learning objectives:
The student navigates the basic information about the research and practice in the field of audiovisual translation (AVT) in Slovakia and abroad. They understand the theoretical foundation of AVT as well as the specificities of AVT as a discipline. The student can translate AV texts using a dialogue list, screenplay, or listening. They can use AVT terminology correctly. The student can apply their theoretical knowledge to translate AV texts from a foreign language into Slovak. They can also critically evaluate their own as well as other person's translation. The student navigates the AV market and can use the specialised subtitling software in practice.

Brief outline of the course:
Audiovisual translation and its position within translation studies. Multimedia translation. Specificities of translation for the purpose of dubbing and subtitling. Dialogue list, screenplay. Subtitling software. Qualitative aspects of AV translation in Slovakia vs. Europe including the legislation. The current state and prospects of AV translation (in research and practice). The position and practical experience of AV translators in Slovakia. Interpreting and translation for the audience with impaired hearing.

Recommended literature:
1. PAULÍNYOVÁ, L. (2017) Z papiera na obraz. Proces tvorby audiovizuálneho prekladu. Bratislava: UK, 2017.
2. PEREZ, E. – BREZOVSKÁ, M. – JÁNOŠÍKOVÁ, Z. (2021) Slovenský dabing a titulkovanie v premenách času. Nitra: UKF, 2021.
3. PEREZ, E. – HODÁKOVÁ, S. (2021) Kontúry filmového prekladu a tlmočenia: základné teoretické koncepty a východiská. Nitra: UKF, 2021.
4. DÍAZ CINTAS, J. (2001) La traducción audiovisual. El subtitulado. Salamanca: Almar, 2001.

5. DIAZ-CINTAS, J. (2009) New Trends in Audiovisual Translation. Bristol/Buffalo/Toronto: Multilingual Matters, 2009.
6. GROMOVÁ, E. – HODÁKOVÁ, S. – PEREZ, E. – ZÁHORÁK, A. (2016) Audiovizuálny preklad a nepočujúci divák. Problematika titulkovania pre nepočujúcich. Nitra: Filozofická fakulta UKF, 2016.
7. GROMOVÁ, E. – Janecová, E. (2014) Audiovizuálny preklad: výzvy a perspektívy, Nitra: Univerzita Konštantína Filozofa, 2014.
8. DURO, M. (2001) La traducción para el doblaje y la subtitulación. Madrid: Cátedra, 2001.
9. CHAUME, F. (2004) Cine y traducción. Madrid: Cátedra, 2004.
10. POŠTA, M. (2014) Titulkujeme profesionálně. Praha: Apostrof, 2014.
11. MAKARIAN, G. (2005). Dabing. teória, realizácia, zvukové majstrovstvo. Bratislava : Ústav hudobnej vedy Slovenskej akadémie vied, 2005.

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
150 h. Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 26 h. (1/1/0). Self-study (analysing specialised literature): 24 h. AV translation analysis: 20 h. Seminar paper preparation and presentation: 20 h. Subtitling of a short film: 30 h. Studying for the final test: 30 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 93

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
62.37	25.81	9.68	0.0	0.0	2.15	0.0	0.0

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-111 | **Course name:** Basis of Sociolinguistics GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) continuous assessment:
presentation of a chosen topic- 0 – 25 points
seminar paper – 0 – 30 points
b) final assessment:
written exam – 0 – 45 points
Credits are assigned to the students who in continuous and final assessment acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.

Learning objectives:
Students will have the knowledge about the functioning of the mutual relationship of a language and society and be able to describe the language in relation to its users. They will know the basic concepts and research methods of current sociolinguistics, understand the nature of the variability of language and its social conditionality and can analyse the current language situation in German-speaking countries.

Brief outline of the course:
1.The development of sociolinguistics - initial concept (Defizithypothese und Differenzhypothese)
2. Language as an interactive phenomenon, pragmalinguistic parameters
3.Variation sociolinguistics - basic questions (diatopic, diastratic, functional and diachronic variability of language)
4. Linguistic identity and standardization of the language, bilingualism, diglossia
5. Language policy, language planning, language culture
6. German and its users - sociology of German, German as pluricentric language
7. Austrian and Swiss varieties of German

Recommended literature:
1. DITTMAR, R. Grundlagen der Soziolinguistik. Ein Arbeitsbuch mit Aufgaben. Reihe Konzepte der Sprach- und Literaturwissenschaft, Bd. 57. Tübingen : Max Niemeyer Verlag, 1997.

2. HARTIG, M. Soziolinguistik des Deutschen. 2. überarbeitete Auflage. Reihe Germanistische Lehrbuchsammlung, Bd. 16. Berlin : Weidler Buchverlag, 1998.
3. LÖFFLER, H. Germanistische Soziolinguistik. 2. überarbeitete Auflage, 1994. Reihe Grundlagen der Germanistik, Bd. 28. Berlin : Erich Schmidt Verlag, 1994.
4. SCHLIEBEN-LANGE, B. Soziolinguistik. Eine Einführung. 3. überarbeitete und erweiterte Auflage. Stuttgart : UTB 176, 1991.
5. VEITH, W. Soziolinguistik. Ein Arbeitsbuch. Tübingen : Gunter Narr Verlag, 2002.
6. ŠTEFAŇÁKOVÁ, J. Austriacizmy a helvetizmy v rakúskej a švajčiarskej dennej tlači z aspektu plucentrického hodnotenia nemčiny. Banská Bystrica : Univerzita Mateja Bela, 2003. ISBN 80-
8055-853-1
7. ŠTEFAŇÁKOVÁ, J. Jazyková politika v rakúskych printových médiách v kontexte pluricentrizmu a európskej jazykovej politiky. Banská Bystrica : Univerzita Mateja Bela, Fakulta humanitných vied, 2012. ISBN 978-80-557-0431-9

Language of instruction:
slovak language, german language

Notes:student time load:
student's workload: 120 hours
combined studies (L, S, C): 26 hours
preparation for a presentation: 29 hours
preparation of a seminar paper: 30 hours
preparation for a written test: 35 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 6

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
83.33	16.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjf-006	**Course name:** Consecutive Interpreting in Practice (French)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Practical
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: During the semester, the students will prepare for consecutive interpreting with note-taking and without note-taking (interpreting 5 texts which will be 5-10 minutes long and interpreting 5 dialogue texts with a range of 1-1.5 standard pages mainly into Slovak) and they will also write glossaries and short essays supported by parallel texts concerning current issues. Moreover, the students will analyse the recordings with their interpreting performances.
They will prepare materials for simulated discussion forum on a given topic (they will collect information sources – studies, surveys, terminology, they will suggest a scenario, create teams and assign roles). They will also take two simulated accreditation tests without preparation (consecutive interpreting with note-taking. The texts will be moderately difficult with low terminological density and they will be focused on the current issues in Slovakia and the world. After the tests, the students will evaluate their interpreting performance.) After the end of the semester, the students will take final oral exam.
Maximum number of points covering continual and final assessment is 100. The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100. The student has the right to one resit of the final oral exam.
a) continuous assessment:
Brief outline of the course: Evaluation of practical skills (consecutive interpreting with notetaking,
simulated accreditation tests): 0-50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0-10 points, preparation and realization of the simulated discussion forum: 0-20 points.
b) final assessment:
Final oral examination: 0-20 points
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment:
Brief outline of the course: Evaluation of practical skills (consecutive interpreting with notetaking, simulated accreditation tests): 0-50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0-10 points, preparation and realization of the simulated discussion forum: 0-20 points.
b) final assessment:
Final assessment: Final oral examination: 0-20 points

Learning objectives:
Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students:
1. Will have command of the methods of memory training, creative thinking, preparation for interpreting and of the rules of verbal and non-verbal communication when facing a bigger audience,
2. Will be able to effectively use adequate interpreting strategies in consecutive interpreting,
3. Will be able to evaluate the adequacy of the used terminology in target language,
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4. Will be able to deverbalise the heard speech, keep it in short-term memory and record it in the form of a horizontally and vertically structured note-taking with the use of abbreviations, marks and symbols and then verbalise it in the target language (Slovak or French)
5. Will be acquainted with the current issues concerning politics and society in Slovakia as well as in the world and will be knowledgeable in how they are connected with the past issues.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
Consecutive interpreting: basic types and specifics. Memory exercises. Interpreting and intercultural transfer of information. Verbal and non-verbal communication in consecutive interpreting. Managing stressful situations. Interpreting strategies. Terminology in interpreting. Creating glossaries. Interpreting note-taking. Interpreting protocol. Interpreting ethics. Conference diplomacy. Practical interpreting of moderately difficult texts. Simulated accreditation tests. Analysis and evaluation of interpreting performances.

Recommended literature:
1. CHOVANCOVÁ, K. Niektoré prostriedky ekonomizácie prejavu pri simultánnom tlmočení. In: Mladá veda 2009: humanitné vedy – lingvistika: zborník vedeckých štúdií. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.62-68.
2. JALÓN, J.-B. 2004. De Paris à Nuremberg : naissance de l'interprétation de conférence. Ottawa: Les Presses de l'Université d'Ottawa, 2004.
3. ŠAVELOVÁ, J., MELICHERČÍKOVÁ, M. 2013. Simultaneous Interpreting. Univerzita Mateja Bela: Banská Bystrica, 2013.
4. VALLOVÁ, E. 2011. Konferenčná diplomacia pre tlmočníkov a prekladateľov. In: Preklad a tlmočenie 9: kontrastívne štúdium textov a prekladateľská prax. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.359-364.
5. VESELÁ, D. 2006. Konzekutívne a simultánne tlmočenie z francúzskeho jazyka: texty a cvičenia. Banská Bystrica : FHV UMB, 2006.
6. VESELÁ, D. 2013. Tlmočenie z francúzskeho jazyka: texty a cvičenia. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, vydavateľstvo UMB v Banskej Bystrici, 2013.

Language of instruction:
Language of instruction: slovak - C, french - C1

Notes:student time load:
Notes:student time load:
Student time load: 120 hrs.
Combined studies (L, S, C): 26 hrs.
Preparation for evaluating of practical skills: 50 hrs.
Preparation of analysis of interpreting performances: 10 hrs.
Preparation of simulated discussion forum: 14 hrs.

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Preparation for final oral exam: 20 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 6

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
83.33	0.0	16.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjf-002	**Course name:** Consecutive and Simultaneous Interpreting (French)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Practical
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: During the semester, the students will prepare for consecutive interpreting with note-taking (interpreting 7 texts which will be 5-10 minutes long; interpreting 5 dialogic texts which will be 1-1.5 standard pages long to Slovak or English) and for simultaneous interpreting (interpreting 10 speeches which will be 10-15 minutes long to Slovak mostly) and they will also write glossaries and short essays supported by parallel texts concerning current issues. Moreover, the students will analyse the recordings with their interpreting performances. They will prepare materials for simulated discussion forum or simulated conference on a given topic (they will collect information sources – studies, surveys, terminology, they will suggest a scenario, create teams and assign roles). They will also take three simulated accreditation tests without preparation (2 consecutive interpreting with note-taking – the so-called high consecutive and 1 simultaneous interpreting to Slovak. The texts will be difficult with high terminological density and they will be focused on the current issues in Slovakia and the world. After the tests, the students will evaluate their interpreting performance.) After the end of the semester, the students will take final oral exam. Maximum number of points covering continual and final assessment is 100. The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continuous assessment:
Brief outline of the course: Evaluation of practical skills (consecutive interpreting with notetaking,
simultaneous interpreting and simulated accreditation tests): 0-50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0-10 points, preparation and realization of the simulated discussion forum/simulated conference: 0-10 points.
b) final assessment:
Final oral examination in consecutive and simultaneous interpreting: 0-30 points
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment:
Evaluation of practical skills (consecutive interpreting with notetaking,
simultaneous interpreting and simulated accreditation tests): 0-50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0-10 points, preparation and realization of the simulated discussion forum/simulated conference: 0-10 points.

b) final assessment:
Final assessment: Final oral examination in consecutive and simultaneous interpreting: 0-30 points

Learning objectives:
Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students:
1. Will be able to effectively use adequate interpreting strategies in simultaneous as well as in consecutive interpreting and in note-taking,
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2. Will be able to interpret more difficult speeches with high terminological density from French to Slovak and they will be able to evaluate the adequacy of the used terminology in target language,
3. Will be able to response quickly to unexpected situations and work under pressure,
4. Will be able to objectively and critically analyse their own interpreting performance as well as somebody else's performance,
5. Will be acquainted with the current issues concerning politics and society in Slovakia as well as in the world and will be knowledgeable in how they are connected with the past issues.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
Memory exercises. Split concentration exercises. Interpreting and intercultural transfer of information. Verbal and non-verbal communication in interpreting. Managing stressful situations. Interpreting strategies. Terminology in interpreting. Creating glossaries. Interpreting note-taking. Interpreting protocol. Interpreting ethics. Conference diplomacy. Relay interpreting. Practical interpreting of more difficult texts with high terminological density. High consecutive. Simulated accreditation tests. Analysis and evaluation of interpreting performances.

Recommended literature:
1. CHOVANCOVÁ, K. Niektoré prostriedky ekonomizácie prejavu pri simultánnom tlmočení. In: Mladá veda 2009: humanitné vedy – lingvistika: zborník vedeckých štúdií. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.62-68.
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Language of instruction:
Language of instruction: slovak - C2, french - C1

Notes:student time load:
Notes:student time load:
Student time load: 150 hrs.
Combined studies (L, S, C): 26 hrs.
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Preparation for evaluating of practical skills: 70 hrs.

Preparation of simulated discussion forum/simulated conference: 14 hrs.
Preparation for final oral exam: 30 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 23

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
39.13	21.74	30.43	4.35	0.0	4.35	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 12-SKS	**Course name:** Contemporary Conflicts in the World: Economic, Political, Social and Legal Dimensions

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26 / 0
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: I., II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
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Learning objectives:
Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:
explain the main causes, characteristics and typology of contemporary conflicts;
identify the political, economic, social, security and legal dimensions of conflicts;
analyse selected contemporary conflicts from an interdisciplinary perspective;
assess the impact of conflicts on international security, the economy, migration, social stability and human rights;
describe the role of states, international organisations and non-state actors in the emergence, development and resolution of conflicts;
distinguish between facts, expert interpretations, propaganda and disinformation;
use relevant academic sources and critically evaluate information about conflicts;
formulate and substantiate their own position on selected issues related to contemporary conflicts;
propose basic approaches to conflict prevention, mitigation and peaceful resolution.

Brief outline of the course:
Introduction to the study of contemporary conflicts – key concepts, causes and typology of conflicts.
The evolution of armed conflicts and the changing nature of warfare in the 21st century.
State and non-state actors in contemporary conflicts.
Political and geopolitical dimensions of conflicts.
Economic causes and consequences of conflicts – sanctions, trade and the financing of warfare.
Energy, resource and food security in conflict situations.
Social consequences of conflicts – migration, poverty, radicalisation and social polarisation.
International legal aspects of conflicts and international humanitarian law.
Human rights protection and international criminal responsibility.
Hybrid threats, information operations, propaganda and disinformation.
Analysis of selected contemporary conflicts in Europe and its neighbourhood.
Analysis of selected conflicts in the Middle East, Africa and Asia.
Conflict prevention, management and peaceful resolution – final discussion and synthesis of acquired knowledge.

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

abs	n	p	v
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Rastislav Kazanský, PhD., EMBA

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjs-002	**Course name:** Contemporary French Art and Culture

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student creates a seminar paper (6 pages) and a presentation (PowerPoint, Prezi etc.) addressing the selected topic. After completing the semester, the student takes the final oral exam. The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
seminar paper preparation and delivery of the presentation – max. 40 p.
b) final assessment:
oral exam – max. 60 p.

Learning objectives:
The student
1. understands the facts and basic concepts pertaining to French art and culture
2. can define and describe these facts in the broader historical and social context
3. uses the knowledge in practice, e.g., to create their seminar paper
4. can evaluate information, events, and phenomena based on this knowledge
5. can evaluate ideas, statements, facts, and materials by integrating their knowledge
6. develops a complex system of knowledge based on the subject matter studied during this course.

Brief outline of the course:
1. France at the beginning of the 21st century: the cultural and social contexts.
2. Contemporary French culture – major figures and institutions.
3. Contemporary French music.
4. Contemporary French visual arts.
5. Contemporary French architecture – major figures.
6. Street art.
7. The multicultural nature of contemporary French art.
8. Francophony and its presence in the artistic environment.

9. Major French artists with non-French roots.
10. Current topics: immigration and exile in art.

Recommended literature:

1. Balibar, E. 1998. Droit de cité. Culture et politique en démocratie. Paris: Éditions de l´Aube, 1998. 185 s. ISBN 2-87678-369-X
2. Béghain, P. 1998. Le patrimoine: culture et lien social. Paris: Presses de SciPO, 1998, 115 s. ISBN 2-7246-0753-8.
3. Bloche, P. 1999. Le désir de France: la présence internationale de la France et de la francophonie dans la société de l´information. Paris: La documentation francaise, 1999. 203 s. ISBN 211004280.
4. Bourgeois, R. et al. 2004. La France des institutions, le citoyen dans la nation. Grenoble: Presses Universitaires. 2004. 119 s. ISBN 2-7061-0904-1.
5. Cook, M. 1993. French culture since 1945. London: Longman, 1993. 327 s. ISBN 0-582-08806-2.
6. Culture et société. 1993. Paris: La documentation francaise, 1993. 120 s. bez ISBN.
7. Derosier J.-P. 2015. Les limites constitutionnelles a l´intégration européenne. Issy-les-Moulineaux: LGDJ, 2015. 601 s. ISBN 978-2-275-04005-9.
8. Ginestier, P. et al. 1967. Culture et civilisation francaises. Paris: Didier, 1967. 506 s.
9. Harari, Y. N. 2018. 21 lecons pour le XXeme siecle. Paris: Editions Albin Michel, 20188. 375 s. ISBN 978-2-226-43603-0.
10. Lawrence, A. et al. 2018. La mémoire de l´esclavage. Paris: l´Harmattan, 2018. 260 s. ISBN 978-2-343-15137-3.
11. Mauchamp, N. 2004. La France de toujours. Paris: CLE, 2004. 185 s. ISBN 2-09-033122-4.
12. Muracciole, J.-F. 1998. Les enfants de la défaite. La résistance, l´édutaion et la culture. Paris: Presses de SciPO, 1998. 371 s. ISBN 2-7246-0741-4.
13. Pecníková, J. – Mešková, Ľ. 2017. Francúzska kultúrna identita v obrazoch a textoch. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, 2017. 128 s. ISBN 978-80-557-1327-4.
14. Schmitt, F. 2020. La France jusqu´au début du 20e sciecle : aspects historiques et culturels. Banská Bystrica: Dali BB, 2020. 199 s. ISBN 978-80-8141-242-4.
15. Silverman, M. 2014. Deconstricting the nation. Immigration, racism, and citizenship in modern France. Abingdon: Routledge, 2014. 204 s. ISBN 978-0-415-75543-6.
16. Soler, M. G. C. 2020. L´interculturalité, source de la dynamique du FLE? Paris: L´Harmattan, 2020, 171 s. ISBN 978-2-343-20545-8.
17. Wagner, A.-C. 1998. Les nouvelles élites de la mondalisation. Une immigration dorée en France. Paris: Presses universitaires de France, 1998. 236 s. ISBN 213049661X.

Language of instruction:

Slovak, French

Notes:student time load:

Student time load - 150 hours:
Combined study: 26 hours (13 L, 13 S)
Presentation – 20 h.
Seminar paper (6 pgs) – 20 h.
Studying specialised texts – 40 h.
Preparation for the final oral exam – 44 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 14

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
71.43	21.43	7.14	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-004 | **Course name:** Contemporary French and Francophone literature

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student creates a seminar paper (6 pages) and a presentation (PowerPoint, Prezi etc.) addressing the selected topic. After completing the semester, the student takes the final oral exam. The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

a) continuous assessment:
seminar paper preparation and delivery of the presentation – max. 40 p.

b) final assessment:
oral exam – max. 60 p.

Learning objectives:
The student
1. understands the facts and basic concepts pertaining to contemporary French and francophone literature
2. can define and describe these facts in the broader historical and social context
3. uses the knowledge in practice, e.g., to create their seminar paper
4. can evaluate information, events, and phenomena based on this knowledge
5. can evaluate ideas, statements, facts, and materials by integrating their knowledge
6. develops a complex system of knowledge based on the subject matter studied during this course.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Reception of French literature since the beginning of the 21st century.
2. Portraits of the selected French authors.
3. Contemporary French literary works: a selection.
4. Book awards and their laureates.
5. Current social issues (exile, migration, identity) and their reflection in literary works.
6. Non-French authors writing in French.
7. The multicultural nature of francophone literature.
8. Selected francophone literature (Switzerland, Quebec, Maghreb, Belgium, etc.).

9. Language and cultural identity in literary works.
10. Contemporary French and Francophone Literature – trends.

Recommended literature:

1) Compagnon, A. 2007. La littérature, pour quoi faire? Paris: College de France, 2007. 76 s. ISBN 978-2-213-63288-9.
2) Mešková, Ľ. 2007. Communication interculturelle France-SLovaquie. Banská Bystrica: UMB, 2007. 72 s. ISBN 978-80-8083-508-8.
3) Lacotte, D. 2000. Contes et légendes en terres de France. Paris: Editions Ouest-France, 2000. 206 s. ISBN 2-7373-2573-0.
4) Soler, M. G. C. 2020. L´interculturalité, source de la dynamique du FLE? Paris: L´Harmattan, 2020, 171 s. ISBN 978-2-343-20545-8.
5) Augé, M. 2019. Un ethnologue dans le métro. Paris: Pluriel, 2019. 119 s. ISBN 978-2-8185-0333-1.
6) Harari, Y. N. 2018. 21 lecons pour le XXeme siecle. Paris: Editions Albin Michel, 20188. 375 s. ISBN 978-2-226-43603-0.
7) Lawrence, A. et al. 2018. La mémoire de l´esclavage. Paris: l´Harmattan, 2018. 260 s. ISBN 978-2-343-15137-3.
8) Beacco, J.-C. 2017. L´édutation plurilingue et interculturelle. Paris: Didier, 2017. 298 s. ISBN 978-2-278-08668-9.
9) Radimská J. 2005. Antologie francouzské literatury. Bratislava: Fraus, 2005. 171 s. ISBN 80-7238-109-1.
10) Ligny C. de. Et. Al. 1998. La littérature francaise. Paris: Nathan, 1998. 159 s. ISBN 2091778761.
11) Pecníková, J. – Mešková, Ľ. 2017. Francúzska kultúrna identita v obrazoch a textoch. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, 2017. 128 s. ISBN 978-80-557-1327-4.
12) VIART, D. – VERCIER, B. : La littérature française au présent. Paris : Bordas, 2008.
13) VIART, D.: Le Roman français au XXe siècle. Paris, Armand Colin, 2011.
14) DELON, M. – MÉLONIO, F. – MARCHAL, B. – NOIRAY, J. – COMPAGNON, A., sous la direction de TADIÉ J.-Y. : La littérature française : dynamique & histoire II. Paris, Éditions Gallimard, 2007.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, French

Notes:student time load:
Student time load - 150 hours:
Combined study: 26 hours (13 L, 13 S)
Presentation – 20 h.
Seminar paper (6 pgs) – 20 h.
Studying specialised texts – 40 h.
Preparation for the final oral exam – 44 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 10

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-001 | **Course name:** Contemporary French society

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student takes a short written test (20%). He also performs oral presentation on the topic chosen at the beginning of the semester (20%). After the end of the semester, he will graduate written final test (60%).
The student has the right to one remedial written final test. Maximum total number points obtained for the continuous and final assessment is 100. The assessment is carried out according to classification scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79-73%), E (72-65 %). Credits will be awarded to the student who has obtained at least 65 of the specified conditions 100 points.
a) continuous assessment: short written test (20%) oral presentation (20%)
b) final assessment: written final test (60%)

Learning objectives:
The student
1. uses relevant specialized literature to gain knowledge in the given field
2. is able to use all available resources in French
3. applies acquired theoretical knowledge and language skills in practice
4. objectively evaluates methods and approaches of journalists based on their work
5. understands current social and cultural topics about France and can analyze them
6. knows how to argue and reformulate his own opinions

Brief outline of the course:
1. Diversity of the population
2. Current evolution of political life in France
3. Current evolution of economic life in France
4. The importance of the media in current French society
5. Secularism and religious life in France
6. Myths, symbols and the question of French national identity

Recommended literature:
1. Carpentier, J.; Lebrun, F. 1989. Histoire de France. Paris: Seuil
2. Labrune, G. 2011. L' histoire de France. Paris: Nathan
3. Goetschel, P. 2014. Histoire culturelle de la France. De la belle époque à nos jours Paris: Armand Colin 4. Mathiex, J. 1996. Outils. Histoire de France. Paris: Hachette
5. Mauchamp, N. 2003. La France de toujours. Paris : Clé international

6. Noutchié Njiké, J. 2005. Civilisation progressive de la Francophonie. Paris: Clé international
7. Schmitt, F. 2006. Histoire de France. Banská Bystrica : UMB
8. Schmitt, F. 2009. Civilisation française. Banská Bystrica: UMB
9. Schmitt, F. 2020. La France jusqu'au début du 20e siècle : aspects historiques et culturels. Banská Bystrica : Dali-BB

Language of instruction:
French (C1-C2)

Notes:student time load:
150 hours, of which:
Combined study (P, S, K): 26
self-study: 59
preparation for oral presentation: 20
preparation for the final written test: 45

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 15

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
73.33	6.67	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD.

Last changed: 18.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-pol-205 | **Course name:** Contemporary Poland (A2 - B1)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student continuously submits their completed homework. In the last week of the semester, the student takes a written test. After completing the semester, they take a final oral exam. Credits will not be awarded to a student who scores fewer than 19.5 in the written test and/or fewer then 22.5 in the oral exam. The student has the right to one resit (For each part of the final exam respectively.) The grading scale: A (100 – 94 %), B (93 – 87 %), C (86 – 80 %), D (79 – 73 %), E (72 – 65 %). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).

a) continuous assessment:
Completing homework: 0–30 p.
Written test in week 13: 35 p.

b) final assessment:
Oral exam during the exam period: 35 p.

Learning objectives:
The student is able to analyse thematic maps. They can identify and analyse the components of a socio-geographic system and evaluate how they are linked to the physical-geographic sphere. The student follows the state and development of economy, transport, and services and has detailed knowledge of the Polish state administration, self-governments, and current political situation in Poland. They collect this information on their own and apply them in the translation process as well as in general and specialised communication in Polish.

Brief outline of the course:
The geographic position of Poland (Central Europe), its characteristics, and significance. Administrative division. Regions. Nature, soil types, plants, animals. National parks, protected monuments and areas. Demography. Population (development, distribution, major settlements – classification and structure). Ethnic minorities. Religion in Poland. Mineral resources. Diversification of gas and oil supply. Development and structure of economy. Importance and characteristics of agriculture. Basic factors in Polish industrial production. Main types of transport, its distribution, and tourism. Social and technical services. International trade (export, import). Selected topics in political geography – the Republic of Poland, the structure of state and self-government bodies, parliamentary democracy in Poland - legislative, executive and judicial powers. Polish political parties. Poland in international institutions. The geopolitical position of Poland.

Recommended literature:

1 STARZOMSKI, J. 2011. Geografia. Warszawa : READ ME, 2011.
2 WSPÓŁCZESNE SPOŁECZEŃSTWO POLSKIE, 2020. Ed. A. Gizy, M. Sikorska. Warszawa : PWN, 2020.
3. ŚLESZYŃSKI, P. – CZAPIEWSKI, K. 2021. Atlas Wyszehradzki. Warszawa : GADGET, 2021.
3. WĘCŁAWOWICZ, G. 2018. Geografia społeczna Polski. Warszawa : PWN, 2018.
4 KRAWCZYK. SZ. 2013. Wiedza o społeczeństwie. Warszawa : Lango. 2013.
5. OSTASZEWSKA, K, RICHLING, A. 2005. Geografia fizyczna Polski. Warszawa : PWN. 2005.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, Polish

Notes:student time load:
90 h.
Presence, combined studies (L, S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 14 h.
Completing homework: 15 h.
studying for the written test: 15 h.
Studying for the oral exam: 20 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Gabriela Olchowa, PhD.

Last changed: 16.02.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-rus-232 | **Course name:** Contemporary Russia (A2 - B1)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has the right to one resit. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in seminars: 50%
b) final assessment:
Discussion on the selected topic: 50%

Learning objectives:
The course aims to help the student develop their communication skills. The course focuses on the contemporary form of the Russian language and works with up-to-date resources, mainly mass media texts. The student expands their vocabulary and learns about the specificities of contemporary Russian in practice.

Brief outline of the course:
The course addresses a broad variety of current social, political, and cultural issues presented by mass media in Russia and abroad.

Recommended literature:
current Russian print, TV, radio, Internet

Language of instruction:
Slovak, Russian (B2)

Notes:student time load:
120 h.
Active participation in seminars: 26 h.
Text preparation: 94 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Martin Lizoň, PhD., univ. doc.
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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-016 | **Course name:** Conversational seminar FL 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 1

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed:

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-018 | **Course name:** Corpus Linguistics

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The course is completed by successfully submitting a seminar paper focused on the identification and analysis of specific grammatical and lexical means in authentic French texts, with regard to their specific pragmatic function. The student is entitled to one resit. Final assessment is based on the grading scale:
A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are awarded to students who meet the requirements with at least 65%.

b) final assessment:
Seminar paper – 100%

Learning objectives:
The student is able to use different types of corpus tools and their functions. They can analyse the frequency of linguistic units in specific contexts and cotexts. They are capable of formulating a research objective, identifying and evaluating selected parameters in a given corpus, and applying the obtained results in translation, interpreting, as well as in language teaching and learning.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Introduction to corpus linguistics
2. Types of corpus tools
3. Functions of corpus tools
4. AI in corpus linguistics
5. Types of corpora
6. Working with corpora: searching lexical units, concordances, collocations
7. Frequency analysis and data interpretation
8. Applications of corpus linguistics in translation and interpreting
9. Applications of corpus linguistics in didactics
10. Project work: analysis of authentic French texts in a corpus

Recommended literature:
1. BAAYEN, R. H.: Corpus linguistics in morphology: morphological productivity. In: Lüdeling, A. – Kytö, M. (éds.): Corpus Linguistics. An International Handbook. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter, 2008, s. 899–919.

2. BARONI, M. – BERNARDINI, S. – FERRARESI, A. – ZANCHETTA, E.: The WaCky Wide Web: A Collection of Very Large Linguistically Processed Web-Crawled Corpora. Language Resources and Evaluation, 2009, 43, s. 209–226.
3. BORDONABA-PLOU, D. – JREIS-NAVARRO, L. M.: Are the TenTen Corpora Really a Corpus Family? On Linguistic Tagging and Corpora Members' Kinship Degrees. International Journal of Humanities and Arts Computing, 2025, 19(1), s. 49–64.
4. CARTIER, E. – SABLAYROLLES, J.-F. – BOUTMGHARINE, N. – HUMBLEY, J. – BERTOCCI, M. – JACQUET-PFAU, C. – KÜBLER, N. – TALLARICO, G.: Détection automatique, description linguistique et suivi des néologismes en corpus: point d'étape sur les tendances du français contemporain. In: Actes du 6e CMLF, Mons, 9–13 juillet 2018, s. 1–20.
5. KILGARRIFF, A. – MARCOWITZ, F. – SMITH, S. – THOMAS, J.: Corpora and language learning with the Sketch Engine and SKELL. Revue française de linguistique appliquée, 2015, (1), s. 61–80.
6. LAZAR, J.: Stratégies identitaires d'auto-présentation des jeunes dans l'espace virtuel: Entre tchat, emails et SMS. In: Kacprzak, A. – Goudaillier, J.-P. (éds.): Fonctions identitaires en situations diglossiques: argots – dialectes – patois. Lodz: UL, 2014, s. 135–139.
7. PAVEAU, M.-A.: L'Analyse du discours numérique. Dictionnaire des formes et des pratiques. Paris: Hermann, 2017.
8. ŠTEKAUER, P.: Onomasiological approach to word-formation. In: Handbook of word-formation. Dordrecht: Springer, 2005, s. 207–232.

Language of instruction:
Slovak
French - B1

Notes:student time load:
Total: 90 hours.
Combined instruction: 20.
Preparation for weekly (non-assessed) tasks: 50.
Final paper preparation: 20.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Lucia Ráčková, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjs-009	**Course name:** Current issues in the French-speaking world 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Successful completion of the seminar paper. The grading scale:
A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
The student has the right to one resit.
The requirements and recommended literature are updated yearly in the course syllabus.
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in lectures given by foreign experts.
b) final assessment:
Seminar paper preparation – a resume of the lectures attended.

Learning objectives:
The student gets acquainted with the current social, political, and cultural issues in France. They learn about the research trends in humanities and social sciences. They approach the information critically and can reflect them.

Brief outline of the course:
A series of lectures by invited foreign experts on various topics (domestic and foreign policy, economy, society, language and linguistics, culture, media of francophone countries).

Recommended literature:
1. BELOEIL-BENOIST, Yves-Jean - MONTOUSSE, Marc - DEUBEL, Philippe: 100 fiches pour connaître l'économie et la société françaises. Paris: Bréal, 2007.
2. KIMMEL, Alain:Vous avez dit France? Eléments pour comprendre la société francaise actuelle. Paris: Hachette, 1987.
3. KOOP, Marie-Christine - VERMETTE, Rosalie: France Au XXIe Siècle: Nouvelles Perspectives. Summa Publications, 2009.
Up-to-date French press.
Other publications recommended by the lecturers.

Language of instruction:
French (B2/C1)

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 7

abs	n	p	v
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-010 | **Course name:** Current issues in the French-speaking world 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Successful completion of the seminar paper. The grading scale:
A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
The student has the right to one resit.
The requirements and recommended literature are updated yearly in the course syllabus.
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in lectures given by foreign experts.
b) final assessment:
Seminar paper preparation – a resume of the lectures attended.

Learning objectives:
The student gets acquainted with the current social, political, and cultural issues in France. They learn about the research trends in humanities and social sciences. They approach the information critically and can reflect them.

Brief outline of the course:
A series of lectures by invited foreign experts on various topics (domestic and foreign policy, economy, society, language and linguistics, culture, media of francophone countries).

Recommended literature:
1. BELOEIL-BENOIST, Yves-Jean - MONTOUSSE, Marc - DEUBEL, Philippe: 100 fiches pour connaître l'économie et la société françaises. Paris: Bréal, 2007.
2. KIMMEL, Alain:Vous avez dit France? Eléments pour comprendre la société francaise actuelle. Paris: Hachette, 1987.
3. KOOP, Marie-Christine - VERMETTE, Rosalie: France Au XXIe Siècle: Nouvelles Perspectives. Summa Publications, 2009.
Up-to-date French press.
Other publications recommended by the lecturers.

Language of instruction:
French (B2/C1)

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 14

abs	n	p	v
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 07.10.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2-OEV2	**Course name:** Diplomacy in Practice - Professional Excursion at the Embassy II.

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 0 / 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 337

abs	n	p	v
90.5	9.5	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Erik Pajtinka, PhD.

Last changed: 07.06.2024

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2-OEMO2	**Course name:** Diplomacy in Practice - Professional Excursion in an International Organization II.

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 0 / 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 241

abs	n	p	v
99.17	0.83	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Erik Pajtinka, PhD.

Last changed: 07.06.2024

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-lin-112	**Course name:** Discourse Analysis GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continuous assessment:
written test: 0 – 50 points
b) final assessment:
final paper: 0 – 50 points

Learning objectives:
Students will:
1. acquire the most important skills in the latest results of knowledge in a given field of study,
2. acquire basic knowledge about areas of methodology of critical and linguistic discourse analysis,
3. be able to apply the acquired knowledge in a final thesis at the corresponding level within a chosen or given discourse,
4. acquire new knowledge with writing a final thesis and will be able to analyse and evaluate it in relation to the existing cultural and also linguistic standards.

Brief outline of the course:
The study of the term discourse since the 2nd half of 20th century to the present day. Importance of the term discourse and its intellectual understanding from various perspectives. Features and dynamics of discourses, as well as their classification and last but not the least, the mediation of knowledge about methodology of critical and lingual discourse analysis. Knowledge as presupposition of erudite penetration into chosen discourses. The course is focused also on students, who are eager to study the way how the discourse analysis is developed in the Czech and Slovakian area, in German-speaking countries.

Recommended literature:
1. Angermüller, J. – Bunzmann, K. – Nonhoff, M.: Diskursanalyse : Theorien, Methoden, Anwendungen. Hamburg : Argument Verlag GmbH 2001.
2. Dobrík, Z. Cudzosť a inakosť v jazykovej komunikácii. Banská Bystrica: Belianum 2018.
3. Dolník, J.: Jazyk, človek, kultúra. Bratislava : Kalligram 2010.
4. Dolník, J. Sila jazyka. Bratislava : Kaligram 2012.
5. Jäger, S.: Kritische Diskursanalyse. Eine Einführung. Duisburg :2004.

6. Keller, R. – Hirseland A. – Schneider W. – Viehhöver, V. (Ed.): Handbuch Sozialwissenschaftliche Diskursanalyse : Band 2. Wiesbaden : Springer Fachmedien
7. Keller, R.: Wissensoziologische Diskursanalyse. Grundlegung eines Forschungsprogramms. Wiesbaden : VS Verlag für Sozialwissenschften 2008.
8. Larcher, S. B.: Linguistische Diskursanalyse. Ein Lehr- und Arbeitsbuch. Tübingen: Narr Studienbücher 2015.
9. Orgoňová, O. – Dolník. J.: Používanie jazyka. Bratislava : Univerzita Komenského 2010.
10. Schneiderová, S.: Analýza diskurzu a mediální text. Praha : UK Nakladatelství Karolinum 2015

Language of instruction:
German language B2-C1, slovenský jazyk

Notes:student time load:
Notes
120 hrs, of which:
combined study (l, s, c): 26 hrs
written test preparation: 62 hrs
final paper preparation: 62 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PaedDr. Zdenko Dobrík, PhD.

Last changed: 14.11.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajmL-316 | **Course name:** English Language B2 for UMB students

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
This elective course is intended for students of sports educlogy, sports science and other humanities and philology studies at the Faculty of Arts, UMB in Banská Bystrica, except for study programmes English Language and Culture, English for Translation in Economic Practice and Teaching English Language and Literature.Students will take three written continuous assessment tests during the semester. Upon completion
the course students will take a written final test. Credits will not be awarded a student who scores less than 65% on the continuous assessment tests and the final test. The student is entitled to one re-sit exam. The assessment is in compliance with the following grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), B (93-87%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79-73%), E (72-65%).

a) continuous assessment:
Three continuous written tests: 30%
Active participation in seminars: 10%

b) final assessment:
Written final test: 60%

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. understands not only essential but also specific information in broader English texts and can communicate in more challenging communicative situations in the professional and private spheres; 2. masters upper-intermediate language activities and strategies in English (listening comprehension, speaking, writing, reading comprehension)
3. is able to identify elements of narrative style in written discourse at B2 level;
4. is able to translate from/into English texts at B2 level;
6. is able to use summarising techniques to summarise relevant data.

Brief outline of the course:
Selected topics include:
1. Passions and fashions
2. No fear!
3. It depends how you look at it
4. All things high tech
5. Seeing is believing

6. Telling it how it is

Recommended literature:
SOARS, Liz - SOARS, John. New Headway Intermediate. 4th Edition. Students Book. Oxford : OUP, 2010.
SOARS, Liz - SOARS, John. New Headway Intermediate. 4th Edition. Work Book. Oxford : OUP, 2010.

Language of instruction:
English

Notes:student time load:
Total: 90 hours
Seminars: 13
Preparation for continuous written tests: 15
Preparation for the final written test: 30
Self-study: 32

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 26

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
61.54	7.69	7.69	19.23	0.0	3.85	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PaedDr. Alena Štulajterová, PhD., M.A. James Ó Conaill, Mgr. Richard Gramanich Štromajer, PhD., Mgr. Patrícia Kvokačka Hatiarová, doc. Natalia Kovalchuk, PhD., Mgr. Vanda Koniarová

Last changed: 11.09.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajmZ-317 | **Course name:** English Language B2 for UMB students

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
This elective course is intended for students of sports educlogy, sports science and other humanities and philology studies at the Faculty of Arts, UMB in Banská Bystrica, except for study programmes English Language and Culture, English for Translation in Economic Practice and Teaching English Language and Literature.Students will take three written continuous assessment tests during the semester. Upon completion
the course students will take a written final test. Credits will not be awarded a student who scores less than 65% on the continuous assessment tests and the final test. The student is entitled to one re-sit exam. The assessment is in compliance with the following grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), B (93-87%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79-73%), E (72-65%).

a) continuous assessment:
Three continuous written tests: 30%
Active participation in seminars: 10%

b) final assessment:
Written final test: 60%

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. understands not only essential but also specific information in broader English texts and can communicate in more challenging communicative situations in the professional and private spheres; 2. masters upper-intermediate language activities and strategies in English (listening comprehension, speaking, writing, reading comprehension)
3. is able to identify elements of narrative style in written discourse at B2 level;
4. is able to translate from/into English texts at B2 level;
6. is able to use summarising techniques to summarise relevant data.

Brief outline of the course:
Selected topics include:
1. Passions and fashions
2. No fear!
3. It depends how you look at it
4. All things high tech
5. Seeing is believing

6. Telling it how it is

Recommended literature:
SOARS, Liz - SOARS, John. New Headway Intermediate. 4th Edition. Students Book. Oxford : OUP, 2010.
SOARS, Liz - SOARS, John. New Headway Intermediate. 4th Edition. Work Book. Oxford : OUP, 2010.

Language of instruction:
English, Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Total: 90 hours
Seminars: 13
Preparation for continuous written tests: 15
Preparation for the final written test: 30
Self-study: 32

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 27

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
66.67	7.41	7.41	3.7	3.7	7.41	3.7	0.0

Instructor: PaedDr. Alena Štulajterová, PhD., M.A. James Ó Conaill, Mgr. Richard Gramanich Štromajer, PhD.

Last changed: 17.05.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fpv-124 | **Course name:** Finance in practice

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 107

abs	n	p	v
98.13	1.87	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Ing. Jana Crmanová

Last changed: 21.09.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-007 | **Course name:** French History and Society in Cinematography

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student creates a seminar paper (6 pages) and a presentation (PowerPoint, Prezi etc.) addressing the selected topic. After completing the semester, the student takes the final oral exam. The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

a) continuous assessment:
seminar paper preparation and delivery of the presentation – max. 40 p.

b) final assessment:
oral exam – max. 60 p.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. navigates French cinematography
2. knows major French directors
3. can analyse a film and compare it to its literary model
4. can characterise and evaluate the selected historical periods in France
5. can identify the social and historical context in a film.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
1. French cinematography.
2. French film personalities.
3. New wave.
4. French film poetics.
5. Major French directors.
6. Analysing selected film adaptations of literary and other works.
7. Analysing selected films – reflection of historical figures.
8. Film as part of cultural semiotics.
9. Sign, symbol, and meaning in French cinematography.

10. Transferring literary artistic means into films.

Recommended literature:

1. Bresson, R. 1998. Poznámky o kunematografu. Praha: Dauphin, 1998. 115 s. ISBN 80-86019-68-3.
2. Činátl, K. 2014. Dějiny ve filmu. Praha: ÚSTR, 2014, 248 s. ISBN 978-80-87912-11-9.
3. Dimitrov, P. 2011. Film – umenie v čase, 2011. Banská Bystrica: Akadémia umení, 2011. 73 s. ISBN 978-80-89078-95-0.
4. Francúzske filmy (dabované alebo s titulkami)
5. Gronemeyer, A. 2004. Film. Brno: CP, 2004. 192 s. ISBN 80-251-0209-2.
6. Kopal, P. 2005. Film a dějiny. Praha: NLN, 2005. 406 s. ISBN 80-7106-667-2.
7. Monaco, J. 2004. Jak číst film. Praha: Albatros, 2004. 735 s. ISBN 978-80-00-01410-4.
8. Perkner, S. 1988. Řěč dramatu. Film a televize. Praha: Horizont, 1988, 291 s. bez ISBN

Language of instruction:

French, Slovak

Notes:student time load:

Student time load - 150 hours:
Combined study: 26 h (13 L, 13 S).
Presentation: 20 h.
Seminar paper (6 pgs): 20 h.
Watching films: 20 h.
Film analysis: 20 h.
Preparation for the final oral exam: 44 h.

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 10

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD.

Last changed: 01.09.2025

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fj-001 | **Course name:** French Language 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final assessment is 100. Credits will be awarded to a student who has earned at least 65 out of 100 points for fulfilling the specified requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
participation and activities in classes (0-20 points)
b) final assessment:
final exam (0-80 points)

Learning objectives:
The student 1. uses basic language skills in French, 2. is able to talk about his interests and his plans for the future. 3. can write an e-mail asking for something. 4. can talk about events that took place in the past.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Understand interests and preferences based on recordings and then be able to talk about yours. 2. Weekend plans. 3. Description of the house/apartment and its equipment. 4. Gastronomy in France and Slovakia. 5. Tense of irregular verbs. 6. Free time.

Recommended literature:
LOISEAU, Y. - MERIEUX, R. 2009. Latitudes 1. Paris: Didier
Pecníková, J. - Ráčková, L. Základy francúzštiny, Belianum, 2023

Language of instruction:
French A1

Notes:student time load:
120 hours, of which: full-time study: 26 hours Exam preparation + written exam: 94 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 14

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
42.86	14.29	0.0	14.29	0.0	28.57	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed: 14.09.2023
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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-006 | **Course name:** French Linguistic Pragmatics

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has to pass the final written test focused on the analysis of specific authentic texts in French with the goal to identify the language means with specific pragmatic functions. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale for the final assessment: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

b) final assessment:
Final written test – 100 %

Learning objectives:
The student can assess different types of texts from the viewpoint of their pragmatic value. They know the expressive means with specific communication and pragmatic functions and can identify different implicit communication strategies occurring in oral and written communication (common and specialised). The student can interpret texts based on their knowledge of all language levels and apply this skill in practice (translation, interpreting, learning, and teaching).

Brief outline of the course:
Analysis of the selected relevant language means depending on the situational context (participants' identity and relationship). Reference mechanisms (deictic lexis), nouns, speech act theory, speech structure, reproduced speech, topics, modality, inference, implicit meaning. Conversation and discourse analysis basics. Media communication.

Recommended literature:
1. DOLNÍK, Juraj – BAJZÍKOVÁ, Eugénia: Textová lingvistika. Bratislava: Stimul, 1998.
2. BENVENISTE, Emile: Problèmes de la linguistique générale I, II. Paris : Gallimard, 2000.
3. DOLNÍK, Juraj: Používanie jazyka. Bratislava: Univerzita Komenského, 2010.
4. GOFFMAN, Ervin: La mise en scène de la vie quotidienne. Paris, Les éditions du Minuit, 1973.
5. HIRSCHOVÁ, Milada. Pragmalingvistika v češtine. Olomouc: Univerzita Palackého, 2006.
6. CHOVANCOVÁ, Katarína. Outils de linguistique pragmatique. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, 2011.
7. KERBRAT-ORECCHIONI, Catherine: L'Enonciation. Paris : Armand Colin, 1997.
8. MAINGUENEAU, Dominique. L'Enonciation en linguistique française. Paris : Hachette,

1996.
9. MISTRÍK, Jozef: Štylistika slovenčiny. Bratislava: SPN, 1984.
10. PERRET, Michele: L'Enonciation en grammaire du texte. Paris : Nathan, 1996.

Language of instruction:
French B2/C1

Notes:student time load:
Total: 120 h.
Combined instruction: 26 h.
Assignment completion (not graded): 72 h.
Studying for the final written test: 22 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 7

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Lucia Ráčková, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fj-002	**Course name:** French language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student participates in class activities (30%). Completes a seminary paper according to the assignment (30%). At the end of the semester, he/she takes a written final test in French (40%). The student is entitled to one make-up written final test. The maximum total percentage obtained for the midterm and final assessment is 100%. The grading scale is: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79-73%), E (72-65%). Credit will be awarded to a student who has achieved a minimum of 65 out of 100 points in meeting the specified requirements. (a) Interim Assessment: Participation in oral activities (30%) Seminar work (30%) (b) written final test (40%)

a) continuous assessment:
continuous assessment: participation in oral activities (30%), seminary paper in French language (30%)

b) final assessment:
final assessment: written final test on the French language (40%)

Learning objectives:
The student 1. is able to tell basic information about himself and his immediate surroundings 2. is able to react in basic situations (greeting, thanking, introducing yourself, expressing yourself taste) 3. understands audio and written basic information (announcements, basic conversation) 4. has basic knowledge of French culture

Brief outline of the course:
1. Acquaintance with the French language, with greetings, the alphabet and polite words. 2. Introducing yourself and family members. 3. Names of states and nationalities. 4. Numbers. 5. Activities in free time

Recommended literature:
1. Mérieux, R. ; Loiseau, Y. 2008. Latitudes A1-A2. Paris : Didier
5. Pecníková, J. - Ráčková, L. 2023. Základy francúzštiny (Belianum, BB)

Language of instruction:
slovak or another language (except french)

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 22

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
36.36	31.82	9.09	4.55	18.18	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed: 20.11.2024

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fj-005 | **Course name:** French language 3

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final assessment is 100. Credits will be awarded to a student who has earned at least 65 out of 100 points for fulfilling the specified requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
participation and activities in classes (0-20 points)
b) final assessment:
final exam (0-80 points)
b) final assessment:
test

Learning objectives:
The student 1. uses basic language skills in French, 2. is able to talk about his interests and his plans for the future. 3. can write an e-mail asking for something. 4. can talk about events that took place in the past.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Lire/Ecouter divers documents
2. Discussions simples sur des thèmes relatifs à la vie quotidienne
3. Exercices de grammaire
4. Travail sur le vocabulaire

Recommended literature:
1. Abou-Samra, M., Pinson, C., Perrard, M., & Heu, E. (2018). Edito A1.
2. Berthet, A. (2011). Alter ego 1 : méthode de français.
3. Chahi, F., Denyer, M., Gloanec, A., Briet, G., Collige-Neuenschwander, V., & Fouillet, R. (2019). Défi 1, A1, méthode de français : Livre de l'élève.
4. Hirschsprung, N., & Tricot, T. (2017). Cosmopolite A1 : Méthode de français. Hachette Français Langue Etrangère.

Language of instruction:
French A1-A2

Notes:student time load:
90 hours, of which: full-time study: 26 hours Exam preparation + written exam: 64 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed: 26.06.2025

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fj-006	**Course name:** French language 4

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final assessment is 100. Credits will be awarded to a student who has earned at least 65 out of 100 points for fulfilling the specified requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
participation and activities in classes (0-20 points)
b) final assessment:
final exam (0-80 points)
b) final assessment:
test

Learning objectives:
The student 1. uses basic language skills in French, 2. is able to talk about his interests and his plans for the future. 3. can write an e-mail asking for something. 4. can talk about events that took place in the past.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Lire/Ecouter divers documents
2. Discussions simples sur des thèmes relatifs à la vie quotidienne
3. Exercices de grammaire
4. Travail sur le vocabulaire

Recommended literature:
1. Abou-Samra, M., Pinson, C., Perrard, M., & Heu, E. (2018). Edito A1.
2. Berthet, A. (2011). Alter ego 1 : méthode de français.
3. Chahi, F., Denyer, M., Gloanec, A., Briet, G., Collige-Neuenschwander, V., & Fouillet, R. (2019). Défi 1, A1, méthode de français : Livre de l'élève.

Language of instruction:
French A1-A2

Notes:student time load:
90 hours, of which: full-time study: 26 hours Exam preparation + written exam: 64 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed: 26.06.2025

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-003 | **Course name:** French literature after 1913

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
20% of the final evaluation is represented by the ongoing activity of students during seminars dedicated to the analysis of works and excerpts from works by selected French authors of literary directions, movements and tendencies. After the end of the semester, the student: - passes a written final exam (in the form of a test with open questions - 40%), and has the right (in the case of Fx evaluation) to one correction period, - submits a seminar paper focused on the analysis of a selected literary work from the field of French literature , by which he will demonstrate his ability to use the literary conceptual apparatus acquired during it, as well as his ability to interpret a literary text (40% of the total evaluation). The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65% out of a possible 100%.
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in class (analysing extracts of selected literary works): 20%
b) final assessment:
- final written test (with open questions): 40%
- seminar paper (analysis of a selected literary work): 40%

Learning objectives:
Course aims: Students will: 1. learn theoretical, philosophical and aesthetic base of literary avant-gardes, movements and tendencies in French literature of 20th and 21st century, 2. be able to identify typical features of studied literary movements and tendencies on the basis of acquired knowledge, 3. be able to apply theoretical knowledge in analysis and interpretation of selected literary works (texts). 4. understand context and mutual relations between various literary texts.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Paths to the modern novel (Proust, Gide).
2. Writers of "human fate" (Malraux, Exupéry, Céline).
3. Breakthrough years 1938-39.
4. Existentialism (Sartre, Camus, Beauvoir).
5. Original novel world (Vian).
6. New novel (Sarraute, Robbe-Grillet, Butor, Duras).
7. Searching for a new language (Oulipo – R. Queneau).
8. "New New Novel" (Tel Quel movement, P. Sollers).

9. Tendencies of French literature after 1980 (Echenoz, Ernaux, Darrieussecq, Houellebecq).

Recommended literature:

1. DELON, M. – MÉLONIO, F. – MARCHAL, B. – NOIRAY, J. – COMPAGNON, A., sous la direction de TADIÉ J.-Y. (2007) : La littérature française : dynamique & histoire II. Paris, Éditions Gallimard.
2. COLLET, F. (2010). Les grands textes de la littérature française. Repères pour une culture littéraire. Paris, Editions Ellipses.
3. DUBOIS, J. (200). Les romanciers du réel (de Balzac à Simenon). Paris, Éditions du Seuil.
4. PAVEL, Thomas : La pensée du roman. Paris : Gallimard, 2003.
5. DARCOS, X.: Histoire de la littérature française. Paris : Hachette, 1992.
6. ALLUIN, B. – BAUDELLE, Y. – DEGUY, J. – RENARD, P. – VIART, D. : Itinéraires littéraires. Xxe siècle. Tome 1 (1900-1950). Paris : Hatier, 1996.
7. Collectif : Itinéraires littéraires. Xxe siècle. Tome 2 (1950-1990). Paris : Hatier, 1998.
8. BERSANI, J. – AUTRAND, M. – LECACME, J. – VERCIER, B. : La littérature en France de 1945 à 1968. Paris : Bordas, 1992.
9. TADIÉ, J.-Y 1992. Le roman au 20e siècle. Paris : Pierre Belford, 1992.
10. LAGARDE, A. – MICHARD, L. : XXe siècle. Les grands auteurs français. Anthologie et histoire littéraire. Paris : Bordas, 1988.
11. VIART, D. – VERCIER, B. : La littérature française au présent. Paris : Bordas, 2008.

Language of instruction:

Language of instruction: french (B2, C1)

Notes:student time load:

Student work load: 150 hrs, of which:
Combined study (P, S, K): 26
Self-study (preparation for seminars): 34
Self-study (preparation for the final written test): 30
Preparation of materials for seminar work and its elaboration: 60

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 7

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
71.43	14.29	0.0	14.29	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Jana Pecníková, PhD., Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 14.09.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-017 | **Course name:** French-Language Theater Workshop

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
To pass this course, students must generally meet two main requirements: actively participate in seminars and theater rehearsals (which generally requires an attendance rate of at least 75%) and complete practical assignments throughout the course, culminating in a performance.
The assessment is carried out according to classification scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79-73%), E (72-65 %).
a) continuous assessment:
regular preparation of short plays (40%)
b) final assessment:
final performance (60%)

Learning objectives:
Student
1. builds self-confidence.
2. is able to manage fear and stress when speaking in public.
3. is able to speak French clearly without preparation.
4. is able to improvise short scenes in French on a simple topic.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Getting to know one another, overcoming initial shyness, and creating a safe atmosphere within the group
2. Working on vocal intensity, intonation, proper diction, and expressing basic emotions.
3. Responding quickly in unexpected situations and developing vocabulary through descriptive expression.
4. Developing a character's personality, gait, motivation, and choice of language register. Selecting the final concept for the closing performance.
5. Rehearsing scenes in the space, working with props, fine-tuning details, and providing mutual feedback.
6. Final performance

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:
French (B1 - B2)

Notes:student time load:
90 hours, of which:
Combined study: 26
Self-study (preparation for regular activities): 34
Preparation for the final performance: 30

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed: 26.06.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-uVZSP | **Course name:** General Foundations of Private Law

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The prerequisite for passing the course is attendance at a minimum of 90% of the teaching and active participation of students in class. The evaluation is in accordance with the classification scale according to the Study Regulations of Matej Bel University.
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous evaluation is not performed.
b) final assessment:
The basis for the award of the final grade is the demonstration of mastery of the knowledge of the lecture material, which is demonstrated in an active dialogue with the teacher in the teaching of the subject.

Learning objectives:
The graduate will be able to distinguish private law from public law, will be oriented in the basic principles of private law, which in the European continental legal system traditionally includes civil law, commercial law, family law and international private law. The graduate will have knowledge of the basic institutions of private law (both substantive and procedural), their current legal regulation and use in practice.

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
VOJČÍK, P. a kol.: Občianske právo hmotné 1. a 2., Plzeň: Aleš Čenek, 2018. 764 s. ISBN 978-80-73807-19-1.
CIRÁK, J. - GANDŽALOVÁ, D.: Základy rodinného práva, Úvodná časť - Manželské práva - Osvojenie, Banská Bystrica: UMB Belianum, 2019. ISBN 978-80-557-1548-3.
MURÁNSKA, J. - GANDŽALOVÁ, D. - TAKÁČ, J.: Základy rodinného práva, Rodičia a deti - Výživné, Banská Bystrica: UMB Belianum, 2019. ISBN 978-80-557-1622-0.
KUBÍČEK, P. – ŠKRINÁR, A. – NEVOLNÁ, Z. – KOLKUSOVÁ, R. – ĎURICA, M.: Obchodné právo. 3. vydanie. Plzeň: Aleš Čeněk, 2021, 420 s. ISBN 978-80-7380-847-1.
Act No. 40/1964 Coll. Civil Code as amended.
Act No. 36/2005 Coll. on the Family, as amended.
Act No. 160/2015 Coll. on the Civil Procedure Code, as amended.
Act No. 161/2015 Coll. on the Civil Procedure Code, as amended.

Act No. 513/1990 Coll., Commercial Code, as amended.

Language of instruction:
Slovak language

Notes:student time load:
90 hours
combinated study (L, C): 26 hours
self-study: 64 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 171

abs	n	p	v
84.8	15.2	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. JUDr. Daniela Gandžalová, PhD., doc. JUDr. Marián Ďurana, PhD., doc. JUDr. Juraj Takáč, PhD., doc. JUDr. Katarína Zajác Ševcová, PhD., JUDr. Monika Némethová, PhD., Mgr. Miroslava Dolíhalová, PhD., JUDr. Jakub Dzimko, PhD., JUDr. Dominik Čipka, PhD., JUDr. Ing. Miroslav Paller, JUDr. Lucia Petríková, PhD.

Last changed: 30.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-nj-001 | **Course name:** German Language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Continuous assessment.
Active participation in seminars: 0–40 p. Completion of assignments and exercises: 0–20 p.
Final assessment. Written exam: 0–40 p.
The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

Learning objectives:
The student learns the basic rules of German pronunciation, orthography, grammar, and vocabulary used in the basic common communication situations (A1 level).

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar focuses on learning basic orthoepic, orthographic, grammatical rules, and vocabulary on the A1 level. German language course book texts are used along with authentic texts, and grammatical and lexical exercises (printed and electronic).
1. Grammar – conjugation of auxiliary, weak, and strong verbs; modal verbs, declination of the determiners and nouns in 1st and 4th cases; personal pronouns, the negative, syntax in indicative, interrogative, and exclamatory sentences.
2. Topics: German in basic communication situations: introduction, travelling, family, housing, etc.
3. Training receptive and productive language skills – A1 level.

Recommended literature:
1. ALBRECHT, U. – DANE, D. – FANDRYCH, CH.: Passwort Deutsch neu 1 – Kurs/ Übungsbuch + CD. Stuttgart : Klett Verlag, 2014. ISBN 9783126764100
2. WITZLINGER, H: Deutsch. Aber Hallo! Grundstufe I A1. Online: www.deutschkursepassau.de.
3. KRENN, W. – PUCHTA, H.: Ideen 1. Deutsch ales Fremdsprache. Kursbuch. München : Hueber-Verlag, 2008. ISBN 978-3-19-001823-9
4. KRENN, W. – PUCHTA, H.: Ideen 1. Deutsch ales Fremdsprache. Arbeitsbuch. München : Hueber-Verlag, 2008. ISBN 9783190118236
www.mein-deutschbuch.de
www.lingolia.de
www.schubert-verlag.de/aufgaben/uebungen_a1/a1_uebungen_index_z.htm (on-line cvičenia na

slovnú zásobu a gramatiku, úrovne A1 – A2)

Language of instruction:
Slovak language

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 118

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
69.49	24.58	3.39	1.69	0.0	0.85	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 25.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-nj-002 | **Course name:** German Language 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Continuous assessment.
Active participation in seminars: Completion of assignments and exercises: 0–40 p. 0–20 p.
Final assessment. Written exam: 0–40 p.
The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

Learning objectives:
Upon successful completion of this course, the student:
1. masters grammar on the A1–A2 level
2. has the vocabulary to communicate in the A1–A2 level communication situations
3. can read, listen to, and write texts on the selected topics on the A1–A2 level
4. can speak on the A1–A2 level

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar is focused on learning and training German grammar and vocabulary on the A1–A2 level.
1. Grammar: possessive pronouns, prepositions for the 3rd and 4th cases, adjectives, coordinating conjunctions, reflective verbs, verb „werden“; weak verbs – future tense, preterite, and perfectum.
2. Topics: daily regime, social relationships, clothes, housing, navigation in a city, hobbies
3. Development of the receptive and productive language skills through completing assignments and working with texts on the A1–A2 level.

Recommended literature:
1. ALBRECHT, U. – DANE, D. – FANDRYCH, CH.: Passwort Deutsch neu 1 – Kurs/ Übungsbuch + CD. Stuttgart : Klett Verlag, 2014. ISBN 9783126764100
2. WITZLINGER, H: Deutsch. Aber Hallo! A2. Online: www.deutschkurse-passau.de.
3. KRENN, W. – PUCHTA, H.: Ideen 1. Deutsch ales Fremdsprache. Kursbuch. München : Hueber-Verlag, 2008. ISBN 978-3-19-001823-9
4. KRENN, W. – PUCHTA, H.: Ideen 1. Deutsch ales Fremdsprache. Arbeitsbuch. München : Hueber-Verlag, 2008. ISBN 9783190118236
www.mein-deutschbuch.de
www.lingolia.de

www.schubert-verlag.de/aufgaben/uebungen_a1/a1_uebungen_index_z.htm (on-line cvičenia na slovnú zásobu a gramatiku, úrovne A1 – A2)

Language of instruction:
German A1, Slovak

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 39

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
87.18	5.13	5.13	2.56	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 25.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-nj-003	**Course name:** German Language 3

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) continuous assessment:
completion of exercises and short texts: 40 p
b) final assessment:
Written exam: 60 p.
The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

Learning objectives:
The student learns the rules of the German grammatical system and vocabulary for the selected topics on the A2–B1 level. They can apply these rules in common communication situations and engage in written and spoken communication.

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar is focused on enhancing the knowledge of German grammar and its oral and written application to improve the student's communication competence in the selected topics. It employs a system of grammatical and communication exercises enhancing the associations between language forms and their meaning.

Recommended literature:
H. Funk a kol. STUDIO d A2. Plzeň: Fraus, 2006. ISBN 80-7238-580-1
L.M. Brand. Die Schöne ist angekommen..München:Klett, 1999. ISBN 3-12-675318-3
http://www.schubert-verlag.de/aufgaben/uebungen_a1/a1_uebungen_index_z.htm (on-line cvičenia na slovnú zásobu a gramatiku)

Language of instruction:
German A2–B1, Slovak

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 7

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
71.43	28.57	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Palina Lissitsyna

Last changed: 21.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-104	**Course name:** German Note-taking
Type, extent and method of instruction: **Form of instruction:** Seminar **Course type:** B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses) **Recommended number of periods:** 26 **Method of study:** combined	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.	
Level: II.	
Prerequisites:	
Course completion conditions: Students have the right for one resit of the final oral exam. **a) continuous assessment:** assignments during the semester: 0 – 20 points continual examination (interpreting): 0 – 30 points **b) final assessment:** oral exam: 0 – 50 points altogether for all parts (assignments during the semester, continual examination and the oral exam): 0 – 100 points	
Learning objectives: Students will be able to utilise note-taking in consecutive interpreting in practice and will create their own note-taking system comprising of symbols, signs and abbreviations.	
Brief outline of the course: The cycle of practically oriented interpreting seminars will focus on various forms of note-taking by means of specific symbols, signs, abbreviations, etc., in real communicative situations with the focus on empirical text analysis with the aim to note down keywords (e. g. interpreting at scientific conferences, congresses, official and unofficial events, festivals, negotiations, company meetings and in atypical environments, situations, etc.).	
Recommended literature:	
Language of instruction:	
Notes:student time load: 150 hrs., consisting of: Combined studies (S, C): 55 hrs. Self-study: 25 hrs. Assignments during the semester: 30 hrs. Preparation for the oral test: 40 hrs.	

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 24

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
58.33	12.5	29.17	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Lauková, PhD.

Last changed: 11.11.2021

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-144 | **Course name:** German Note-taking 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Students have the right for one resit of the final oral exam.
a) continuous assessment:
assignments during the semester: 0 – 20 points continual examination (interpreting): 0 – 30 points
b) final assessment:
oral exam: 0 – 50 points altogether for all parts (assignments during the semester, continual examination and the oral exam): 0 – 100 points

Learning objectives:
Students will be able to utilise note-taking in consecutive interpreting in practice and will create their own note-taking system comprising of symbols, signs and abbreviations.

Brief outline of the course:
The cycle of practically oriented interpreting seminars will focus on various forms of note-taking by means of specific symbols, signs, abbreviations, etc., in real communicative situations with the focus on empirical text analysis with the aim to note down keywords (e. g. interpreting at scientific conferences, congresses, official and unofficial events, festivals, negotiations, company meetings and in atypical environments, situations, etc.).

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
150 hours, of which:
combined studies (S, C): 55 hours
self-study: 25 hours
assignments during the course of a semester: 30 hours
preparation for an exam: 40 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 11

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
72.73	9.09	18.18	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-101	**Course name:** German Specialised Translation 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 52
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions:
In the course of the semester students:
1. Will produce a translation of a specialised text from German into Slovak.
2. Will produce a translation of a specialised text from Slovak into German with commentary.
Credits will not be assigned to the students who acquired less than 32.5 points from either of the translations (65% of the required level for translation).
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continual and final assessments:
translation of a specialised text from German into Slovak: 0 – 50 points
translation of a specialised text from Slovak into German with a commentary: 0 – 50 points

Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students will be able to:
1. demonstrate theoretical knowledge about the translation of specialised texts,
2. apply acquired knowledge in the translation of specialised texts,
3. analyse and interpret specialised texts,
4. consider translation problems and propose adequate solutions,
5. work with parallel texts,
6. do background research, to create terminological databases, to utilise various types of translation tools.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
The aim of the course is to teach and improve translation skills and to apply the acquired competences.
The course focuses on specialised texts as the basis and goal of the translator's work in the context of linguistics and translation studies. It goes from the characteristics of specialised texts with emphasis on the lexical level of specialised texts and characteristics of terms, mainly from the examples in German and Slovak language. From the aspect of translation studies emphasis is put on the typology

of specialised texts, translation analysis, equivalence in translation and translation procedures with solving translation problems. The main focus is on the translation of specialised texts from the fields of economy and technology.

Recommended literature:

1. GROMOVÁ, Edita. 1996. Interpretácia v procese prekladu. Nitra : Vysoká škola pedagogická Nitra, Fakulta humanitných vied, 1996.
2. GROMOVÁ, Edita. 2003. Teória a didaktika prekladu. Nitra : Univerzita Konštantína Filozofa v Nitre, Filozofická fakulta, 2003.
3. KADRIĆ, Mira – KAINDL, Klaus – KAISER-COOKE, Michèle. 2010. Translatorische Methodik. Wien : Facultas Verlags- und Buchhandels AG, 2010.
4.KOLLER, Werner. 2004. Einführung in die Übersetzungswissenschaft. Wiebelsheim : Quelle & Meyer Verlag GmbH & Co., 2004.
5. NORD, Christiane. 2009. Textanalyse und Übersetzen. Theoretische Grundlagen, Methode und didaktische Anwendung einer übersetzungs-relevanten Textanalyse. Tübingen : Julius Groos Verlag, 2009.
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7.RESCH, Renate. 2006. Translatorische Textkompetenz. Frankfurt am Main : Peter Lang Verlag, 2006.
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Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Notes:
student workload: 150 hrs.
combined studies (S, C): 26 hrs.
self-study: 24 hrs.
theoretical preparation for the production of translations: 40 hrs.
producing translations and writing a commentary: 60 hrs.

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 35

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
45.71	11.43	40.0	2.86	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Alena Ďuricová, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-106	**Course name:** German Specialised Translation 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 52
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions:
In the course of the semester students:
1. Will produce a translation of a specialised text from German into Slovak.
2. Will produce a translation of a specialised text from Slovak into German with commentary.
Credits will not be assigned to the students who acquired less than 32.5 points from either of the translations (65% of the required level for translation).
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continual and final assessments:
translation of a specialised text from German into Slovak: 0 – 50 points
translation of a specialised text from Slovak into German with a commentary: 0 – 50 points

Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students will be able:
1. to demonstrate theoretical knowledge about the translation of specialised texts,
2. to apply acquired knowledge in the translation of specialised texts,
3. to analyse and interpret specialised texts,
4. to consider translation problems and propose adequate solutions,
5. to work with parallel texts,
6. to do background research, to create terminological databases, to utilise various types of translation tools.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
The aim of the course is to teach and improve translation skills and to apply acquired competences. The course focuses on specialised texts as the basis and goal of the translator's work in the context of linguistics and translation studies. It goes from the characteristics of specialised texts with emphasis on the lexical level of specialised texts and characteristics of terms, mainly from examples in the German and Slovak language. From the aspect of translation studies emphasis is put on the typology of specialised texts, translation analysis, equivalence in translation and translation procedures in

the solving of translation problems. The main focus is on the translation of specialised texts from the fields of law and technology.

Recommended literature:

Odporúčaná literatúra:
1. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2003. Morfologicko-syntaktické a textové aspekty nemeckého právneho jazyka. Univerzita Mateja Bela, Fakulta humanitných vied, Banská Bystrica, 2003.
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Hartwig – Schippel, Larisa (Hrsg.) : TransÜD. Arbeiten zur Theorie und Praxis des Übersetzens und Dolmetschen. Translation zwischen Text und Welt – Translationswissenschaft als historische Disziplin zwischen Moderne und Zukunft. Bd. 20, Berlin : Franck & Timme, 2009, s. 423 – 436.
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Ďuricová, A. (edit.): Od textu k prekladu II. Praha : JTP, 2008, s. 30 – 36.
4. Ďuricová, Alena.2016. Preklad právnych textov. Teória, prax, konvencie, normy. Banská Bystrica: Belianum. 2016.
5. GROMOVÁ, Edita. 2003. Teória a didaktika prekladu. Nitra : Univerzita Konštantína Filozofa v Nitre, Filozofická fakulta, 2003.
6. KADRIĆ, Mira – KAINDL, Klaus – KAISER-COOKE, Michèle. 2010. Translatorische Methodik. Wien : Facultas Verlags- und Buchhandels AG, 2010.
7. KOLLER, Werner. 2004. Einführung in die Übersetzungswissenschaft. Wiebelsheim : Quelle & Meyer Verlag GmbH & Co., 2004.
8. MÜGLOVÁ, Daniela. 2009. Komunikácia, tlmočenie, preklad alebo Prečo spadla Babylonská veža? Bratislava : ENIGMA PUBLISHING, s.r.o., 2009.
9. NORD, Christiane. 2009. Textanalyse und Übersetzen. Theoretische Grundlagen, Methode und didaktische Anwendung einer übersetzungs-relevanten Textanalyse. Tübingen : Julius Groos Verlag, 2009.
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Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
Notes:
student workload: 150 hrs.
combined studies (S, C): 52 hrs.
self-study:
theoretical preparation for the production of translations: 38 hrs.
producing translations and writing a commentary: 60 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 32

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
59.38	25.0	6.25	9.38	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Alena Ďuricová, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-lit-109	**Course name:** Intercultural Communication GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.

Learning objectives:
Students will
1. acquire needed theoretical knowledge about intercultural communication with accent on Slovak cultural standards, cultural standards of German-speaking countries as well as cultural standards of societies, in which they may come across in their career,
2. be able to use the acquired knowledge to analyse and assess behaviour and actions of specific communicants in appropriate real-life simulation of various situations,
3. be able to use acquired knowledge from simulated situations' and assessment of new communication situations.

Brief outline of the course:
Students will acquire knowledge and practical skills from intercultural communication mainly in the social German and Slovak business environment and in other social institutions. Students will be led to believe, that the preconditions of effective (successful) intercultural communication is: a) adherence to assimilation/accommodation principle of proportion by all participating communication partners, b) mutual respect of cultural standards of all communication partners. They will be able to transform acquired knowledge into communication skills through simulation of natural communication situations, their path and its analysis.

Recommended literature:
1. Broszinski-Schwabe, E.:Interkulturelle Kommunikation. Missverständnisse und Verständigung, 2. Auflage. Wiesbaden: Springer VS 2017.
2. Dobrík, Z.: Mensch in den Kulturen, Kulturen im Menschen. Banská Bystrica: Belianum 2015.
3. Heringer, J. Interkulturelle Kompetenz. Ein Arbeitsbuch mit interaktiver CD und Lösungsvorschlägen. Tübingen und Basel : A. Francke UTB 2012.
4. Lüsebrink, H.: Interkulturelle Kommunikation. Interaktion, Fremdwahrnehmung, Kulturtransfer. 4. Auflage. Stuttgart: J. B. Metzler 2016.
5. Nákonečný, M..: Sociální psychologie. Praha : Academia 2009.
6. Nový, I. – Schroll-Machl, S.: Spolupráce přes hranice kultur. Praha : Mangement

Press, 2003.
7. Nový, I. – Schroll-Machl, S.: Interkultúrní komunikace v řízení a podnikání. Praha : Mangement Press, 2003.
7. Průcha, J.: Interkulturní psychologie. Praha : Portál 2004.
8. Schroll-Machl, S. – Nový, I. –. : Perfekt geplant oder genial improvisiert? Kulturunterschiede in der deutsch-tschechischen Zusammenarbeit. Mering : Hampp 2000.
9. Wierlacher, A. – Bogner, A.: Interkulturelle Germanistik. Stuttgart : J. B. Metzler

Language of instruction:
German language B2-C1, Slovak language

Notes:student time load:
Notes
120 hrs, of which:
combined study (l, s, c): 26 hrs
written test preparation: 47 hrs
final paper preparation: 47 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 6

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
83.33	0.0	16.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PaedDr. Zdenko Dobrík, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-kom-138 | **Course name:** International Certificate of German Language

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) continuous assessment:
active participation in seminars: 0–30 p. Written test: 0–30 p.
b) final assessment:
Written and oral test: 0–40 p.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

Learning objectives:
The student can read and listen with comprehension, speak fluently, write, and actively participate in a conversation about general topics on the respective CEFR level (A1–C2).

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar focuses on improving language skills in the four basic areas (reading and listening comprehension, writing, speaking). The goal is to prepare the student for an international language certificate exam proving their German language skills on the respective CEFR level (A1–C2).

Recommended literature:
HELBIG, G. - BUSCHA, J. Übungsgrammatik Deutsch. Langenscheidt, 1992. ISBN 3-324-00379-2
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Language of instruction:
German A1 - C2

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 8

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-102 | **Course name:** Interpreting GE 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 52
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
A student has the right for one resit of a final oral exam.
a) continuous assessment:
continuous assessment:
assignment during the course of a semester: 0-20 points
mid-term oral exam: 0 – 30 points
b) final assessment:
b) final assessment:
oral exam: 0-50 points, for all parts together (oral exam) 0 – 100 points

Learning objectives:
Acquiring of basic skills within a comprehensive translational competence, strengthening short and long term memory, simulate real consecutive and simultaneous interpreting situations, emergencies during interpreting decision-making, notation record and verbal quick oral, expression in bicultural communication situation

Brief outline of the course:
Seminars include language demanding communiqués and when the variability of communicational conditions are increased. Content difficulty of communiqués, at which is fully applied student's linguistic-cultural knowledge base, is increased as well. Exercises in seminars fill the gaps in the base and continue to extend and differentiate the mental lexicon of a student. Interpreting seminars create the conditions for improving the text memory of a student, include variably segmented communiqués, which represent varying degrees of memory load and optimally are getting closer to real standard consecutive and simultaneous interpretation.

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
150 hours, of which:
combined studies (S, C): 55 hours
self-study: 25 hours
assignments during the course of a semester: 30 hours
preparation for an exam: 40 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 35

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
34.29	20.0	34.29	11.43	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., Mgr. Jana Lauková, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-002	**Course name:** Interpreting Praxeology

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The grade depends on the student's active participation and completion of the final assignment as instructed (test or final paper or portfolio or discussion or micro-presentations etc.).

Learning objectives:
Upon completion of the course, the student
– understands the relevant aspects of their future occupation
– they can reflect on partial problems with erudition and in the appropriate contexts
– they can link theoretical knowledge to empiricism holistically

Brief outline of the course:
In terms of translation studies, interpreting praxeology is a practically oriented course. Its goal is to help students navigate the (supralinguistic) strategic, professional, and economic contexts of interpreting as a job (and related occupations). It addresses the cooperation with agencies and quality managers, freelancing, life-long learning, membership in professional organisations, and interpreting etiquette. The course topics include intercultural, intracultural, and transcultural competences, communication expectations, qualifications, expertise, professionalism. Topics such as community interpreting, public service interpreting, and asylum procedure interpreting are an integral part of this course. The specificities of interpreting as a job are addressed in specific contexts: conference interpreting, interpreting in public institutions, media interpreting, interpreting in politics and diplomacy, interpreting in conflict zones (military interpreting), remote interpreting via the Internet or telephone, court and sworn (legal) interpreting , sign language interpreting, hybrid forms – overlapping simultaneous and consecutive interpreting, interpreting music, subtitling, dubbing.

Recommended literature:
BALOGH, Katalin, Salaets, Heidi. 2015. Children and justice: overcoming language barriers Cooperation in interpreter-mediated questioning of minors. Cambridge, Antwerp, Portland: Intersentia.
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MAKAROVÁ, Viera. 2004. Tlmočenie: hraničná oblasť medzi vedou, skúsenosťou a umením možného. Bratislava: STIMUL.
OPALKOVÁ, Jarmila. 2013. Komunitné tlmočenie. Prešov: Filozofická fakulta Prešovskej univerzity v Prešove.
OSOBITOSTI tlmočenia v azylovom konaní, etický kódex_online brožúrka. https://www.ff.umb.sk/zbohusova/praxeologia-prekladu-a-tlmocenia-1-tlmocenie.html
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Language of instruction:
Slovak and others

Notes:student time load:
120 h.
combined study (L, S, C): 26 h.
Self-study, studying for the exam: 84 h.
Research, completion of assignments, preparation of the presentation: 10 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 156

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
60.9	16.03	10.26	5.77	5.77	0.64	0.64	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD.

Last changed: 21.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-103 | **Course name:** Interpreting Seminar GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
In the course of a semester students prepare a presentation on a given topic. After the end of a semester, students will take an oral exam focused on the evaluation of interpreting competence in the language pair German - Slovak. Credits are not assigned to a student who acquired less than 32.5 points for a final oral exam. Students have the right for one resit of the final oral exam.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continuous assessment:
written mid-term test: 0 – 50 points
b) final assessment:
final oral exam: 0 – 50 points

Learning objectives:
Students will acquire basic oral translational competence. Students will actively learn the basics practical skills in consecutive and simultaneous interpreting in the language pair German - Slovak. They will be able to adequately prepare for interpreting of a given communiqué and provide an individual interpreting performance at the required level.

Brief outline of the course:
The system of exercises in consecutive and simultaneous interpreting is focused on developing of skills and habits in apperception of segment produced communiqués and presentation of segments in the target language. Exercises include reciprocal interpreting: Slovak - German, German- Slovak and they are in progress with the gradual gradation of linguistic complexity of the texts, speech rate and the severity of the interpreting conditions. Texts are not specified in this stage of training, training proceeds as a general preparation for interpreting practice.

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
150 hours, of which:
combined studies (S, C): 55 hours
self-study: 50 hours

assignment in course of a semester: 45 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 18

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
38.89	22.22	27.78	5.56	5.56	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Lauková, PhD.

Last changed: 11.11.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajs-304 | **Course name:** Irish Language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The students will take part in a preliminary assessment (a test). After the semester students will take part in the final written exam. The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions. Credits will not be assigned to the student who
will fail to submit the preliminary test during semester or gaining less than 10 points, being a part of prelimary assessment. The student has the right to resit the preliminary test and one resit of the final written exam. The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading
scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%)

Learning objectives:
Irish Language will explore basic conversational Irish phrases, common vocabulary, as well as basic grammar and phonology so as to enable students to form and correctly pronounce grammatical sentences with independently-learned vocabulary.
Irish Language 1 aims to give students;
- an ability to read and pronounce Irish as pronounced by native Irish-speakers
- a knowledge of the International Phonetic Alphabet as applied to Irish
- a knowledge of basic Irish vocabulary
- a knowlede of basic Irish grammar and grammatical terminology
- an ability to form basic grammatical sentences involving various parts of speech (prepositions, pronouns, nouns, adjectives, verbs, adverbs, etc.)

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
Irish dictionaries;
- https://www.teanglann.ie/en/fgb/
- https://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/Category:Irish_lemmas
- Dineen's Dictionary (pre-standardised spelling) - http://www.scriobh.ie/page.aspx?id=26&l=2
General Irish-language resources;
- http://nualeargais.ie/foghlaim/
- Bibliography of Irish Linguistics and Literature; https://bill.celt.dias.ie/vol4/index2.html
Irish grammar;

- http://nualeargais.ie/gnag/gram.htm
- Graiméar na Gaedhilge (1906) - https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Graim%C3%A9ar_na_Gaedhilge
Resources for Munster Irish;
- Myles Dillon & Donncha Ó Cróinín; 1961, Teach Yourself Irish (https://ia801608.us.archive.org/34/items/TeachYourselfIrish/TYI1961.pdf)
(in French)
- Marie-Louise Sjoestedt-Jonval; 1931, Phonétique d'un parler irlandais de Kerry https://fr.wikisource.org/wiki/Phon%C3%A9tique_d%E2%80%99un_parler_irlandais_de_Kerry
- Marie-Louise Sjoedest-Jonval; 1938, Description de un parler irlandais de Kerry https://fr.wikisource.org/wiki/Description_d%E2%80%99un_parler_irlandais_de_Kerry
Irish-language History;
- Doyle, Aidan; 2015, A History of the Irish Language: From the Norman Invasion to Independence. Oxford.
- The Story of English (effect on Irish language) – Episode 8 "The Loaded Weapon" (in 7 parts) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsOduU-20qk&list=PL1DAC7C41112A9B3E
Authors of Munster Irish;
"The Blasket-Island Writers"; Tomás Ó Criomhthain, Muiris Ó Súilleabháin, Peig Sayers https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DM166JoI-Us - Oileán Eile ("Another Island")
- Tomás Ó Criomhthain; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Tom%C3%A1s_%C3%93_Criomhthain
An t-Oileánach ("The Islandman")
- Muiris Ó Súilleabháin;
Fiche Blia[dha]n ag Fás ("Twenty Years a-Growing")
- Peig Sayers;
Peig – A Scéal Féin (Peg – Her Own Story)
Machtnamh Seanamhná (The Reflections of an Old Woman)
- Peadar Ua Laoghaire; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Peadar_Ua_Laoghaire
Mo Sgéal Féin ("My Own Story");
https://wikisource.org/wiki/Mo_Sg%C3%A9al_F%C3%A9in (with audio of native speaker)
Irish-Language Media;
- Raidio na Gaeltachta, https://www.rte.ie/rnag/
- TG4, https://www.tg4.ie/ga/
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Ó TUATHAIGH, G. 1988. The Celts II. In: BBC, The People of Ireland. Dublin: The Appletree Press, 1988. pp. 40-54. ISBN 0-86281-198-8.
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SLATINSKÁ, A. 2014. Irish language as a part of cultural identity of the Irish.
In European journal of social and human sciences. - Banská Bystrica : Univerzita Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici, Filozofická fakulta, 2014. - ISSN 1339-6773. - Vol. 3, no. 3 (2014), pp.151-155.

Language of instruction:
English Language B2

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 8

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
62.5	0.0	37.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Anna Slatinská, PhD., univ. doc., M.A. James Ó Conaill

Last changed: 29.04.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajs-314 | **Course name:** Irish Language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The students will take part in a preliminary assessment (a test). After the semester students will take part in the final written exam. The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions. Credits will not be assigned to the student who
will fail to submit the preliminary test during semester or gaining less than 10 points, being a part of prelimary assessment. The student has the right to resit the preliminary test and one resit of the final written exam. The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading
scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%)

Learning objectives:
Irish Language will explore basic conversational Irish phrases, common vocabulary, as well as basic grammar and phonology so as to enable students to form and correctly pronounce grammatical sentences with independently-learned vocabulary.
Irish Language 1 aims to give students;
- an ability to read and pronounce Irish as pronounced by native Irish-speakers
- a knowledge of the International Phonetic Alphabet as applied to Irish
- a knowledge of basic Irish vocabulary
- a knowlede of basic Irish grammar and grammatical terminology
- an ability to form basic grammatical sentences involving various parts of speech (prepositions, pronouns, nouns, adjectives, verbs, adverbs, etc.)

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
Irish dictionaries;
- https://www.teanglann.ie/en/fgb/
- https://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/Category:Irish_lemmas
- Dineen's Dictionary (pre-standardised spelling) - http://www.scriobh.ie/page.aspx?id=26&l=2
General Irish-language resources;
- http://nualeargais.ie/foghlaim/
- Bibliography of Irish Linguistics and Literature; https://bill.celt.dias.ie/vol4/index2.html
Irish grammar;

- http://nualeargais.ie/gnag/gram.htm
- Graiméar na Gaedhilge (1906) - https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Graim%C3%A9ar_na_Gaedhilge
Resources for Munster Irish;
- Myles Dillon & Donncha Ó Cróinín; 1961, Teach Yourself Irish (https://ia801608.us.archive.org/34/items/TeachYourselfIrish/TYI1961.pdf)
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- Marie-Louise Sjoestedt-Jonval; 1931, Phonétique d'un parler irlandais de Kerry https://fr.wikisource.org/wiki/Phon%C3%A9tique_d%E2%80%99un_parler_irlandais_de_Kerry
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Irish-language History;
- Doyle, Aidan; 2015, A History of the Irish Language: From the Norman Invasion to Independence. Oxford.
- The Story of English (effect on Irish language) – Episode 8 "The Loaded Weapon" (in 7 parts) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsOduU-20qk&list=PL1DAC7C41112A9B3E
Authors of Munster Irish;
"The Blasket-Island Writers"; Tomás Ó Criomhthain, Muiris Ó Súilleabháin, Peig Sayers https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DM166JoI-Us - Oileán Eile ("Another Island")
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An t-Oileánach ("The Islandman")
- Muiris Ó Súilleabháin;
Fiche Blia[dha]n ag Fás ("Twenty Years a-Growing")
- Peig Sayers;
Peig – A Scéal Féin (Peg – Her Own Story)
Machtnamh Seanamhná (The Reflections of an Old Woman)
- Peadar Ua Laoghaire; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Peadar_Ua_Laoghaire
Mo Sgéal Féin ("My Own Story");
https://wikisource.org/wiki/Mo_Sg%C3%A9al_F%C3%A9in (with audio of native speaker)
Irish-Language Media;
- Raidio na Gaeltachta, https://www.rte.ie/rnag/
- TG4, https://www.tg4.ie/ga/
BILOVESKÝ, V. 2012. Globalizácia ako negatívum rozvoja. In: Studia russico-slovaca 1. Ružomberok : UC Rosenbergensis. s. 119 – 122. ISBN 978-8080-8497-02.
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Language of instruction:
English Language B2

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Anna Slatinská, PhD., univ. doc., M.A. James Ó Conaill

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajs-308 | **Course name:** Irish Language 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The students will take part in a preliminary assessment (a test). After the semester students will take part in the final written exam. The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions. Credits will not be assigned to the student who
will fail to submit the preliminary test during semester or gaining less than 10 points, being a part of prelimary assessment. The student has the right to resit the preliminary test and one resit of the final written exam. The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading
scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%)

Learning objectives:
Irish Language
Irish Language will explore basic conversational Irish phrases, common vocabulary, as well as basic grammar and phonology so as to enable students to form and correctly pronounce grammatical sentences with independently-learned vocabulary.
Irish Language 1 aims to give students;
- an ability to read and pronounce Irish as pronounced by native Irish-speakers
- a knowledge of the International Phonetic Alphabet as applied to Irish
- a knowledge of basic Irish vocabulary
- a knowlede of basic Irish grammar and grammatical terminology
- an ability to form basic grammatical sentences involving various parts of speech (prepositions, pronouns, nouns, adjectives, verbs, adverbs, etc.)
-is able to make simple dialogues and communicate on basic topics such as family, food, travelling.

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
General Irish-language resources;
- http://nualeargais.ie/foghlaim/
- Bibliography of Irish Linguistics and Literature; https://bill.celt.dias.ie/vol4/index2.html
Irish grammar;
- http://nualeargais.ie/gnag/gram.htm

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Resources for Munster Irish;
- Myles Dillon & Donncha Ó Cróinín; 1961, Teach Yourself Irish (https://ia801608.us.archive.org/34/items/TeachYourselfIrish/TYI1961.pdf)
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Irish-language History;
- Doyle, Aidan; 2015, A History of the Irish Language: From the Norman Invasion to Independence. Oxford.
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Authors of Munster Irish;
"The Blasket-Island Writers"; Tomás Ó Criomhthain, Muiris Ó Súilleabháin, Peig Sayers https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DM166JoI-Us - Oileán Eile ("Another Island")
- Tomás Ó Criomhthain; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Tom%C3%A1s_%C3%93_Criomhthain
An t-Oileánach ("The Islandman")
- Muiris Ó Súilleabháin;
Fiche Blia[dha]n ag Fás ("Twenty Years a-Growing")
- Peig Sayers;
Peig – A Scéal Féin (Peg – Her Own Story)
Machtnamh Seanamhná (The Reflections of an Old Woman)
- Peadar Ua Laoghaire; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Peadar_Ua_Laoghaire
Mo Sgéal Féin ("My Own Story");
https://wikisource.org/wiki/Mo_Sg%C3%A9al_F%C3%A9in (with audio of native speaker)
Irish-Language Media;
- Raidio na Gaeltachta, https://www.rte.ie/rnag/
- TG4, https://www.tg4.ie/ga/
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Language of instruction:
English Language B2

Notes:student time load:
Student workload: 90 hrs
seminar course (S): 13 hrs
preliminary test preparation: 37 hrs
study for the final written test: 40 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Anna Slatinská, PhD., univ. doc., M.A. James Ó Conaill

Last changed: 29.04.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajs-306 | **Course name:** Irish Language 3

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The students will take part in a preliminary assessment (a test). After the semester students will take part in the final written exam. The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions. Credits will not be assigned to the student who
will fail to submit the preliminary test during semester or gaining less than 10 points, being a part of prelimary assessment. The student has the right to resit the preliminary test and one resit of the final written exam. The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading
scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%)

Learning objectives:
Irish Language 1 aims to give students;
- an ability to read and pronounce Irish as pronounced by native Irish-speakers
- a knowledge of the International Phonetic Alphabet as applied to Irish
- a knowledge of basic Irish vocabulary
- a knowlede of basic Irish grammar and grammatical terminology
- an ability to form basic grammatical sentences involving various parts of speech (prepositions, pronouns, nouns, adjectives, verbs, adverbs, etc.)
-is able to make simple dialogues and communicate on basic topics such as family, food, travelling.
-enhances listening and reading skills on pre-intermediate level

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
Irish dictionaries;
- https://www.teanglann.ie/en/fgb/
- https://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/Category:Irish_lemmas
- Dineen’s Dictionary (pre-standardised spelling) - http://www.scriobh.ie/page.aspx?id=26&l=2
General Irish-language resources;
- http://nualeargais.ie/foghlaim/
- Bibliography of Irish Linguistics and Literature; https://bill.celt.dias.ie/vol4/index2.html
Irish grammar;
- http://nualeargais.ie/gnag/gram.htm

- Graiméar na Gaedhilge (1906) - https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Graim%C3%A9ar_na_Gaedhilge
Resources for Munster Irish;
- Myles Dillon & Donncha Ó Cróinín; 1961, Teach Yourself Irish (https://ia801608.us.archive.org/34/items/TeachYourselfIrish/TYI1961.pdf)
(in French)
- Marie-Louise Sjoestedt-Jonval; 1931, Phonétique d'un parler irlandais de Kerry https://fr.wikisource.org/wiki/Phon%C3%A9tique_d%E2%80%99un_parler_irlandais_de_Kerry
- Marie-Louise Sjoedest-Jonval; 1938, Description de un parler irlandais de Kerry https://fr.wikisource.org/wiki/Description_d%E2%80%99un_parler_irlandais_de_Kerry
Irish-language History;
- Doyle, Aidan; 2015, A History of the Irish Language: From the Norman Invasion to Independence. Oxford.
- The Story of English (effect on Irish language) – Episode 8 "The Loaded Weapon" (in 7 parts) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsOduU-20qk&list=PL1DAC7C41112A9B3E
Authors of Munster Irish;
"The Blasket-Island Writers"; Tomás Ó Criomhthain, Muiris Ó Súilleabháin, Peig Sayers https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DM166JoI-Us - Oileán Eile ("Another Island")
- Tomás Ó Criomhthain; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Tom%C3%A1s_%C3%93_Criomhthain
An t-Oileánach ("The Islandman")
- Muiris Ó Súilleabháin;
Fiche Blia[dha]n ag Fás ("Twenty Years a-Growing")
- Peig Sayers;
Peig – A Scéal Féin (Peg – Her Own Story)
Machtnamh Seanamhná (The Reflections of an Old Woman)
- Peadar Ua Laoghaire; https://wikisource.org/wiki/Author:Peadar_Ua_Laoghaire
Mo Sgéal Féin ("My Own Story");
https://wikisource.org/wiki/Mo_Sg%C3%A9al_F%C3%A9in (with audio of native speaker)
Irish-Language Media;
- Raidio na Gaeltachta, https://www.rte.ie/rnag/
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BILOVESKÝ, V. 2012. Globalizácia ako negatívum rozvoja. In: Studia russico-slovaca 1. Ružomberok : UC Rosenbergensis. s. 119 – 122. ISBN 978-8080-8497-02.
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Language of instruction:
English Language B2

Notes:student time load:
Student workload: 90 hrs
seminar course (S): 13 hrs
preliminary test preparation: 37 hrs
study for the final written test: 40 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Anna Slatinská, PhD., univ. doc., M.A. James Ó Conaill

Last changed: 29.04.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-140	**Course name:** Language Seminar

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The assessment is carried out according to a grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86 - 80 %), D (79 - 73 %), E (72 - 65 %). Credits will be awarded to the student who fullfills the specified prerequisites with a score of at least 65% out of 100%.
a) continuous assessment:
active participation in the seminar: 0 - 50 points
b) final assessment:
oral exam: 50 points

Learning objectives:
The student consolidates individual linguistic devices (grammatical, lexical and stylistic), will be able to work independently within his/her specialisation (oral and written expression, work with text, writing own texts). The course focuses on the development of individual language skills and on deepening knowledge in the area of linguistic skills.

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar is a combination of language and conversation seminar. It consists of work in pair and group work, presentation of information obtained and processed from authentic sources in front of the class, work with foreign language press. A system of grammatical, communicative exercises and authentic texts is used, reinforcing associations between linguistic forms and their meanings.

Recommended literature:
BUSCHA, A. Erkundungen Deutsch als Fremdsprache. Kompakt B2. Leipzig: Schubert Verlag, 2010.
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KANISOVÁ, Z. - RICHTER, M. Sprache im Alltag. Ein Konversationsbuch für Fortgeschrittene. Bratislava: Remedium, 2005.
http://www.schubert-verlag.de/aufgaben/uebungen_a1/a1_uebungen_index_z.htm (online exercises for vocabulary and grammar, levels B2 - C1)

Language of instruction:
German B2 - C1

Notes:student time load:

Student time workload: 90 hrs.
Combined study (S, C): 26 hrs.
Continuous preparation for seminars: 32 hrs..
Preparation for the final oral exam: 32 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 1

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Palina Lissitsyna

Last changed: 30.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-143 | **Course name:** Legal Texts and Law – An Interdisciplinary Approach

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester:
- completion of the assignments and their presentation
- seminar paper preparation.
If a student fails to complete all tasks or fails to achieve min. 65 points for the seminar paper, they will not be assigned the credits.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
If the student fails to achieve min. 65 points for the seminar paper, they have the right to one resit.
a) continuous assessment: Seminar paper: 0–100 p.
a) continuous assessment:
seminar paper: 0–100 p.

Learning objectives:
The student
1. can characterise the concepts of specialised text and specialised language(s)
2. can explain their specificities based on a specific text analysis
3. understands the properties and peculiarities of the legal language
4. can systematically analyse specialised legal texts with the emphasis on their morphological, syntactic, and lexical levels as well as the contrastive specificities of the German-Slovak language pair
5. knows the basic terminology in the selected areas of law
6. can apply this terminological knowledge in legal translation
7. can use parallel texts and create terminological glossaries.

Brief outline of the course:
This course focuses on the legal language and legal texts, specifically their properties and peculiarities. their linguistic and translation analysis and interpretation with the emphasis on the lexical aspects. It involves terminological comparisons, work with parallel texts, terminological glossary creation (from the selected areas of law), and training the use of correct terms in specific contexts.

Recommended literature:

1. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2003. Morfologicko-syntaktické a textové aspekty nemeckého právneho jazyka. Univerzita Mateja Bela, Fakulta humanitných vied, Banská Bystrica, 2003.
2. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2009. Rechtstext als Objekt der Tätigkeit des Übersetzers. In: Kalverkämper,
Hartwig – Schippel, Larisa (Hrsg.) : TransÜD. Arbeiten zur Theorie und Praxis des Übersetzens und Dolmetschen. Translation zwischen Text und Welt – Translationswissenschaft als historische Disziplin zwischen Moderne und Zukunft. Bd. 20, Berlin : Franck & Timme, 2009.
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Verlag, 1996.
7. HILDEBRAND, Tina. 2017. Juristischer Gutachtenstil. Ein Lehr- und Arbeitsbuch. Tübingen: Francke
Verlag, 2017.
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12. NORD, Christiane. 2009. Textanalyse und Übersetzen. Theoretische Grundlagen, Methode und didaktische Anwendung einer übersetzungs-relevanten Textanalyse. Tübingen : Julius Groos Verlag, 2009.
13. SIMONNÆS, Ingrid. 2012. Rechtskommunikation national und international im Spannungsfeld von hermeneutik, Kognition und Pragmatik. Berlin: Frank & Timme, 2012.
14. SIMONNÆS, Ingrid. 2015. Basiswissen deutsches Recht für Übersetzer. Mit Übersetzungsübungen und Verständnisfragen. Berlin: Frank & Timme, 2015.
15. STOLZE, Radegundis. 2009. Fachübersetzen – Ein Lehrbuch für Theorie und Praxis. Berlin : Franck & Timme, 2009.
16. VAJÍČKOVÁ, Mária/ ĎURICOVÁ, Alena/ KOSTELNÍKOVÁ, Mária
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17. WREDE, Oľga. 2020: Theoretisch-pragmatische Reflexionen zur internationalen Übersetzung ausgewählter Textsorten des Strafprozessrechts. Hamburg: Verlag Dr. Kovač, 2020.
18. Wissik, Tanja. 2014. Terminologische Variation in der Rechts- und Verwaltungssprache. Deutschland – Österreich – Schweiz.Berlin: Frank & Time, 2014.

Language of instruction:

German B2–C1, Slovak

Notes:student time load:
student time load: 150 hours.
Combined study (S, consulting) – 26 h.
Seminar preparation: 39 h.
Self-study of the theory and working with parallel texts: 50 h.
Seminar paper: 35 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 8

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
87.5	0.0	12.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Alena Ďuricová, PhD., Mgr. Jana Lauková, PhD., Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-LMT-123 | **Course name:** Limits of intimacy: on responsible relationships

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Practical / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 654

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97.09	2.91	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Lívia Nemcová, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Lenka Rovňanová, PhD.

Last changed: 22.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-105 | **Course name:** Linguistic Basics of Translation GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has the right to one resit and one revision of the seminar paper.
a) continuous assessment:
assignments given during the semester: 0-20 points
translations: 0-30 points
b) final assessment:
seminar paper: 0-50 points
In total: 0-100 points

Learning objectives:
Students will apply the acquired theoretical knowledge about translation theory in practice and they will be able to eruditely analyse the translation problems.

Brief outline of the course:
Thematic units:
1. The role of linguistics in the history of translation theories,
2. System linguistics and translation theory,
3. Text linguistics and translation theory,
4. Stylistics and translation theory,
5. Linguistic pragmatics and theory,
6. Interlingual equivalence,
7. Contrastive linguistics of translation theory,
8. Translation problems from a linguistic point of view,
9. Linguistic knowledge base of translation,
10. Linguistics and language intuition in relation to translating.
In this course, students will acquire knowledge needed for professional work with the translated messages and for a creative approach to translation. The acquired knowledge is an important component of professional translation competency.

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
Student time load: 150 hrs.

Combined studies (S, C): 55 hrs.
Preparation for the seminar (analysis of the translations, translations of specialized texts): 45 hrs.
Self-study: 50 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 25

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
60.0	24.0	16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Lauková, PhD., Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 11.11.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-113	**Course name:** Linguistic Seminar GE 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) active participation in seminars, elaboration of a set of tasks and exercises, study of selected texts of recommended literature
b) passing a final written test
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in seminars, elaboration of a complex of tasks and exercises
b) final assessment:
Based on continuous assessment, final written test and consideration of active participation in the seminar. The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final evaluation is 100. Credits will be awarded to a student who has obtained at least 65 out of 100 points for meeting the specified conditions.

Learning objectives:
The student is able to:
- use current linguistic theories and interpret linguistic phenomena in German,
- apply acquired knowledge from selected areas of linguistics in the practical use of language,
- assess the relevance and applicability of current theories and models in the analysis of linguistic phenomena.

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar integrates selected issues of German linguistics into the context of general linguistics. The focus is on the phenomena of systemic linguistics, pragmalinguistics and sociolinguistics, and cognitive linguistics. The seminar will convey the most important current theoretical findings and methodological approaches, with individual phenomena supported by selected examples from German and practiced using selected texts and tasks with an emphasis on the German-Slovak language pair.

Recommended literature:
1. AUER, Peter. 2017. Sprachwissenschaft. Grammatik - Interaktion - Kognition. Springer-Verlag, 467 s.
2. ERNST, Peter. 2011. Germanistische Sprachwissenschaft. Wien: Facultas WUV.
3. PITTNER, Karin. 2016. Einführung in die germanistische Linguistik. Darmstadt: Academic.
4. INEINCHEN, Gustav. 1991. Allgemeine Sprachtypologie. 2., aktualisierte und erweiterte Auflage. Darmstadt: Wissenschaftliche Buchgesellschaft.

5. ROELCKE, Thorsten. 1997. Sprachtypologie des Deutschen. Berlin/ New York: de Gruyter.
6. BUSCH, Albert, STENSCHKE, Oliver. 2018. Germanistische linguistik. Eine Einführung. Gunter Narr Verlag.

Language of instruction:
German B2 - C1

Notes:student time load:
150 hrs.
Combined studies (S, C): 26 hrs.
Reading the selected texts from the recommended literature: 64 hrs.
Preparation for the final written exam: 60 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 27

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
70.37	25.93	0.0	0.0	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 26.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-114 | **Course name:** Linguistic Seminar GE 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) active participation in seminars, elaboration of a set of tasks and exercises, study of selected texts of recommended literature
b) passing a final written test
a) continuous assessment:
Active participation in the seminar, elaboration of a set of tasks and exercises
b) final assessment:
Based on continuous assessment, final written test and consideration of active participation in the seminar. The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final evaluation is 100. Credits will be awarded to a student who has obtained at least 65 out of 100 points for meeting the specified conditions.

Learning objectives:
Students will be able to:
- use contemporary theories for interpretation of the data,
- include data of German language to the theoretical and methodical framework,
- apply contemporary theories and models of linguistics,
- judge the relevance and applicability of the contemporary theories and models for describing linguistic data,
- evaluate the suggestions for the analysis of German data,
- gain an overview about the theories and models of linguistic argumentation.

Brief outline of the course:
The seminar integrates selected issues of German linguistics into the context of general linguistics. The focus is on the phenomena of systemic linguistics, pragmalinguistics and sociolinguistics, and cognitive linguistics. The seminar will convey the most important current theoretical findings and methodological approaches, with individual phenomena supported by selected examples from German and practiced using selected texts and tasks with an emphasis on the German-Slovak language pair.

Recommended literature:
1. AUER, Peter. 2017. Sprachwissenschaft. Grammatik - Interaktion - Kognition. Springer-Verlag, 467 s.
2. ERNST, Peter. 2011. Germanistische Sprachwissenschaft. Wien: Facultas WUV.

3. PITTNER, Karin. 2016. Einführung in die germanistische Linguistik. Darmstadt: Academic.
4. INEINCHEN, Gustav. 1991. Allgemeine Sprachtypologie. 2., aktualisierte und erweiterte Auflage. Darmstadt: Wissenschaftliche Buchgesellschaft.
5. ROELCKE, Thorsten. 1997. Sprachtypologie des Deutschen. Berlin/ New York: de Gruyter.
6. BUSCH, Albert, STENSCHKE, Oliver. 2018. Germanistische linguistik. Eine Einführung. Gunter Narr Verlag.

Language of instruction:
German B2 - C1

Notes:student time load:
150 hrs.
Combined studies (S, C): 26 hrs.
Reading the selected texts from the recommended literature: 64 hrs.
Preparation for the final written exam: 60 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 19

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 25.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lit-145 | **Course name:** Literaly Translation Practice

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Throughout the semester, students work on assigned literary translation tasks. They subsequently select two shorter translations, which they submit during the semester, and one longer final translation, which they submit by the end of the semester. All translations must be submitted in their final form, following active discussion and self-revision during seminars. Each translation must be accompanied by comments explaining the translation strategies and solutions adopted. These comments are submitted together with the selected translations.
a) Continuous assessment:
- Submission of two translations of selected texts during the semester (50 points: 25 points + 25 points) – 50%.
b) Final assessment:
- Completion of the final translation, accompanied by comments explaining the translation solutions adopted (50 points) – 50%.
Assessment is based on the following grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%),
E (72–65%). Credits will be awarded to students who obtain a minimum of 65 out of 100 points.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. Is familiar with the creative process of literary translation and the specific characteristics of literary texts.
2. Acquires knowledge of the translation and editing of literary texts and is able to apply it in translation practice.
3. Is familiar with the specific aspects of literary text interpretation.
4. Is able to apply the acquired theoretical knowledge of translation theory and methodology, as well as knowledge of the culture and realia of German-speaking countries, when addressing specific translation problems.
5. Is able to justify the choice of specific translation solutions with regard to the genre and the author's distinctive style.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Fundamental theoretical approaches to literary translation.
2. Specific characteristics of translation and the core competencies of a translator.

3. The Slovak school of literary translation from German (translators from German into Slovak and Slovak authors translated into German).
4. Translation criticism.
5. Practical translation exercises involving literary texts across different genres.

Recommended literature:
POPOVIČ, A.: Teória umeleckého prekladu. Bratislava: SPN, 1989.
GROMOVÁ.: Interpretácia v procese prekladu. Nitra: 1996.
ANDRIČÍK, M.: K poetike umeleckého prekladu. Levoča: 2004.
KUSÁ, M.: Preklad literárnych textov: komunikácia medzi národmi, jazykmi a kultúrami. Bratislava: 2005.
PASSIA, R. – MAGOVÁ, G.: Deväť životov. Rozhovory o preklade a literárnom živote. Bratislava: 2015.
VOJTEK, J.: Úvod do organizácie redakčnej práce a redigovania. Bratislava: 2000.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, German (B2 - C1)

Notes:student time load:
Total Student Workload: 150 hours, distributed as follows:
Combined study (seminars and consultations): 26 hours
Independent study: 30 hours
Text translation, preparation of translation commentaries and self-revision: 94 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 1

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Paulína Šedíková Čuhová, PhD.

Last changed: 12.11.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-001 | **Course name:** Literary Translation (FR)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student completes several translation assignments. The student subsequently chooses two of them, edits them based on the analysis performed during seminars, and submits them for assessment – 50% of the final assessment).
Upon completion of the semester, the student submits their final translation including comments on their own translation strategies and solutions (drawing from the theoretical knowledge of translation methodology and criticism) – 50% of the final assessment.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 65 for completing the given requirements.

a) continuous assessment:
two (self-edited) translations submitted during the semester: 25% + 25%

b) final assessment:
final translation including comments submitted during the examination period: 50%

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. understands the specificities of literary texts, their interpretation and translation
2. can apply the theoretical knowledge of translation theory and methodology, contrastive linguistics, culture and institutions of France and French-speaking countries in practice to tackle specific translation problems
3. can justify their decision and evaluate the suitability of the selected equivalent in terms of the text genre and style as well as the intended reader.

Brief outline of the course:
1. The Slovak Translation School, translators from French, Slovak authors translated into French.
2. Literary translation: K. Bednárová, M. Jurovská, S. Vallo, B. Hečko. Interpretation in the translation process.
3. Characteristics of a quality literary translation. Translation in practice.
4. Training literary translation in practice (French to Slovak) with the focus on contemporary French authors.
5. Training literary translation in practice (Slovak to French) with the focus on Slovak prose published after 1990.

Recommended literature:

1. POPOVIČ, A: Teória umeleckého prekladu. Bratislava: SPN, 1989.
2. BEDNÁROVÁ, K. : Dejiny umeleckého prekladu na Slovensku I. : od sakrálneho k profánnemu. Bratislava : Veda : Ústav svetovej literatúry SAV, 2013.
3. BEDNÁROVÁ, K. : Rukoväť dejín prekladu na Slovensku II. (Situácia slovenského umeleckého prekladu v 20. storočí). Bratislava : Univerzita Komenského, 2015. (.pdf formát)
4. GROMOVÁ, E: Interpretácia v procese prekladu. Nitra: VŠ pedagogická,1996.
5. ANDRIČÍK, M: K poetike umeleckého prekladu. Levoča : Modrý Peter, 2004.
6. PASSIA, R. – MAGOVÁ, G. : Deväť životov. Rozhovory o preklade a literárnom živote. Bratislava: Kalligram, 2015.
7. LAŠ, M.: Kritika umeleckého prekladu na Slovensku včera a dnes. Banská Bystrica : Vydavateľstvo Univerzity Mateja Bela - Belianum, 2019.
8. časopisy: Kritika prekladu, Verzia.
9. CÉLINE, L.-F.: Cesta do hlbín noci. Bratislava: Agora, 2009, (translation: K. Bednárová).
10. VIAN, B.: L'Herbe rouge. / Červená tráva. Bratislava: Petrus, 2019, (translation: M. Jurovská).
11. QUENEAU, R.: Zazie v metre. Bratislava: Artforum, 2010, (translation: B. Hečko).

Language of instruction:
Slovak C2, French B2

Notes:student time load:
Student time load - Total: 150 h.
Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 26 h.
Completion of translation assignments: 53 h.
Self-editing of two translated texts: 26 h.
Final annotated translation: 45

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 22

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
40.91	36.36	22.73	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-003 | **Course name:** Modern Technology in Translation

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The final course grade is awarded based on the classification scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). If the student achieves at least 65/100 points, they are awarded the credits.
a) continuous assessment:
preparation of the presentation: 0–30, presentation: 0–30 p
b) final assessment:
written exam 0–10 p

Learning objectives:
The student
1) uses correct IT terminology,
2) navigates graphic formats, can open them and prepare for translation,
3) can use MS Excel, Word, and PowerPoint, mainly their functions relevant for translators, interpreters, and proofreaders,
4) can use specialised search commands as well as online databases, dictionaries, and contextual search – and critically evaluate the relevance of the results,
5) can appropriately communicate using e-mail and is aware of the etical dilemmas (e.g. sending documents via insecured channels)
6) navigates cloud-based solutions for translators including ethical dilemmas (third-party servers, confidential documents),
7) understands how OCR works,
9) understands how machine translation works and is aware of its pros and cons,
10) understands how CAT tools work.

Brief outline of the course:
Hardware. MS Office. Advanced search. Evaluation of relevance. Business communication. Cloud-based solutions for translators. Ethical dilemmas, OCR. Machine translation. CAT tools (history, development, working principle).

Recommended literature:
1. BOWKER, L. 2002. Computer-aided Translation Technology: A Practical Introduction. University of Ottawa Press, 2002.

2. POLÁKOVÁ, E. 2013. Internetová komunikácia, príležitosti a riziká. Banská Bystrica :Univerzita Mateja Bela, Pedagogická fakulta : Belianum. 117 s. ISBN 9788055705996.
3. PYM,A. Translation Skill-Sets in a Machine-Translation Age. [online]. 2012. Dostupné na: http://usuaris.tinet.cat/apym/on-line/training/2012_competence_pym.pdf.
4. SOMERS, H. L. Computers and Translation: A Translator's Guide. John Benjamins Publishing, 2003.
5. Quah, C. K. 2006. Translation and Technology. Houndmills; Basingstoke : Palgrave MacMillan, 2006. 221 s. ISBN 9781403918321.
6. WEBB, E. Lynn. 1992. Advantages and Disadvantages of translation memory: a cost/benefit analysis, Monterey, California. http://kitt.ifi.uzh.ch/clab/satzaehnlichkeit/tutorial/Unterlagen/Webb2000.pdf.

Language of instruction:
Slovak C1, English B2

Notes:student time load:
150 hours,
Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 1-1-0 (26 h)
Preparation of the presentation (30 h)
Self-study (50 h)
Individual CAT training (44 h)

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 71

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
60.56	35.21	1.41	1.41	0.0	0.0	1.41	0.0

Instructor: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., Mgr. Marianna Bachledová, PhD.

Last changed: 02.12.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 1d-2d-umb-301	**Course name:** Národné obranné sily

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 14d / 4s
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: I., II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

abs	n	p	v
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PaedDr. Miriam Spodniaková Pfefferová, PhD.

Last changed: 13.09.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-142 | **Course name:** Oral Communication Spheres

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The grade depends on the student's active participation in seminars and completion of the final assignment as instructed (selected assignments or their combination: test, final paper, portfolio, discussion, micro-presentations, etc.).

b) final assessment:
The grade depends on the student's active participation in seminars and completion of the final assignment as instructed (selected assignments or their combination: test, final paper, portfolio, discussion, micro-presentations, etc.).

Learning objectives:
Upon completion of the course, the student
– has learned about the specific spheres in which appropriate oral communication is used, i.e. education, practice, transcultural communication, media, science, journalism, art, etc.
– they can reflect on partial problems with erudition and in the appropriate contexts
– they can link theoretical knowledge to empiricism holistically
– they realise their own progress in terms of speaking, listening comprehension, rhetoric, monologic, and dialogic competences

Brief outline of the course:
The course is based on the topics from the Aspekte der Mündlichkeit (2016) course book. It covers the following oral expression topics: the primary nature of oral communication, pronunciation, phonetics and phonostylistics German sound and stereotypical ideas, language and music, overlaps between orality and writing phonic assimilation of xenisms, German as a foreign language, foreign accent and identity, listening as a skill, speaking as a skill, phonodidactics and foreign language teacher's speaking skills interpreting, rhetoric, monologicity and dialogicity, colloquialness (substandard), German pronunciation pluricentrism mediated communication, media, film dubbing etc. Particular attention is paid to the linguistic soundscape as a phenomenon in multicultural societies. Spheres are understood as areas in which orality is used appropriately: school, practice, interpreting, transcultural communication, official and private correspondence, media, science, journalism, art, etc.

Recommended literature:
BEKÉNIOVÁ, Ľubica. 2015. Rozvoj komunikačných kompetencií
pedagogického zamestnanca zameraný na rečový prejav. Bratislava:

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BOHUŠOVÁ, Zuzana. 2010. Soziophonetische und translatorische Aspekte des fremden Akzents. In: Literatur und Sprache in Kontexten: Acta Universitatis Wratislaviensis No 3256: Germanica Wratislaviensia. č. 131. Wroclaw : Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Wroclawskiego. S. 65-73. https://www.ff.umb.sk/zbohusova/deutsche-phonetik-und-phonologie.html
BOHUŠOVÁ, Zuzana. 2012. Primárnosť ústnej odbornej cudzojazyčnej komunikácie. In: NOVÁ FILOLOGICKÁ REVUE : časopis o súčasnej lingvistike, literárnej vede, translatológii a kulturológii. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, Fakulta humanitných vied. Roč. 4, č. 1 (jún 2012), s. 6-20. https://www.ff.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=a&ID=16949
BOHUŠOVÁ, Zuzana. 2016. Aspekte der Mündlichkeit. Nümbrecht: Kirsch Verlag.
BRANKO, Pavel. 2014. Úklady jazyka. Dunajská Lužná, Bratislava: MilaniuM a Slovenský filmový ústav.
BRANKO, Pavel. 2015. Úskalia a slasti jazyka. Dunajská Lužná: MilaniuM.
ČMEJRKOVÁ, Světla – HOFFMANNOVÁ, Jana. 2011. Mluvená čeština: hledání funkčního rozpětí. Praha: Academia.
DUDEN Wörterbuch https://www.duden.de/woerterbuch
FERTIGKEIT Hören. 1995. Fernstudieneinheit 5 (B. Dahlhaus). Berlin: Langenscheidt.
FERTIGKEIT Sprechen. 2006. Fernstudieneinheit 20 (H. Schatz, K. Kleppin) Berlin: Langenscheidt.
GALLO, Ján. 2004. Rétorika v teórii a praxi. Prešov: Dominanta. http://www.dominanta.sk/Retorika.pdf
KOZOVÁ, Erika. 2011. Wie klingt Deutsch. Eine assoziative Untersuchung zur deutschen Aussprache. Diplomarbeit. Matej-Bel-Universität, Banská Bystrica.
NEULAND, Eva. 2011. Mündliche Kommunikation als Schlüsselkompetenz: Entwicklung eines Moduls für germanistische Studiengänge. In: Helbig, Gerhard et al (Hg.): Deutsch als Fremdsprache. 428-438. file:///C:/Users/ZBOHUS~1/AppData/Local/Temp/10.1515_infodaf-2007-0408.pdf
SCHWITALLA, Johannes. 2006. Gesprochenes Deutsch. Eine Einführung. Berlin: Erich Schmidt.
SCHREITER, Ina. 2011. Mündliche Sprachproduktion. In: Helbig, Gerhard et al (Hg.): Deutsch als Fremdsprache. Ein internationales Handbuch. Berlin; New York:de Gruyter, 2001, 908–920.
ŠTEFAŇÁKOVÁ, Jana. 2003. Austriacizmy a helvetizmy v rakúskej a švajčiarskej dennej tlači z aspektu pluricentrického hodnotenia nemčiny. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela. https://www.ff.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=a&ID=475

Language of instruction:
German, Slovak

Notes:student time load:
120 h.
combined study (L, S, C): 26 h. Self-study, studying for the exam: 84 h. Preparation of the seminar paper and its presentation: 10 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 3

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
66.67	0.0	33.33	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjs-014	**Course name:** Organizing activities for the UMB University success Center 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Francois Schmitt, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed:

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjs-015	**Course name:** Organizing activities for the UMB University success Center 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Francois Schmitt, PhD., Elsa Manon Pachoud Janody

Last changed:

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-vstv-106 | **Course name:** Physical Education 6

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 217

abs	n	p	v
93.55	6.45	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jaroslav Popelka, PhD., PaedDr. Jaroslav Kompán, PhD., Mgr. Andrea Izáková, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Jiří Michal, PhD., PaedDr. Mgr. Lukáš Opáth, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Pavol Pivovarniček, PhD., Mgr. Kristián Bako, PhD., Mgr. Michal Hlávek, PhD., Mgr. Marián Škorik, PhD., Mgr. Andrej Dibdiak, Mgr. Bc. Lukáš Karabín, Mgr. Olívia Mudráková, Mgr. Marek Janík, Mgr. Dominik Klimek

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-vstv-107 | **Course name:** Physical Education 7

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 265

abs	n	p	v
91.7	8.3	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Jaroslav Popelka, PhD., PaedDr. Jaroslav Kompán, PhD., Mgr. Andrea Izáková, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Jiří Michal, PhD., PaedDr. Mgr. Lukáš Opáth, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Pavol Pivovarniček, PhD., Mgr. Martin Bako, Mgr. Marián Škorik, PhD., Mgr. Michal Hlávek, PhD., Mgr. Bc. Lukáš Karabín, Mgr. Andrej Dibdiak, Mgr. Olívia Mudráková, Mgr. Marek Janík, Mgr. Dominik Klimek

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-vstv-108 | **Course name:** Physical Education 8

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 121

abs	n	p	v
91.74	8.26	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PaedDr. Boris Beťák, PhD., Mgr. Jaroslav Popelka, PhD., PaedDr. Jaroslav Kompán, PhD., Mgr. Andrea Izáková, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Jiří Michal, PhD., PaedDr. Mgr. Lukáš Opáth, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Pavol Pivovarniček, PhD., Mgr. Michal Hlávek, PhD., Mgr. Kristián Bako, PhD., Mgr. Marián Škorik, PhD., Mgr. Andrej Dibdiak, Mgr. Bc. Lukáš Karabín, Mgr. Olívia Mudráková, Mgr. Marek Janík, Mgr. Dominik Klimek

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fju-011	**Course name:** Plurality approaches in teaching languages and cultures

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The course is completed by successfully submitting a a seminar paper focusing on the theoretical foundations and practical application of pluralistic approaches in teaching French as a foreign language. Students are entitled to one retake. The final grade is determined according to the following grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are awarded to students who meet the specified requirements with a score of at least 65%.

b) final assessment:
Seminar paper – 100%

Learning objectives:
By completing this course, students will:
• Gain knowledge of pluralistic approaches to teaching French
• Gain knowledge of ways to implement these approaches in the classroom
• Enhance their skills in designing pedagogical activities using these approaches

Brief outline of the course:
This course focuses on providing insights into the use of pluralistic approaches in the teaching of French as a foreign language. Pluralistic approaches are didactic approaches that simultaneously incorporate multiple languages and cultures into educational activities. They stand in contrast to traditional approaches, in which only the target language (in this case, French) is used and studied. The main objective is to develop students' multilingual and intercultural competence, i.e., the ability to make connections between the languages they already know and the new language they are learning. The course will cover the four basic pluralistic approaches according to the FREPA/ CARAP reference framework:
• Introduction to languages (students discover and compare different languages, including those not taught at school)
• Intercomprehension between related languages (students use knowledge of one language to understand another language from the same language family)
• Integrated language teaching (knowledge acquired in one language is used to learn another language or to study another subject)
• Intercultural approaches (aimed at fostering understanding and respect for different cultures)
In addition to a theoretical overview, the course will also focus on developing practical activities and exercises using a variety of approaches.

Recommended literature:

1. BEACCO, Jean-Claude. L#approche par compétences dans l#enseignement des langues. Paris : Les Éditions Didier, 2007.
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Language of instruction:
Slovak (B2), French (B2)

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-pol-201 | **Course name:** Polish Language A1 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student continuously submits their completed homework.
In the last week of the semester, the student takes a written test. After completing the semester, they take a final oral exam. Credits will not be awarded to a student who scores fewer than 19.5 in the written test and/or fewer then 22.5 in the oral exam.
The student has the right to one resit (For each part of the final exam respectively.) The grading scale: A (100 – 94 %), B (93 – 87 %), C (86 – 80 %), D (79 – 73 %), E (72 – 65 %). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
a) continuous assessment:
Completing homework: 0–30 p.
Written test in week 13: 35 p.
b) final assessment:
Oral exam during the exam period: 35 p.

Learning objectives:
The student understands the most important content and intent of written and oral texts addressing everyday life.
They can use the Polish language fluently and spontaneously. Their communication competence allows them to speak to Polish native speakers in most everyday situations.

Brief outline of the course:
Polish alphabet. Pronunciation of vowels and consonants. Informal and formal greetings. Introduction. Basic courtesies. Polish names and surnames. Personal information. Countries and nationalities. Colours. In the classroom. Self-presentation. Description of a person – appearance and attributes. Hobbies. Hobbies. Sports. Occupations. Expressing possessiveness. Numerals 0–100. Fruit and vegetables. Shopping in a stall, supermarket, market, mall. Foodstuff. Meals. Café & restaurant. Expressing preferences. Family and relatives. Family tree. Parts of day and seasons. Months and week days. Life and institutions in Poland.

Recommended literature:
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2 STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2011. Polski. Krok po kroku A1. Zeszyt ćwiczeń. Kraków : Glossa, 2011.

3. MAŁOLEPSZA, M., SZYMKIEWICZ, A. 2020. Hurra. Po polsku. Część 1. Podręcznik studenta. Kraków : Prolog, 2020.
4 MAŁOLEPSZA, M., SZYMKIEWICZ, A. 2020. Hurra. Po polsku 1. Zeszyt ćwiczeń. Kraków : Prolog, 2020.
5. MADELSKA, L., WARCHOŁ-SCHLOTTMANN, M. 2013. Hurra! Odkrywamy język polski. Gramatyka dla uczących (się) języka polskiego jako obcego. Kraków : Prolog, 2013.
6. MACHOWSKA, J. 2022. Gramatyka? Dlaczego nie?!. Ćwiczenia gramatyczne dla poziomu A!. Kraków : Universitas, 2022.
7. GARNCAREK, P. 2022. Czas na czasownik. Kraków : Universitas, 2022.
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Language of instruction:
Slovak, Polish

Notes:student time load:
90 h.
Presence, combined studies (L, S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 14 h.
Completing homework: 15 h.
studying for the written test: 15 h.
Studying for the oral exam: 20 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 82

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
53.66	14.63	23.17	6.1	0.0	1.22	1.22	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Gabriela Olchowa, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-pol-202 | **Course name:** Polish Language A1 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student continuously submits their completed homework. In the last week of the semester, the student takes a written test. After completing the semester, they take a final oral exam. Credits will not be awarded to a student who scores fewer than
19.5 in the written test and/or fewer then 22.5 in the oral exam.
The student has the right to one resit (For each part of the final exam respectively.) The grading scale: A (100 – 94 %), B (93 – 87 %), C (86 – 80 %), D (79 – 73 %), E (72 – 65 %). Credits are assigned to
the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
a) continuous assessment:
Completing homework: 0–30 p.
Written test in week 13: 35 p.
b) final assessment:
Oral exam during the exam period: 35 p.

Learning objectives:
The student understands the most important content and intent of written and oral texts addressing everyday life. They can use the Polish language fluently and spontaneously. Their communication competence allows them to speak to Polish native speakers in most everyday situations.

Brief outline of the course:
Free time. Expressing temporal relations. Communication tools. Collecting information: station, airport, hotel, travel agency. Travelling. Meetings. Invitation. Positive and negative response to proposals. Shopping. Size, measure, weight, clothing. Requests, feelings, compliments, opinions. Future plans. Weather forecast.
Furniture and home appliances. Rooms. Rental. Expressing spatial relationships. Writing advertisements.
Polish physical geography and demography.
Tourist attractions. Weekend and holiday plans.
Family celebrations. Congratulations. Language etiquette. Savoir-vivre.
Famous Polish figures – biography.
Body parts, disease symptoms. Visiting doctors and dentists.

Providing advice, expressing dis/satisfaction. Writing complaints.
Police chronicles – car accident, theft, loss of personal items, fire.

Recommended literature:

1.STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2011. Polski. Krok po kroku A1. Podręcznik. Kraków : Glossa, 2011.
2 STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2011. Polski. Krok po kroku A1. Zeszyt ćwiczeń. Kraków : Glossa, 2011.
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9. PYZIK, J. 2022. Przygoda z gramatyką. Kraków : Universitas, 2022.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, Polish

Notes:student time load:
90 h.
Combined study (S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 14 h.
Completing homework: 10 h.
studying for the written test: 20 h.
Studying for the oral exam: 20 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 30

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
63.33	20.0	3.33	3.33	0.0	10.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Gabriela Olchowa, PhD.

Last changed: 16.02.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-pol-203 | **Course name:** Polish Language A2 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student continuously submits their completed homework and presents a selected topic. After completing the semester, the student takes the final oral and written exams. The student will not be assigned the credits if they score fewer than 19.5 for the homework and presentation submitted; and/or fewer than 22.5 for the final written and oral exams respectively. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

a) continuous assessment:
Completing homework: 0–15 p.
Presentation: 0–15 p.

b) final assessment:
written final exam (test): 0–35 p. final oral exam: 0–35 p.
Final exam in total: 0–70 p. 0–70 p.

Learning objectives:
The student understands the most important content and intent of written and oral texts addressing general, specific, and abstract topics.
They can use the Polish language fluently and spontaneously.
The level of communication competence allows the student to easily communicate with Polish native speakers.
They are able to express their opinion on the topic they find interesting as well as past events, and participate in a (formal) discussion.

Brief outline of the course:
Reporting events – disasters. Summarisation. Favourite film – a comparison. Requests, proposals, commands. Expressing opinions. Adjectives describing people. Structure of definition. Computer and the Internet – people's friends. Discussing education. Classroom meeting. Job and occupation. Job interview. Types of companies. Discussing work-related problems. Writing e-mails. CV and cover letter. Roots – discussion. Orders, bans, recommendations. Travel, packing, airport. Holiday in Poland – tourist attractions. Letters, e-mails, text messages. Weekend in mountains – verbs of movement.

Recommended literature:

1 STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2020. Polski. Krok po kroku A2. Kraków : Glossa, 2020.
2 BURKAT, A. – JASIŃSKA, A. 2020. Hurra! Po polsku cz.2. Kraków : Prolog, 2020.
3. SZELC-MAYS, M. 2022. Coś Wam powiem... Ćwiczenia komunikacyjne. Kraków : Universiatas, 2022.
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Language of instruction:
Slovak, Polish A1

Notes:student time load:
90 h.
Presence, combined studies (L, S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 14 h.
Completing of homework and preparation of presentations: 20 h.
Studying for the written test: 15 h.
Studying for the oral exam: 15 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 10

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Gabriela Olchowa, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-pol-204 | **Course name:** Polish Language A2 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student continuously submits their completed homework and presents a selected topic. After completing the semester, the student takes the final oral and written exams. The student will not be assigned the credits if they score fewer than 19.5 for the homework and presentation submitted; and/or fewer than 22.5 for the final written and oral exams respectively. The student has the right to one resit. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

a) continuous assessment:
Completing homework: 0–15 p.
Presentation: 0–15 p.

b) final assessment:
written final exam (test): 0–35 p.
final oral exam: 0–35 p.
Final exam in total: 0–70 p. 0–70 p.

Learning objectives:
The student understands the most important content and intent of written and oral texts addressing general, specific, and abstract topics.
They can use the Polish language fluently and spontaneously.
The level of communication competence allows the student to easily communicate with Polish native speakers.
They are able to express their opinion on the topic they find interesting as well as past events, and participate in a (formal) discussion.

Brief outline of the course:
Traffic rules. Discussing life problems: unemployment, alcoholism, violence, discrimination, depression. Key life situations, interpersonal relationships. Foundations, volunteering. Expressing dissatisfaction and resentment. Recent Polish history – describing events, discussing historical facts. Polish holidays. Easter and traditions. Describing situations. Expressing temporal contexts. Discussing the past – important dates, Solidarity, martial law. Poland and Polish society. Politics. Power in Poland. Polish parliament, political parties, elections. Animals. Ecology and environmental protection. Polish consumer. Exchanging opinions. Comparison. Discussing films

and theatre. Expressing emotions. Discussions – arguments for and against. Museum, exhibitions – discussing art. Expressing appreciation, respect, and critical attitudes.

Recommended literature:

1 STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2020. Polski. Krok po kroku A2. Kraków : Glossa, 2020.
2 BURKAT, A. – JASIŃSKA, A. 2020. Hurra! Po polsku cz.2. Kraków : Prolog, 2020.
3. SZELC-MAYS, M. 2022. Coś Wam powiem... Ćwiczenia komunikacyjne. Kraków : Universiatas, 2022.
4 BURKAT, A. – JASIŃSKA, A. 2020. Hurra! Po polsku cz.2. Zeszyt ćwiczeń. Kraków : Prolog, 2020.
5. STEMPEK, I. – STELMACH, A. i in. 2011. Polski. Krok po kroku A2. Zeszyt ćwiczeń. Kraków : Glossa, 2014.

Language of instruction:

Slovak, Polish A1

Notes:student time load:

90 h.
Combined study (S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 14 h.
Completing of homework and preparation of presentations: 20 h.
Studying for the written test: 15 h.
Studying for the oral exam: 15 h.

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 7

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. Mgr. Gabriela Olchowa, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-trs-108	**Course name:** Practical Training

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Prax
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 75s
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 6

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions:
In the course of their studies students will complete practical training with individuals who are involved in activities such as translation of various types of texts and interpreting, e.g. in a translation or interpreting agency for independent translators and interpreters, translation departments of companies and corporations, state administrative institutions, etc.
Students are allowed to complete their whole practical training, or a part of their practical training in the form of translation and interpreting for the Department of German Studies FA MBU, other departments and workstations of the Faculty of Arts of MBU or the university or for the Translation and Interpreting Society of FA MBU.
Students will submit:
- a confirmation of the completion of practical training with the minimal duration of 75 hours,
- a portfolio of activities realised during training with their own commentary,
- their own evaluation of the practical training.
Credits will not be assigned to the students who fail to fulfil the given requirements.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) continual assessment: b) final assessment: 0 - 100 points
- confirmation of the completion of practical training with the minimal duration of 75 hours – 30 points
- portfolio of activities realised during training with their own commentary – 60 points
- own evaluation of the practical training – 10 points

Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students will be able to:
1. demonstrate their theoretical knowledge from linguistics and translation studies in practice,
2. apply the acquired theoretical knowledge in translation of specialised texts and in interpreting,
3. analyse and interpret specialised texts,
4. consider translation problems and propose adequate solutions,
5. edit texts in the target language,

6. work in a team,
7. do background research, to utilise technical, electronic tools, computer equipment,
8. utilise their competences for working and work organization in a translation and interpreting agency.

Brief outline of the course:

Brief outline of the course:
The course aim is to apply acquired theoretical knowledge, practical skills and competences in practice, as well as to utilise the practical abilities of a translator and interpreter in the labour market, to communicate with the client, to utilise acquired competences:
- competences for providing translation and interpreting services – interpersonal aspects
- competences for providing translation and interpreting services – aspects of translation creation
- linguistic competences
- intercultural competences – sociolinguistic aspects
- intercultural competences – textual aspects
- competences regarding background research

The course is focused on the realisation of translation and interpreting activities, i.e. interpreting, production of a translation and all related activities ranging from communication with the client, accepting the task, to its realisation and completion.

Recommended literature:

Odporúčaná literatúra:
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4. GROMOVÁ, Edita. 2003. Teória a didaktika prekladu. Nitra : Univerzita Konštantína Filozofa v Nitre, Filozofická fakulta, 2003.
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6. KOLLER, Werner. 2004. Einführung in die Übersetzungswissenschaft. Wiebelsheim : Quelle & Meyer Verlag GmbH & Co., 2004.
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11. REINART, Sylvia. 2009. Kulturspezifik in der Fachübersetzung. Berlin : Frank & Timme. 2009.
12. SNELL-HORNBY, Maria (Hg.): Übersetzungswissenschaft. Eine Neuorientierung. Tübingen; Basel : Francke Verlag, 1994.
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Franck & Timme, 2009.
15. STOLZE, Radegundis. 2003. Hermeneutik und Übersetzen. Tübingen : Gunter Narr Verlag, 2003.
16. STOLZE, Radegundis. 2008. Übersetzungstheorien. Eine Einführung. Tübingen : Narr Francke Attempto Verlag, 2008.
17. RAKŠÁNYIOVÁ, Jana (Ed.) Preklad ako interkultúrna komunikácia. Bratislava : AnaPress, 2005.
18. RAKŠÁNYIOVÁ, Jana (Ed.): Šesť aspektov translácie. Bratislava : AT PUBLISHING, 2008.

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
Notes:
Student workload: 180 hrs.
Preparation for the realisation of arranged practice (translation, interpreting, other activities in a translation agency): 25 hrs.
Realisation of practice: 75 hrs.
Creating the portfolio of realised activities during practice: 60 hrs.
Writing the commentary: 10 hrs.
Writing the assessment of the practical training: 10 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 26

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
88.46	7.69	3.85	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Alena Ďuricová, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: D_2_LpP_cupv	**Course name:** Practice Laboratory
Type, extent and method of instruction: **Form of instruction:** Seminar **Course type:** C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses) **Recommended number of periods:** 26 **Method of study:** combined	
Number of credits: 4	
Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.	
Level: II.	
Prerequisites:	
Course completion conditions: a) continuous assessment: participation in SILab activities – 50% of the overall grade b) final assessment: preparation and presentation of a semester project – 50% of the overall grade Within the continuous assessment, students complete assignments based on project-oriented learning implemented in the Social Innovation Living Lab (SILAb) environment. The assessment includes active participation in classes and SILAb activities, as well as participation in activities carried out in cooperation with external partners from practice. The final assessment consists of the preparation and presentation of a semester project focused on proposing a solution to a specific real-world problem (e.g., a business model, an innovative solution, a strategy, etc.). A student receives a "passed" grade if they achieve at least 65% of the total course evaluation by fulfilling the specified requirements. A resit for the continuous assessment can be completed no later than the last week of teaching and ongoing study obligations and consists of completing substitute assignments. A resit for the final assessment can be completed during the period designated for completing study obligations and consists of a revised or newly prepared semester project and its presentation, focused on proposing a solution to a specific real-world problem.	
Learning objectives: The student: 1. uses appropriate scientific and analytical methods to solve assignments and is able to independently and methodologically correctly address research and applied tasks, 2. applies methods of collecting and processing primary and secondary data in practice, evaluates their suitability, formulates research questions and proposes solutions, 3. designs solutions to problems including an action plan and implementation strategy, applying principles of innovation ecosystems and smart solutions in public, private, and non-profit sectors, 4. designs and tests solutions in a living lab (SILab) using participatory approaches, creates and evaluates business models with regard to sustainability and ESG, 5. works with data and digital tools in designing solutions, 6. uses participatory and co-creation approaches when engaging stakeholders, 7. evaluates the social and economic impact of solutions, integrates knowledge from different disciplines, and presents results to both professional and general audiences.	

Brief outline of the course:

Introduction to the course, idea generation, identification of business opportunities, definition of vision and strategic goals. Social economy, social entrepreneurship, legal framework of social enterprises in Slovakia, business models with social impact, impact measurement, ESG, CSR and non-financial reporting. Business plan development (Business Model Canvas, Lean Canvas), market research, competitor and customer analysis, segmentation, value proposition and go-to-market strategy. Operational planning, logistics, supply chains, outsourcing and risk management. Brand building, identity and positioning, basics of marketing, sales strategies and customer journey. Digital marketing (SEO, content, social media, CRM), feedback, product iteration and MVP. Digital business models, use of AI in business and its impacts, cybersecurity and data protection. Entrepreneurial mindset, dealing with failure, soft skills, leadership and ethics. Presentation of the business plan, pitch deck and defense of solutions.

Recommended literature:

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13. SODHI, M. S., & TANG, C. S. (2012). Managing supply chain risk. Springer. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-1-4614-3238-8

Language of instruction:

Slovak

Notes:student time load:
120 hours including:
Combined study (P, S, K):
Teaching: 26 hours
Self-study: 24 hours
Project work and assignments: 70 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

abs	n	p	v
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Ing. Lucia Dobrotová, PhD., Ing. Katarína Sýkorová, PhD., doc. Ing. Radoslav Kožiak, PhD., doc. Ing. Nikoleta Jakuš Muthová, PhD., doc. Ing. Mária Murray Svidroňová, PhD., doc. Ing. Denisa Malá, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-001 | **Course name:** Praxeology of Translation

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The total amount of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. The assessment is carried out according to the ECTS grading scale. Credits will be assigned to those students who gain by fulfilling stated conditions at least 65 out of a total of 100 points.
a) continuous assessment:
None.
b) final assessment:
Oral exam

Learning objectives:
Student:
1. is able to navigate through the labour market and actively operate on the translation market, 2. he/she is aware of the rules of communication with the customer and is aware of the specifics of the commercial aspects of artistic and non-artistic translation, 4. he/she is familiar with the work of a project manager and can actively negotiate with the market, 5. is familiar with translation professional organisations and can make an informed decision whether to become an active member or not, 6. is able to apply the acquired knowledge in practice, 7. is able to manage a translation agency on the basis of the acquired knowledge, 8. is able to work in a team, to manage, organise and evaluate teamwork.

Brief outline of the course:
Sociological aspects of translation: educational and age distribution of translators on the market. Professional orientation of translators (artistic, professional translation, project management, etc.). Agencies, intermediaries, direct clients of translation. Commercial aspects of translation and interpreting. Dynamics of the translation and interpreting market. Professional organisations of translators and interpreters. Members of the translation market chain and their influence on the quality of the final translation.

Recommended literature:
1. DJOVČOŠ, M . – ŠVEDA, P. 2017. Mýty a fakty o preklade a tlmočení na Slovensku Bratislava: VEDA - vydavateľstvo Slovenskej akadémie vied, 2017. - 206 s. [10,31 AH]. - ISBN 978-80-224-1566-8
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8. www.sspol.sk
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10. www.sapt.sk
11. http://www.translator-training.eu/competences-requirements
12. http://www.translator-training.eu/attachments/article/52/WP4_Synthesis_report.pdf

Language of instruction:
Slovak C1, English B2

Notes:student time load:
Notes - student's time load: 150 hrs.
combined studies (P, S, K): 26 hrs.
self-study: 64 hrs.
Project preparation: 30 hrs.
Collection of information (questionnaire): 30 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 190

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
43.16	21.58	20.53	7.37	5.26	1.58	0.53	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Anita Huťková, PhD., Mgr. Barbora Vinczeová, PhD., Mgr. Matej Laš, PhD., univ. doc., Mgr. Eva Reichwalderová, PhD., univ. doc.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-004 | **Course name:** Professional Practice (French)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Prax
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 975
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 6

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: The number of hours will be assigned on the basis of the following calculation.
Calculation of practice:
• Translation to Slovak: 1 standard page = 1.5 hours
• Translation to foreign language: 1 standard page = 2 hours
• Editing: language and stylistic editing in Slovak – 3 standard pages = 1.5 hours
language and stylistic editing in foreign language – 2 standard pages = 1.5 hours
editing of the content – comparing the source text with the target text – 2 standard pages = 1.5 hours
• Interpreting: half-day = 4 hours
day = 8 hours
time for preparation = 1 hour for 1 hour of interpreting
b) final assessment:
The students will hand in the protocol about their translating-interpreting practice in the given period. The students will hand in the protocol about the translating-interpreting practice and the evaluation to the relevant department during the 3th semester of the Master's study.

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Learning objectives:
Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students:
1. Will be acquainted with the standards of the interpreting and translation performance in practice,
2. Will practice at least 75 hours translating or interpreting from and to French in the study programme French language and culture and in the interdisciplinary study programme.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course: The students will practice at an institution or a company (enterprise) in Slovakia or abroad. Part of the practice is provided by the FA MBU Translation and Interpreting

Centre, or the students can find the adequate workplace by themselves. When the practice is provided by the FA MBU centre, the students will work as a translator, an editor as well as the project manager of the translations.

Recommended literature:
Commonly available explanatory, translation, terminological dictionaries and an online terminological databases.

Language of instruction:
Language of instruction: slovak - C, french - C1-C2

Notes:student time load:
Student time load: 180 hrs.
Practice (translations, editing – comparing the source text and the target text, language and stylistic editing, interpreting): 75 hrs.
Other related activities (looking for the practice, administrative work connected to practice, preparation for interpreting, travelling, market survey, self-study focused on the translation software): 105 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 19

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
73.68	15.79	10.53	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

Last changed: 25.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 12-RSOA	**Course name:** Rozvojová spolupráca a občianska angažovanosť

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 0 / 0
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: I., II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) continuous assessment:
Project Proposal (SlovakAid Template): 0-80 points
b) final assessment:
Project Presentation: 0-20 points

Learning objectives:
Students:
1. understand the fundamental theoretical concepts and terminology related to development cooperation and international development, and understand their interrelationships and systemic connections;
2. are able to apply acquired knowledge when examining specific cases in the fields of development cooperation and international development, interpret findings, and draw relevant conclusions;
3. can critically assess the activities and roles of various actors in these fields, identify problematic aspects, and propose appropriate solutions or alternative approaches;
4. are capable of developing a development project proposal on a selected or assigned topic, applying theoretical knowledge, analytical skills, and the ability to design effective solutions to development challenges.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Terminology, instruments and forms of development assistance implementation, motivations for providing aid, and the economic significance of international development cooperation
2. Introduction to development project management
3. Major development challenges in Africa, Asia, and Latin America
4. Development assistance providers (official donors and emerging donors), international organizations and institutions engaged in development cooperation, and the SDGs
5. The development policy of the European Union
6. The role of the non-governmental organisations and private sector in international development cooperation
7. Development cooperation of the Slovak Republic – historical overview, institutional framework, territorial and sectoral priorities, and key challenges of Slovak development policy
8. Analysis of selected development projects implemented under the SlovakAid
9. Development diplomacy and its practical implementation

10. Aid for Trade, the Business Partnership Programme, and other development cooperation initiatives
11. Development project design and preparation
12. Presentations of development projects

Recommended literature:

ZHAO, J. (2023): International Development Cooperation: Theory, Practice, and Evaluation. ISBN 978-9811258879.
HASLAM, P. A. – SCHAFER, J. – BEAUDET, P. (2021): Introduction to International Development: Approaches, Actors, Issues, and Practice, 4th Edition. ISBN 978-0199036431.
DEVELTERE, P. – HUYSE, H. – VAN ONGEVALLE, J. (2021): International Development Cooperation Today: A Radical Shift Towards a Global Paradigm. ISBN 978-9462702615.
POTTER, R. et al. (2018): Geographies of Development. An Introduction to Development Studies, 4th Edition. ISBN 978-1138794306.
TODARO, M. P. – SMITH, S. C. (2020): Economic Development, 13th Edition. ISBN 978-1292291154.
KINGSBURY, D. et al. (2016): International Development. Issues and Challenges, 3rd Edition. ISBN 978-1-137-42940-7.
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AND EUROPEAN AFFAIRS OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC (2025): Medium-Term Strategy for Development Cooperation of the Slovak Republic for 2025-2030.
Official websites SlovakAid, OECD, United Nations, European Union and others.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, English

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 0

abs	n	p	v
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Martina Bolečeková, PhD.

Last changed: 18.06.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-rus-230 | **Course name:** Russian Language and for Beginners 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has the right to one resit. Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
a) continuous assessment:
1. Test: 25 p.
2. Test: 25 p.

Learning objectives:
The student can speak in Russian on the level A1–A2. They can answer the questions: Who is it? What is it? What is its name? What is your name? Where is it? (place adverbial) They can form negative sentences, decline, and conjugate. They can apply this knowledge to create their own professional CV. They can use the lexical units in accordance with the speech etiquette.

Brief outline of the course:
The course focuses on developing basic language skills on the A1–A2 level. Simple communication situations, reading and listening comprehension are trained.
Specific attention is paid to speech etiquette, addressing, and greeting (Russian vs. Slovak).

Recommended literature:
1. ARKADIEVA, E. V., GORBANEVSKAJA, G. V., KIRSANOVA, N. D. MARČUK, I. B. Kogda ne pomagajut slovari... časť 1. Moskva: Flinta, 2011, ISBN 978-5-89349-804-2
2. ARKADIEVA, E. V., GORBANEVSKAJA, G. V., KIRSANOVA, N. D. MARČUK, I. B. Kogda ne pomagajut slovari... časť 2. Moskva: Flinta, Nauka, 2011, ISBN 978-5-89349-938-4
3. BITECHINA, G. A. a kol.: 26 urokov po razvitiu reči. Moskva: Russkij jazyk, 1975
4. DEKANOVÁ, E., ONDREJČEKOVÁ, E.: Да! Ruština, Učebnica a cvičebnica. ENIGMA, 2008, ISBN 80-89132-30-8
5. KAPITANOVA, T. I. a kol.: Testy, testy, testy... Sankt-Peterburg: Zlatoust, 2010, ISBN 978-5-86547-406-7
6. KOVÁČIKOVÁ, T.: Ruština pre samoukov. Bratislava: Slovenské pedagogické nakladateľstvo, 2009, ISBN 978-80-10-01588
7. LIZOŇ, M.: Jazykové cvičenia pre 1. a 2.ročník, FF UMB, Banská Bystrica
8. NEKOLOVÁ, V., CAMUTALIOVÁ, I., VASILJEVOVÁ, A.: Ruština nejen pro samouky.

Praha: Leda, 2006, ISBN 8085927969

Language of instruction:
Russian A1, Slovak C2

Notes:student time load:
150 h. Combined study (S, C): 26 h. self-study: 50 h. studying for continuous test 1: 20 h. studying for continuous test 2: 25 h. studying for the final test: 25 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 32

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
96.88	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.13	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Igor Cintula, PhD.

Last changed: 21.09.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-rus-231 | **Course name:** Russian Language and for Beginners 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has the right to one resit. Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
a) continuous assessment:
1. Test: 25 p.
2. Test: 25 p.
b) final assessment:
Written exam: 50 p.

Learning objectives:
The student can speak in Russian on the A2 level. They can navigate the following topics: nationalities, states, languages, professions, housing. They understand and can retell and interpret simple texts. They know and use the correct grammatical categories and can identify stylistic differences among texts. They can translate simple texts on the selected topics.

Brief outline of the course:
The subject is aimed at mastering basic language skills at the A1-A2 level. Attention focuses on simple communication situations, understanding read and spoken text.
He devotes a special place to the issue of speech etiquette, forms of address, greeting and farewell in Russian language in comparison with Slovak.

Recommended literature:
1. ARKADIEVA, E. V., GORBANEVSKAJA, G. V., KIRSANOVA, N. D. MARČUK, I. B. Kogda ne pomagajut slovari... časť 1. Moskva: Flinta, 2011, ISBN 978-5-89349-804-2
2. ARKADIEVA, E. V., GORBANEVSKAJA, G. V., KIRSANOVA, N. D. MARČUK, I. B. Kogda ne pomagajut slovari... časť 2. Moskva: Flinta, Nauka, 2011, ISBN 978-5-89349-938-4
3. BITECHINA, G. A. a kol.: 26 urokov po razvitiu reči. Moskva: Russkij jazyk, 1975
4. DEKANOVÁ, E., ONDREJČEKOVÁ, E.: Да! Ruština, Učebnica a cvičebnica. ENIGMA, 2008, ISBN 80-89132-30-8
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Language of instruction:
Russian A2, Slovak C2

Notes:student time load:
150 h. Combined study (S, C): 26 h. self-study: 50 h. studying for continuous test 1: 20 h. studying for continuous test 2: 25 h. studying for the final test: 25 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 30

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
73.33	10.0	0.0	6.67	0.0	10.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Igor Cintula, PhD.

Last changed: 21.09.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-005 | **Course name:** Selected Chapters From Morphology and Lexicology (FR)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student takes two tests focused on
their knowledge of French morphology (selected phenomena). Each test = 25% of the final assessment.
The student has the right to one resit.
At the end of the semester, the student takes a written test focused on the selected lexicological phenomena (50% of the final assessment).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements. The grading scale for the final assessment: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).

a) continuous assessment:
Two written tests focused on French morphology: 25% + 25%.

b) final assessment:
A written test focused on French lexicology: 50%

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. knows and uses basic morphological and lexicological terminology in French and Slovak
2. can compare and evaluate French vs. Slovak morphological and lexicological specificities
3. can identify word classes, derivations, compounds, basic and derived meanings, and assign them to the correct register
4. uses different word classes, compounds, and derivations in their correct forms (including meaning and stylistic value) in practice (oral and written expression)
5. can evaluate which morphological structures are suitable in French.

Brief outline of the course:
1. French determiners – forms, semantics, stylistic value (definite, indefinite, etc.).
2. French independent and independent pronouns – demonstrative, possessive, interrogative, vocative, and indefinite.
3. Numerals.
4. Relative pronouns.
5. Archaisms, neologisms, loanwords.
6. Basic registers in FR and their subgroups.

Recommended literature:

1. POISSON-QUINTON, S. – MIMRAN, R. – MAHÉO-LE COADIC: Grammaire expliquée du français. Niveau intermédiaire. Paris : CLE International, 2002, 2007.
2. TLÁSKAL, J. a kol. 1991. Francouzská mluvnice. Praha : SPN, 1991.
3. TARABA, J. 1995. Francúzska gramatika. Bratislava : SPN, 1995.
4. RIEGEL, M. – PELLAT, J.-Ch. – RIOUL, R.: Grammaire méthodique du français. Paris: PUF, 1994.
5. ŠVARBOVÁ, E.: Morphologie française I. (de la nomination à la détermination). Nitra : FF UKF, 2006.
6. VOJTEK, D.: Précis morphosyntaxique I. Groupe nominal: noms, pronoms et adjectifs. Prešov: PU, 2013.
7. DUCHÁČEK, O. – BARTOŠ, J.: Grammaire du français contemporain. Bratislava : SPN, 1976.
8. DELATOUR, Y. – JENNEPIN, D. – LÉON-DUFOUR, M. – MATTLÉ, A. – TEYSSIER, B.: Grammaire du français. Cours de civilisation française de la Sorbonne. Paris: Hachette F.L.E., 1991.
9. SIRÉJOLS, É. – CLAUDE, P.: Le Nouvel Entraînez-vous. Grammaire. 450 nouveaux exercices. Niveau avancé. Paris : CLE International, 2002.
10. SIRÉJOLS, É. – RENAUD, D.: Le Nouvel Entraînez-vous. Grammaire. 450 nouveaux exercices. Niveau intermédiaire. Paris : CLE International, 1996.
11. CAQUINEAU-GÜNDÜZ, M.-P. – DELATOUR, Y. – JENNEPIN, D. – LESAGE-LANGOT, F. : Les 500 exercices de grammaire avec corrigés. Paris: Hachette F.L.E., 2005.
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Language of instruction:

French B2

Notes:student time load:

Student time load - Total: 150 h.
Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 26 h.
Completing seminar assignments: 40 h.
Studying for the written tests (morphology): 44 h.
Studying for the written test (lexicology): 40 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 6

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
16.67	66.67	0.0	16.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Lucia Ráčková, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-007 | **Course name:** Simultaneous interpreting in practice (French)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Practical
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: In course of a semester students undergo a preparation for simultaneous interpreting (interpreting of 10 moderate-long speeches with a duration 5 – 10 minutes, each to Slovak language) including creation of glossaries and short papers substantiated by collection of parallel texts to current topics, which are the subject matter of interpreting. They write an analysis of own interpreting performances on the basis of a record on sound storage medium. In pursuance of a teamwork they prepare materials for simulated conference to a given topic (collect informative sources – studies, researches, terminology…/suggest a scenario, build a team and divide roles…). After the end of a semester they take a final oral exam.Maximum number of points covering continual and final assessment is 100. The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100. A student has a right for one resit of a final oral exam.
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment: Assessment of practical skills (simultaneous interpreting): 0 – 50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0 – 10 points, preparation and realization of a simulated conference: 0 – 20 points.
b) final assessment:
Final assessment:
Final oral exam: 0 – 20 points
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment: Assessment of practical skills (simultaneous interpreting): 0 – 50 points, analysis of interpreting performances: 0 – 10 points, preparation and realization of a simulated conference: 0 – 20 points.
b) final assessment:
Final assessment: Final oral exam: 0 – 20 points

Learning objectives:
Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students will:
1. Be able to effectively use adequate interpreting strategies in the process of simultaneous

interpreting,
2. Be able to interpret the most difficult and terminologically full speeches from French language to Slovak language,
3. Be able to evaluate the appropriateness of the used terminology when transferring to target language,
4. Be able to quickly react to emerged situations and work under the pressure,
5. Keep a track with current political and social events at home and in the world and be able to orient themselves in wider, even historical relations.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course: Simultaneous interpreting: basic types and specifics. Interpreting in the light of intercultural transfer of information. Verbal and non-verbal communication in interpreting. Dealing with high-strain situations. Exercises to splitting of attention. Interpreting strategies. Creation of glossaries. Interpreting protocol. Interpreting etiquette. Conference diplomacy. Interpreting from second hand. Practical interpreting of more difficult texts. Simulated conference. Analysis and assessment of interpreting performances.

Recommended literature:
1. CHOVANCOVÁ, K. Niektoré prostriedky ekonomizácie prejavu pri simultánnom tlmočení. In: Mladá veda 2009: humanitné vedy – lingvistika: zborník vedeckých štúdií. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.62-68.
2. JALÓN, J.-B. 2004. De Paris à Nuremberg : naissance de l'interprétation de conférence. Ottawa: Les Presses de l'Université d'Ottawa, 2004.
3. ŠAVELOVÁ, J., MELICHERČÍKOVÁ, M. 2013. Simultaneous Interpreting. Univerzita Mateja Bela: Banská Bystrica, 2013.
4. VALLOVÁ, E. 2011. Konferenčná diplomacia pre tlmočníkov a prekladateľov. In: Preklad a tlmočenie 9: kontrastívne štúdium textov a prekladateľská prax. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.359-364.
5. VESELÁ, D. 2006. Konzekutívne a simultánne tlmočenie z francúzskeho jazyka: texty a cvičenia. Banská Bystrica : FHV UMB, 2006.
6. VESELÁ, D. 2013. Tlmočenie z francúzskeho jazyka: texty a cvičenia. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, vydavateľstvo UMB v Banskej Bystrici, 2013.

Language of instruction:
Language of instruction: slovak - C2, french - C1

Notes:student time load:
Notes:student time load:
Student's workload: 120 hours
combined studies (L, S, C): 26 hours
preparation for an assessment of practical skills: 60 hours
preparation of a simulated discussion forum: 14 hours
preparation for a final oral exam: 10 hrs

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 4

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
50.0	25.0	25.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

Last changed: 25.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-008 | **Course name:** Spanish History and Society in Cinematography

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Seminar paper addressing the selected topic (max. 30 p.). Final test (max. 70 p.). The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
Seminar paper
b) final assessment:
Final written test

Learning objectives:
The student: 1) navigates Spanish cinematography of the 20th and 21st centuries and knows major Spanish directors 2) can analyse a film and compare it to its literary model 3) can characterise and evaluate the selected historical periods in Spain 4) can identify the social and historical context in a film.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Spain at the beginning of the 20th century: rural world and political direction, loss of the last Spanish colonies, Primo de Rivera and his rule.
2. 2nd Republic. Coup d'état of 1936. Spanish Civil War.
3. Franco's dictatorship (1936–75): isolationism, emigration, Spain as a tourist destination, nationalism, ETA.
4. Spain at the end of the 20th century: transition towards democracy – cinematography as a mirror of the social changes, modernisation, immigration, return to monarchy (Juan Carlos I), socialists and Felipe González, ETA.
5. Spain in the 21st century – assassinations 11S and 15M, Catalan independence, King Felipe VI.
5. Successful Spanish directors (C. Saura, P. Almodóvar, L. Buňuel, Luis García Berlanga, Juan Antonio Bardem, José Luis Garci, Alejandro Amenábar) and their works.

Recommended literature:
1. SALVADOR, A. (2009) Español de cine. Lo que hay que ver. Barcelona: Blume, 2009.
2. MONACO, J. (2004) Jak číst film. Svět filmů, médií a multimédií. Praha: Albatros, 2004.
3. CHALUPA, J. (2017) Dějiny Španělska. Praha: Nakladatelství Lidové noviny, 2017.

4. BOLUFER, M., GOMIS, J. (eds.) (2015) Historia y cine. La construcción del pasado a través de la ficción. Zaragoza: Institución Fernando el Católico, 2015. https://ifc.dpz.es/publicaciones/ebooks/id/3523
5. Forteza Faro, Agustín (2015) Películas de libros. Zaragoza: Prensas universitarias de Zaragoza, 2015.
6. Spanish movies (dubbed or with subtitles)

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Student time load - Total: 150 h.
Combined study (L, S, C): 26 h.
Self-study: 24 h.
Analysis of the selected film scenes: 30 h.
Seminar paper preparation and delivery: 30 h.
Preparation for the final exam: 40 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 8

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
87.5	0.0	12.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Eva Reichwalderová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-sju-001	**Course name:** Spanish Language 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The maximum total number of points obtained for the interim and final assessment is 100.
Credits will be awarded to a student who has earned at least 65 out of 100 points for fulfilling the specified requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
participation and activities in classes (0-20 points)
b) final assessment:
final exam (0-80 points)

Learning objectives:
At the end of the course, the student is able to give information about himself and his family, introduce his field of study and the school where he studies, talk about his habits, describe his room/apartment/house; he can communicate in the present tense, recognises the announcement and command modes; knows the principles of Spanish grammar at A1 level; understands basic vocabulary expressions and can use them in the right situation; can understand simple text on common topics, understand simple instructions and follow simple orientation instructions.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Family, 2. Days of the week, months, 3. Everyday repetitive activities, 4. Reversible verbs in the present tense, 5. Imperative negative, 6. Description of the house/apartment and furnishings, 7. Eating habits in Spain and Slovakia, 8. Timing of irregular verbs in the present tense, 9. Leisure time

Recommended literature:
1. CASTRO VIÚDEZ, F. et al. 2012. Español en marcha. Madrid: SGEL. 2012
2. CORPAS, J. et al. 2013. Aula internacional 1 Nueva edición. Barcelona: difusión.

Language of instruction:
Spanish A1

Notes:student time load:
120 hours, of which: full-time study: 26 hours Exam preparation + written exam: 94 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 41

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
58.54	19.51	7.32	2.44	7.32	4.88	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Eva Reichwalderová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 14.09.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-sj-001 | **Course name:** Spanish language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:
slovak or another langiage (except spanish)

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 130

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
30.0	29.23	19.23	10.77	5.38	3.85	1.54	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Eva Reichwalderová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 21.09.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fju-010	**Course name:** Special Topics in French stylistics

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: 20% of the final assessment comprises the continuous participation of students during seminars dedicated to the analysis, potential correction and creation of various types of texts with various lengths in French. At the end of the semester students will hand in a written text in French (dominantly a narration) on a topic specified latest in the third week of the semester. Its evaluation represents 40% from the final assessment. It will be possible to hand in the written text only once in an exactly specified timeframe (arranged together with the topic). At the end of the semester students take a final written test focused on the theoretical knowledge and terminology related to French stylistics of mostly literary texts and text grammar. The written test represents 40% from the final assessment. Students have the right for one resit of the final written exam. The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65% out of a possible 100%. a) continual assessment: Preparation of texts and exercises for the seminars, their sharing and discussion: 20% b) final assessment: Final written test focused on the acquired theoretical knowledge: 40% Written text (dominantly a narration) on a specified topic (max. 3 pages): 40%

a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment: Preparing and sharing texts and activities for seminar classes followed by discussion: 20%

b) final assessment:
Final assessment: Final written exam focusing on acquired theoretical knowledge 40%, writing a narrative on an assigned topic (max. 3 pages): 40%

Learning objectives:
Course aims: Students: 1. Will be able to adequately utilize French terms from the field of literary and argumentative text stylistics and text grammar in specialised discussions 2. Will be able to analyse various types of texts in French from the point of view of employed genres and narrative techniques 3. Will be able to find and classify means of textual coherence and cohesion (anaphora, cataphora, deictic markers, various types of text connectors) 4. Will master / apply basic procedures utilized in the creation of French written texts in practice (mainly those which come into play in the creation of selected administrative texts or argumentative texts and literary texts, mainly those which are dominantly a narration)

Brief outline of the course:

Brief outline of the course: Stylistics – history of the discipline, definition, the scope of study. Stylistic factors. Language registers. Type of texts in French. Text analysis – content and form. Basic styles, genres, narrative techniques – practical demonstration on individual types of texts (narration, description, information, argumentative, literary). Rules of text composition: principle of sequentiality, clarity, economy, expressivity. Text structuring in French. Features and factors which influence the creation of a literary text – characters, environment (time and place), plot and story, narrator (various types), narrative perspective (focalization) and its basic types, literary means of expression – figures and tropes. Means of textual coherence and cohesion. Administrative texts – motivational letter, curriculum vitae (form and content). Narration in practice. French résumé. Argumentative text.

Recommended literature:

1. HERSBERG PIERROT, A. : Stylistique de la prose. Paris : Belin, 1993.
2. BUFFARD-MORET, B. : Introduction à la stylistique. Paris : Armand Colin, 2005.
3. REUTER, Y. : L'analyse du récit. Paris : Nathan/VUEF, 2003.
4. LAURENT, N.: Initiation à la stylistique. Paris : Hachette Livre, 2001.
5. NIQUET, G. : Ecrire avec la logique et clarté. Paris : Hatier. 1996.
6. PEYROUTET, C.: Expression – méthodes et techniques. Paris: Nathan, 1992.
7. ARÉNILLA-BÉROS, A. : Améliorez votre style 1, 2. Paris : Hatier, 1996.
8. COTENTIN-REY, G. : Le résumé, le compte-rendu, la synthèse. Paris : CLE International, 1995.
9. MEYER, B. : Maîtriser l'argumentation. Paris : Armand Colin, 2011.

Language of instruction:

Language of instruction: french (B2, C1)

Notes:student time load:

Student time workload: 150 hrs. Combined studies (L, S): 26 hrs. Preparation of texts / exercises / assignments for the seminars: 44 hrs. Writing a text on a specified topic in the form of a narration (texte narrative), max. 3 pages long: 30 hrs. Preparation for the final written test: 50 hrs.

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 3

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 16.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-003 | **Course name:** Specialised Translation – French

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student analyses two specialised texts and translates them (2.5 standard pages) from French into Slovak. Topics: linguistics, cultural tourism, wine-making, forestry, wood processing, electronic communication. The student presents an analysis of the parallel texts used in translation as well as their own comments on the process. Upon completion of the semester, the student takes a written exam.
The student has the right to one resit.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
Analysis of the specialised text: 0–20 p.
Translation (2.5 standard pages): 0–20 p.
Presentation: 0–10 p.
Total: 0–50 p.
b) final assessment:
Final written exam (in-class translation): 0–50 p.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. can identify and use correct terminology (cultural tourism, linguistics, wine-making, electronic communication, forestry, wood processing)
2. and analyse specialised text in French as well as in Slovak
3. applies the basic specialised translation techniques
4. can evaluate the quality and reliability of French and Slovak dictionaries
5. can evaluate the specificities of an informative specialised text
6. can translate a specialised text from French into Slovak.

Brief outline of the course:
Scholarly style: characteristics, properties, categorisation, genres. Specialised translation techniques. Grammatical peculiarities of informative specialised texts. Terminology in specialised translation. Analysing parallel informative specialised texts in Slovak and French. Translation

of informative specialised and popular-scientific texts (cultural tourism, linguistics, wine-making, electronic communication, forestry, wood processing).

Recommended literature:

1. BILOVESKÝ, V. – DJOVČOŠ, M. Vybrané kapitoly z translatológie I., II. Banská Bystrica, FHV UMB, 2010, 2013.
2. GROMOVÁ, E. – HRDLIČKA, M. – VILÍMEK, V. (ed.) Antologie teorie odborného překladu (výběr z prací českých a slovenských autorů). Ostrava : Ostravská univerzita, Filozofická fakulta, 2010.
3. KŘEČKOVÁ, V. Terminologie & Linguistique. Construction des ensembles terminologiques bilingues. Banská Bystrica : Fakulta humanitných vied, Univerzita Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici, 2012.
4. Proceedings: Professional translation. Available on the Internet: www.sspol.sk.
5. Proceedings of translation conferences: Translation and interpretation, Studia Romanistica Beliana, From text to translation.
6. Original texts in Slovak and French: texts from tourist guides, texts from grammar textbooks, texts from the field of environmental protection, forestry, furniture making, winemaking and electronic communications.
7. General and specialized, explanatory and translation, terminological dictionaries.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, French C1

Notes:student time load:
Student time load: Total - 150 h.
Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations):
26 h. Analysis of the specialised text: 35 h.
Translation (2.5 standard pages): 25 h.
Presentation (PowerPoint, ca 14 minutes): 14 h.
Preparation for the final written exam (ca 45 minutes): 50 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 20

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
85.0	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Lucia Ráčková, PhD.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-005 | **Course name:** State Exam Master's Thesis Defence

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 20

Recommended semester/trimester: 3., 4..

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 9

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)
66.67	11.11	11.11	11.11	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor:

Last changed: 10.12.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-dip-125	**Course name:** State Exam. Master Thesis with Defence.

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: A (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 20

Recommended semester/trimester: 3., 4..

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
a) Continuous assessment: b) Final assessment:
The state exam and defence of the master thesis is based on an oral discussion.
The state examination committee comprehensively evaluates the review of supervisor and the second reader and also results of master thesis defence. It conforms to the following rules.
Aspect of final theses taking into consideration in the reviews:
1. Theoretical mastering of given topic (linguistic and literary-science and translatological knowledge and its practical use; proven level of theoretical knowledge relating to the analysed topic);
2. Methodology of the topic processing (identification of terms, problems, aims and methods used in the thesis; explanation clarity, level of argumentation use and expressing opinion);
3. Analytical nature and originality of thesis (analysis level, its completeness and depth of issue solving, extent of originality of thesis, relation between description and own attitude and evaluation);
4. Overall thesis structure (appropriateness of the topic and thesis aim; extent, balance and inside connection of particular parts of the thesis);
5. Work with the literature (extent, structure and representativeness of quoted and used literature, its appropriate and erudite use in the text);
6. Formal aspect of the thesis (graphic, language and aesthetic arrangement, clarity and comprehensibility of composition and style; following the rules for the arrangement and writing of final theses).
Each point expresses one aspect which is evaluated by the assessment from A to FX. The final assessment is the mean of assessments for particular points.
Each member of the state examination committee evaluates the bachelor thesis defence according to the assessment from A to FX. Members take into consideration level of presented issue and the final thesis content, satisfaction with answers to questions stated in the reviews and ability of student to apply knowledge of the study program during the discussion about the issue of the final thesis.
The final assessment is the mean of assessments for particular points.

Learning objectives:
By passing the state examination and defending the master thesis students will:

1. Gain knowledge relating to the problem addressed in the master thesis.
2. Be capable of
- understanding the basic context of the problem at hand and formulating preliminary conclusions from master thesis, or recommendations for practice,
- using of gained competence of German language for the reception of specialized literature and for the appropriate written and oral specialized expression.
3. Utilise
- relevant specialised sources and from these identify important notions for the context of the thesis,
- theoretical knowledge of the subject matter in practical applications, respectively in methodology of its research,
- linguistic, literary-scientific and translatological connections while explaining the solved problem,
- use and apply principles of bibliographic and citation standards.
4. Be able to
- analyse the topic at hand in a logical structure of the master thesis,
- design and verify teaching methods to solve the problem addressed in the bachelor's thesis, respectively project and realize its research and interpreting the results,
- critically and logically work with the theoretical background of the problem at hand in the given context and use it in specialised communication while reasoning and defending their own views on the problem at hand,
5. Create
- a consistent specialised, analytical or application text, which contains creative utilisation of relevant specialised sources, the student's own unique thoughts and possible solutions to the problem at hand.

Brief outline of the course:
Specialised knowledge of the problem addressed in the master thesis, of its contrastive, German, translation-interpreting, interdisciplinary and international context. Practical transformation of chosen theoretical knowledge of a relevant specialization. Research methodology of solved issue. The integration and application of theoretical knowledge from the individual disciplines of German university study and gained competences. Specialised communication and argumentation. Dealing with literature, bibliographic and citation standards.

Recommended literature:
Literatúra k problematike diplomovej práce podľa odporúčania vedúceho diplomovej práce.
KIMLIČKA, Š.: Ako citovať a vytvárať zoznamy bibliografických odkazov podľa noriem ISO 690 pre „klasické" a elektronické zdroje. Bratislava: STIMUL, 2002.
MEŠKO, D. – KATUŠČÁK, D.: Akademická príručka. 2. dopl. vydanie. Martin : Osveta, 2005.
Smernica č.12/2011 o záverečných, rigoróznych a habilitačných prácach na UMB v Banskej Bystrici.
BÜNTING, K.-D. et al:Schreiben im Studium: mit Erfolg; ein Leitfaden; präzise formulieren, Themen erarbeiten. 5. Aufl., Berlin : Cornelsen Scriptor, 2006
HEESEN, B.:Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten: Methodenwissen für das Bachelor-, Master- und Promotionsstudium. 2., überarb. und aktualisierte Aufl. Berlin : Springer Gabler, 2013.
Ďalšia literatúra podľa téz k štátnej skúške.

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
Student time workload: 600 hrs.
Consultations: 20 hrs.
Self-study: 140 hrs.

Processing of the master thesis with realised research: 140 hrs.
Thesis preparation: 180 hrs.
Preparation for the state exam: 120 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 20

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)
60.0	25.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor:

Last changed: 09.11.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-sva-001	**Course name:** Student Scientific Activity GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 2

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student addresses the topic of their Student Scientific Activity in a 10-page paper and submits it by the deadline. Upon its submission, the student is assigned the credits and the course is assessed as completed in AiS2 (abs).

b) final assessment:
Subsequently, the student presents their paper to a commission at the student conference. Upon its submission and presentation, the student is assigned the credits and the course is assessed as completed in AiS2 (abs).

Learning objectives:
The student:
1) gains experience with academic writing and research methods in their field of study
2) learns how to apply they knowledge in practice and follow the citation norms
3) creates, submits, and presents their own paper.

Brief outline of the course:
Continuous consulting with the supervisor. Creation and submission of the paper. Presentation of the paper at the student conference.

Recommended literature:
ECO, Umberto: Jak napsat diplomovou práci. Olomouc : Votobia, 1997.
KAHN, N. B.: Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha: Portál, 2001.
KATUŠČÁK, Dušan: Ako písať záverečné a kvalifikačné práce. Nitra: Enigma, 2013.
Smernica č. 9/2021 o záverečných, rigoróznych a habilitačných prácach na UMB: https://www.ff.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=a&ID=23830

Language of instruction:
Slovak, German

Notes:student time load:
student time load 90 h.
Self-study (creation of the paper): 85 h.
Consulting with the supervisor: 5 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 10

abs	n	p	v
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PhDr. Eva Molnárová, PhD., univ. doc., Mgr. Jana Štefaňáková, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 27.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-stu-803 | **Course name:** Student Tutoring Ge 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
At the beginning of the semester, the student reads the study regulations and identifies the needs of students who need tutorship. Upon consulting with the department study advisor, the student creates a plan of awareness raising activities. During the semester, the student performs awareness raising activities. Upon completion of the semester, they draft a self-reflective evaluation report.

a) continuous assessment:
analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p.
Preparation of activities: 0–25 p.
Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
Total: 0–70 p.

b) final assessment:
completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. is able to identify the needs and problems of the tutored students
2. can communicate properly within the student community
3. can independently provide consulting activities
4. navigates the academic environment well enough to provide useful advice
5. creates a communication platform on a social network and uses it efficiently
6. can evaluate other students' needs
7. can select appropriate forms of promotion of their activities
8. can evaluate the benefit of their creative activities and present their results.

Brief outline of the course:
The tutor cooperates with the department ECTS coordinators in consulting and providing information on study issues to students in accordance with the study rules and valid legislation.

They self-study the study regulations. In cooperation with the study advisor, they advise other students on the selection of courses and creation of study plans in AiS2. They share their own experience with the selection and acquisition of study literature, studying for exams, individual study possibilities, scholarships, and participating in student organisations. They identify, analyse, and evaluate the tutored students' needs (e.g. via an online survey). In cooperation with the department study advisor and other student tutors, they prepare informational presentations and discussions, and promotes them. They inform other students on important dates in the academic schedule. They collect complaints and ideas, evaluate, and communicate them to the responsible staff. They communicate via an appropriate social media platform as well.
Students can enrol in this course upon consultation with the ECTS coordinator dr. Eva Molnárová.

Recommended literature:

KAHN, Norma B. 2001. Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha : Portál, 2001.
MEŠKO, Dušan – KATUŠČÁK, Dušan – FINDRA, Ján a kol. 2013. Chcete byť úspešní na vysokej škole? Akademická príručka. Martin : Osveta, 2013.
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Smernica č.12/2011 o záverečných, rigoróznych a habilitačných prácach na Univerzite Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici. Dostupné na internete: https://www.ff.umb.sk/dokumenty/smernice.html
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Sprievodca užívateľa ECTS. 2015. Luxembourg : Publications Office of the European Union, 2015. Dostupné na internete: https://www.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=i&ID=5679
Študijný poriadok Univerzity Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici pre študentov študijných programov akreditovaných od 1. 1. 2013. Dostupné na internete: https://www.umb.sk/studium/student/know-how-pre-studenta/studijne-predpisy.html
VETRÁKOVÁ, Milota. 2014. Systém kvality vzdelávania na Univerzite Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici. Banská Bystrica : Belianum, 2014.
Zákon č. 131/2002 Z. z. o vysokých školách a o zmene a doplnení niektorých zákonov v znení neskorších predpisov. Dostupné na internete: https://www.zakonypreludi.sk/zz/2002-131

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Time load for the student: Total time load: 90 h.
Self study: 5
consulting the activity plan: 5.
Preparation of activities: 20
Implementation of these activities: 40
Preparation of the final report: 20

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 6

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PhDr. Eva Molnárová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 26.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-stu-804 | **Course name:** Student Tutoring Ge 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
At the beginning of the semester, the student reads the study regulations and identifies the needs of students who need tutorship. Upon consulting with the department study advisor, the student creates a plan of awareness raising activities. During the semester, the student performs awareness raising activities. Upon completion of the semester, they draft a self-reflective evaluation report.

a) continuous assessment:
analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p.
Preparation of activities: 0–25 p.
Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
Total: 0–70 p.

b) final assessment:
completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. is able to identify the needs and problems of the tutored students
2. can communicate properly within the student community
3. can independently provide consulting activities
4. navigates the academic environment well enough to provide useful advice
5. creates a communication platform on a social network and uses it efficiently
6. can evaluate other students' needs
7. can select appropriate forms of promotion of their activities
8. can evaluate the benefit of their creative activities and present their results.

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:
KAHN, Norma B. 2001. Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha : Portál, 2001.

MEŠKO, Dušan – KATUŠČÁK, Dušan – FINDRA, Ján a kol. 2013. Chcete byť úspešní na vysokej škole? Akademická príručka. Martin : Osveta, 2013.
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Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Time load for the student: Total time load: 90 h.
Self study: 5
consulting the activity plan: 5.
Preparation of activities: 20
Implementation of these activities: 40
Preparation of the final report: 20

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 7

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PhDr. Eva Molnárová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 26.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-fjs-013	**Course name:** Student scientific activity

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 2

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student addresses the topic of their Student Scientific Activity in a 10-page paper and submits it by the deadline. Upon its submission, the student is assigned the credits and the course is assessed as completed in AiS2 (abs).

b) final assessment:
Subsequently, the student presents their paper to a commission at the student conference. Upon its submission and presentation, the student is assigned the credits and the course is assessed as completed in AiS2 (abs).

Learning objectives:
The student:
1) gains experience with academic writing and research methods in their field of study
2) learns how to apply they knowledge in practice and follow the citation norms
3) creates, submits, and presents their own paper.

Brief outline of the course:
Continuous consulting with the supervisor. Creation and submission of the paper. Presentation of the paper at the student conference.

Recommended literature:
KATUŠČÁK, Dušan: Ako písať záverečné a kvalifikačné práce. Nitra: Enigma, 2013.
Smernica č. 9/2021 o záverečných, rigoróznych a habilitačných prácach na UMB: https://www.ff.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=a&ID=23830
ECO, Umberto: Jak napsat diplomovou práci. Olomouc : Votobia, 1997.
KAHN, N. B.: Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha: Portál, 2001.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, French

Notes:student time load:
Time load for the student:
Time load for the student: 90 h. Self-study (creation of the paper): 85 h. Consulting with the supervisor: 5 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

abs	n	p	v
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD., Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

Last changed: 07.10.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-011 | **Course name:** Student tutoring FR 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
At the beginning of the semester, the student reads the study regulations and identifies the needs of students who need tutorship. Upon consulting with the department study advisor, the student creates a plan of awareness raising activities. During the semester, the student performs awareness raising activities. Upon completion of the semester, they draft a self-reflective evaluation report.
a) continuous assessment:
analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p. Preparation of activities: 0–25 p. Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
Total: 0–70 p.
b) final assessment:
completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment:
Analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p. Preparation of activities: 0–25 p. Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
b) final assessment:
Final assessment:
Completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. is able to identify the needs and problems of the tutored students
2. can efficiently communicate with the student community

3. can independently provide consulting activities
4. navigates the academic environment well enough to provide useful advice
5. creates a communication platform on a social network and uses it efficiently
6. can evaluate other students' needs
7. can select appropriate forms of promotion of their activities
8. can evaluate the benefit of their creative activities and present their results.

Brief outline of the course:
The tutor cooperates with the department ECTS coordinators in consulting and providing information on study issues to students in accordance with the study rules and valid legislation. They self-study the study regulations. In cooperation with the study advisor, they arrange meetings with new students at the beginning of the academic year.
They inform the new students about life at the university, their rights and responsibilities, and explain the principles of credit study. They advise students on the selection of courses and creation of study plans in AiS2. They share their own experience with the selection and acquisition of study literature, studying for exams, individual study possibilities, scholarships, and participating in student organisations. They identify, analyse, and evaluate the tutored students' needs (e.g. via an online survey). In cooperation with the department study advisor and other student tutors, they prepare informational presentations and discussions, and promotes them. They inform other students on important dates in the academic schedule. They collect complaints and ideas, evaluate, and communicate study related issues to the relevant employees. They communicate via an appropriate social media platform as well.

Recommended literature:
KAHN, Norma B. 2001. Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha : Portál, 2001.
MEŠKO, Dušan – KATUŠČÁK, Dušan – FINDRA, Ján a kol. 2013. Chcete byť úspešní na vysokej škole? Akademická príručka. Martin : Osveta, 2013.
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Sprievodca užívateľa ECTS. 2015. Luxembourg : Publications Office of the European Union, 2015. Dostupné na internete: https://www.umb.sk/app/cmsFile.php?disposition=i&ID=5679
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Zákon č. 131/2002 Z. z. o vysokých školách a o zmene a doplnení niektorých zákonov v znení neskorších predpisov. Dostupné na internete: https://www.zakonypreludi.sk/zz/2002-131

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Time load for the student: Total time load: 90 h. 5
consulting the activity plan: 5. Preparation of activities: 20

Implementation of these activities: 40
Preparation of the final report: 20

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 07.10.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjs-012 | **Course name:** Student tutoring FR 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction:
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods:
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
At the beginning of the semester, the student reads the study regulations and identifies the needs of students who need tutorship. Upon consulting with the department study advisor, the student creates a plan of awareness raising activities. During the semester, the student performs awareness raising activities. Upon completion of the semester, they draft a self-reflective evaluation report.
a) continuous assessment:
analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p. Preparation of activities: 0–25 p. Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
Total: 0–70 p.
b) final assessment:
completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points (%).
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment:
Analysis and evaluation of complaints/needs/issues: 0–20 p. Preparation of activities: 0–25 p. Implementation of these activities: 0–25 p.
b) final assessment:
Final assessment:
Completing the final self-reflective evaluation report addressing the activities performed and their results including the relevant appendices (activity plan, promotion, list of attendees, photo documentation), and recommendations
0–30 p.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. is able to identify the needs and problems of the tutored students
2. can efficiently communicate with the student community

3. can independently provide consulting activities
4. navigates the academic environment well enough to provide useful advice
5. creates a communication platform on a social network and uses it efficiently
6. can evaluate other students' needs
7. can select appropriate forms of promotion of their activities
8. can evaluate the benefit of their creative activities and present their results.

Brief outline of the course:
The tutor cooperates with the department ECTS coordinators in consulting and providing information on study issues to students in accordance with the study rules and valid legislation. They self-study the study regulations. In cooperation with the study advisor, they arrange meetings with new students at the beginning of the academic year.
They inform the new students about life at the university, their rights and responsibilities, and explain the principles of credit study. They advise students on the selection of courses and creation of study plans in AiS2. They share their own experience with the selection and acquisition of study literature, studying for exams, individual study possibilities, scholarships, and participating in student organisations. They identify, analyse, and evaluate the tutored students' needs (e.g. via an online survey). In cooperation with the department study advisor and other student tutors, they prepare informational presentations and discussions, and promotes them. They inform other students on important dates in the academic schedule. They collect complaints and ideas, evaluate, and communicate study related issues to the relevant employees. They communicate via an appropriate social media platform as well.

Recommended literature:
KAHN, Norma B. 2001. Jak efektivně studovat a pracovat s informacemi. Praha : Portál, 2001.
MEŠKO, Dušan – KATUŠČÁK, Dušan – FINDRA, Ján a kol. 2013. Chcete byť úspešní na vysokej škole? Akademická príručka. Martin : Osveta, 2013.
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pre-studenta/studijne-predpisy.html
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Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
Time load for the student: Total time load: 90 h. 5
consulting the activity plan: 5. Preparation of activities: 20

Implementation of these activities: 40
Preparation of the final report: 20

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Monika Zázrivcová, PhD.

Last changed: 07.10.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-009 | **Course name:** Terminological work (creation of terminological collections)

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: During the semester, students will prepare the presentation with the given topic of seminar and prepare the seminar paper in the extent of about 3-4 pages, in which they create five bilingual terminological entries, according to the texts analysis. The student will make a translation of the given medium-demanding and terminologically saturated professional text supplemented by prepared bilingual terminological records in the number of 5 pairs for the specified terms.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to the student who acquires a minimum of 65 out of possible 100 points.
Continuous assessment:
Seminar paper: 0-20 points,
Presentation in the seminar: 0-20 points,
Making terminological records: 0-40 points
Professional translation: 0-20 points
In total: 0-100 points
a) continuous assessment:
Continuous assessment:
Seminar paper: 0-20 points,
Presentation in the seminar: 0-20 points,
Making terminological records: 0-40 points
Professional translation: 0-20 points
In total: 0-100 points

Learning objectives:
Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students:
1. Will use methodology of terminological work,
2. Are able to evaluate the quality of terminological databases and dictionaries,
3. Ally the gained knowledge in the translation practice,
4. Evaluate the level of bilingual equivalence of terms,

5. Evaluate terminological sources and terminological methods while creating equivalences of foreign languages terms,
6. Create the collection of bilingual French-Slovak terminology.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
Term, terminology, terminography. Term and word. Terms structure and creation. Terminological work: institutions and organizations. Typology of terminological (specialized) dictionaries. Terminological databases. Methodology of terminological work. Terminological entry and its content. Term definition. Term context. Thematic field of term and its conceptual structure. Problematic of foreign language terms equivalence.

Recommended literature:
1. VAN CAMPENHOUDT, M. Abrégé de terminologie multilingue. [en ligne] Dostupné na internete : http://www.termisti.refer.org/theoweb1.htm.
2. STN ISO 10241. Medzinárodné terminologické normy. Tvorba a úprava. Bratislava: Slovenský ústav technickej normalizácie, 2000.
3. STN ISO 1087-1.Terminologická práca. Slovník. Časť 1 : Teória a aplikácia. Bratislava : Slovenský ústav technickej normalizácie, 2003.
4. STN ISO 704. Terminologická práca. Princípy a metódy. Bratislava: Slovenský ústav technickej normalizácie, 2005.
5. MASÁR, I. 1991. Príručka slovenskej terminológie. Bratislava: SPN, 1991.
6. KŘEČKOVÁ, V. 2012. Terminologie & Linguistique. Construction des ensembles terminologiques bilingues. Banská Bystrica : Fakulta humanitných vied – Univerzita Mateja Bela v Banskej Bystrici, 2012.

Language of instruction:
Language of instruction: slovak, french C1 - C2

Notes:student time load:
Notes:student time load:
Student time workload: 120 hrs.
Combined study (L,S,C): 26 hrs.
Presentation preparation (Power Point, about 14 minutes): 4 hrs.
Seminar paper: 10 hrs.
Making terminological records: 45 hrs.
Terminological analysis of specialized texts: 30 hrs.
Professional translation: 5 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 2

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
0.0	50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

Last changed: 25.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-116 | **Course name:** Terminology of German Economic Texts

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions: During the semester, students will need to pass a written test. At the end of the semester, they will need to pass the second test. The maximum number of points for continuous and final assessment is 100. The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%). Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
a) Continuous assessment:1st written test: 0-45 pointsb) Final assessment:2nd written test: 45 points, Presentation in the seminar: 0-10 points.
a) continuous assessment:
1. written test: 0-45 p.
presentation: 0-10 p.
b) final assessment:
2. written test: 0-45 p.

Learning objectives:
Course aims:Students will broaden vocabularies from the field of Germaneconomics, will learn terminology of the German economy, gain skills when dealing with German economic texts and develop communicative skills in the context of specialized economic language. They will be oriented in specialized economic text and understand rules of its structure. They will gain knowledge in basic economic terminology. They will be able to communicate and interpret in this field and also translate various specialized texts of economics.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:Dealing with specialized texts from the field of economy. The terminology training from the field of economy (banking, finance, taxes, legal entrepreneurship forms, trade, trade contracts, delivery and payment conditions, etc.) according to exercises and conversations. Translation of economic texts.

Recommended literature:
1. HÖFFGEN, A.: Deutsch für den Beruf. Ismaning: Max Hueber Verlag, 2009. ISBN 978-3-1910-7245-2.
2. BUHLMANN, R. - FEARNS, A.- LEIMBACHER, E.: Wirtschaftsdeutsch von A bis Z. Lehr- und Arbeitsbuch. Berlin, München : Langenscheidt, 1995. ISBN 3-468-49849-7.

3. BUHLMANN, R. - FEARNS, A.- LEIMBACHER, E.: Wirtschaftsdeutsch von A bis Z. Kommunikation und Fachwortschatz in der Wirtschaft Berlin, München : Langenscheidt. 2008. ISBN 978-3-1260-6185-8.
4. EISMANN, V.: Wirtschaftkommunikation, Stuttgart: Klett Verlag. 2013. ISBN‽ 978-3-1260-6186-5.
5. HÖPPNEROVÁ, V.: Wirtschaftsdeutsch aktuell. Praha: Ekopress, 2010. ISBN 978-8-0869-2958-3.
Vybrané špeciálne texty a cvičenia k daným témam a texty na preklad

Language of instruction:
Slovak, German B2 - C1

Notes:student time load:
Notes: Student time workload: 150 hrs.
Combined study (S, C): 26 hrs.
Preparation for the seminar (analysis of specialized texts): 54 hrs.
Preparation for tests: 70 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 24

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
37.5	20.83	41.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Palina Lissitsyna

Last changed: 26.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-lin-117	**Course name:** Terminology of German Juridical Texts

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Course completion conditions:
During the semester, students will:
- prepare assigned tasks and make presentations during the seminars,
- prepare seminar paper.
Credits will not be assigned to the student who do not pass all tasks and assign less than 65 points for the seminar paper.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%).
Credits are assigned to students who acquire a minimum of 65 points out of a possible 100.
When students acquire less than the required number of points (65) for the seminar paper, they have one chance to resit the exam.
a) Continuous assessment:
Seminar paper: 0-100 points.

Learning objectives:
Course aims:
Students will be:
1. able to characterize terms of specialized text and specialized language,
2. able to point out their specifics by means of concrete text analysis,
3. knowledgeable with the characteristics and rarities of juridical language,
4. able to systematically analyse specialized texts from the field of law with an emphasis to the morphosyntactic and lexical level, taking into consideration contrastive specifics of the language pair German-Slovak,
5. knowledgeable in basic terminology of selected juridical fields,
6. able to apply gained knowledge from terminology while translating juridical texts,
7. able to deal with parallel texts and create terminological glossaries.

Brief outline of the course:
Brief outline of the course:
The subject focuses on the mediation of the theoretical knowledge about characteristics and rarities of juridical language and juridical texts, linguistic and translation analysis and interpretation of juridical texts, with an emphasis to the lexical level, term comparison, dealing with parallel texts

and creation of terminological glossaries from selected juridical fields and also use of correct terms in the correct context.

Recommended literature:

1. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2003. Morfologicko-syntaktické a textové aspekty nemeckého právneho jazyka. Univerzita Mateja Bela, Fakulta humanitných vied, Banská Bystrica, 2003.
2. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2009. Rechtstext als Objekt der Tätigkeit des Übersetzers. In: Kalverkämper,
Hartwig – Schippel, Larisa (Hrsg.) : TransÜD. Arbeiten zur Theorie und Praxis des Übersetzens und Dolmetschen. Translation zwischen Text und Welt – Translationswissenschaft als historische Disziplin zwischen Moderne und Zukunft. Bd. 20, Berlin : Franck & Timme, 2009.
3. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena. 2008. Niekoľko poznámok k problémom pri preklade právnych textov. In:
Ďuricová, A. (edit.): Od textu k prekladu II. Praha : JTP, 2008, s. 30 – 36.
4. ĎURICOVÁ, Alena (edit.) 2010. Od textu k prekladu V. Praha : Jednota tlmočníkov a prekladateľov, 2010.
5. Ďuricová, Alena.2016. Preklad právnych textov. Teória, prax, konvencie, normy. Banská Bystrica: Belianum. 2016
6. FLUCK, Hans-Rüdiger 1996. Fachsprachen: Einführung und Bibliographie. Tübingen: Francke
Verlag, 1996.
7. HILDEBRAND, Tina. 2017. Juristischer Gutachtenstil. Ein Lehr- und Arbeitsbuch. Tübingen: Francke
Verlag, 2017.
8. HOFFMANN, Lothar. 1987. Kommunikationsmittel Fachsprache. Berlin: Akademie-Verlag, 1987.
9. HOFFMANN, Monika.2019. Deutsch fürs Jurastudium. In 10 Lektionen zum Erfolg. 2019.
10. GROMOVÁ, Edita. 1996. Interpretácia v procese prekladu. Nitra : Vysoká škola pedagogická Nitra, Fakulta humanitných vied, 1996.
11. KADRIĆ, Mira – KAINDL, Klaus – KAISER-COOKE, Michèle. 2010. Translatorische Methodik. Wien : Facultas Verlags- und Buchhandels AG, 2010.
12. KOLLER, Werner. 2004. Einführung in die Übersetzungswissenschaft. Wiebelsheim : Quelle & Meyer Verlag GmbH & Co., 2004.
13. NORD, Christiane. 2009. Textanalyse und Übersetzen. Theoretische Grundlagen, Methode und didaktische Anwendung einer übersetzungs-relevanten Textanalyse. Tübingen : Julius Groos Verlag, 2009.
14. REIß, Katharina. 1993. Texttyp und Übersetzungsmethode: der operative Text. Heidelberg : Groos, 1993.
15. RÖLCKE, Thorsten. 2020. Fachsprachen. Berlin : Erich Schmidt, 2020.
16. STOLZE, Radegundis. 2009. Fachübersetzen – Ein Lehrbuch für Theorie und Praxis. Berlin : Franck & Timme, 2009.
17. VAJÍČKOVÁ, Mária/ ĎURICOVÁ, Alena/ KOSTELNÍKOVÁ, Mária
/ TUHÁRSKA, Zuzana. 2011. Stilistische Prinzipien der Gestaltung administrativer und juristischer Texte. Am Beispiel deutscher, slowakischer und englischer Texte der Europäischen Union. Nümbrecht : KIRSCH-Verlag, 2011.
18. VAJIČKOVÁ, Mária / ĎURICOVÁ, Alena / TUHÁRSKA, Zuzana. 2009. Ausgewählte Aspekte der Fachtexte. Univerzita Mateja Bela, Banská Bystrica : FHV UMB, 2009.
19. Wissik, Tanja. 2014. Terminologische Variation in der Rechts- und Verwaltungssprache. Deutschland – Österreich – Schweiz.Berlin: Frank & Time, 2014.

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
Notes:
150 hrs.
Combined study (S, C): 26 hrs.
Preparation for the seminar: 39 hrs.
Study of theory, dealing with parallel texts: 50 hrs.
Seminar paper: 35 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 8

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
75.0	12.5	12.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Alena Ďuricová, PhD.

Last changed: 14.11.2021

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lin-118 | **Course name:** Terminology of Natural Sciences Texts GE

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Presence in classes is required (maximally 2 absences), preparation of a seminar paper – work on the assigned tasks, active participation in classes, acquisition of a minimal knowledge level (minimum of 65% out of point assessment on the exam). Students must be enrolled for the course through AIS during the particular period.
A student has a right for one resit of a written test.
The course assessment corresponds to the A-FX grading scale: A (100 – 94%), B (93 – 87%), C (86 – 80%), D (79 – 73%), E (72 – 65%).
a) continuous assessment:
preparation for seminars - preparation of assignments: 15 points
terminology test: 55 points

Learning objectives:
Students will:
1. be able to characterize terms: professional text and professional language and point out their specifics via particular text analysis,
2. be able to clarify uniqueness of technical language from the field of natural sciences,
3. be able to systematically analyse professional texts from the field of natural sciences with an emphasis on morpho-syntactic and lexical level, taking into account the contrastive specifics of the language pair German – Slovak,
4. gain knowledge of the basic terminology of selected fields of natural sciences (e.g. selected areas from the fields of biology, medicine, physics, etc.).

Brief outline of the course:
The content of the course is aimed at conveying the theoretical knowledge of professional languages and their specifics with emphasis on the field of natural sciences, the basic features of a professional text (lexical and morphosyntactic level), taking into account the contrastive specifics of the German-Slovak language pair. On the practical level, the emphasis is on the analysis and interpretation of specific professional texts, especially in the field of medicine and biology, the comparison of terms, the use of correct terms in a specific context, and working with a language corpus.

Recommended literature:
1. FLUCK, Hans-Rüdiger: Fachsprachen: Einführung und Bibliographie. Tübingen: Francke Verlag, 1991.

2. IVANOVÁ, Alena – HROMADOVÁ, Katarína: Deutsch für medizinische Berufe. Bratislava : UK Bratislava, 2010.
3. MOKROŠOVÁ, Ivana – BAŠTOVÁ, Lucie: Němčina pro lékaře. Praha: Grada, 2009.
4. STRACK, Richard: Grundwortschatz für Pflegeberufe. Stuttgart: Kohlhammer, 2008.
5. Tuhárska, Zuzana: Die Analyse der semantisch-kognitiven Ebene der Fachsprache. Untersucht am Beispiel von Texte aus der Biologie. Hamburg: Verlag Dr. Kovač, 2011.
6. Tuhárska, Zuzana: Sémantické a kognitívne aspekty skúmania didakticky zameraného odborného textu z oblasti biológie. Banská Bystrica: Fakulta humanitných vied Univerzity Mateja Bela, 2010.
7. Lekársky slovník. Slovensko nemecký a nemecko-slovenský (elektronický, ESD licencia). Lingea, 2019.
8. Čierny, Daniel a kol.: Nemecko-slovenský slovník medicíny. Bratislava: Veda, 1998.

Language of instruction:
German B2 - C1, Slovak

Notes:student time load:
150 hours, of which:
combined studies(S, C): 26 hours
self-study: 30 hours
continuous preparation for classes: 25 hours
preparation for an exam: 43 hours
translation: 26 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 26

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
50.0	30.77	11.54	3.85	3.85	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PhDr. Eva Molnárová, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 26.03.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-006 | **Course name:** Text Interpretation and Translation Criticism

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Active participation in seminars, test focused on theory, final seminar paper + presentation addressing the knowledge gained throughout the semester. The work can be theoretical or practical per instructions.
The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%).
Credits are assigned to the student who acquires the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.

b) final assessment:
Active attendance: 0– 10 p.
Test focused on theory: 0–20 p.
Seminar paper presentation: 0–20 p.
Seminar paper: 0–50 p.

Learning objectives:
The student learns about text interpretation and writing translation critiques/metacritiques. They learn about the origins of translation criticism and its evolution with the focus on the Slovak Translation School as well as foreign approaches to the methodology of translation criticism and text interpretation, e.g. translation quality assessment vs. translation criticism. The student knows multiple approaches to translation criticism as a genre, can differentiate between comparative and non-comparative translation criticism, literary criticism, literary studies vs. translation studies, etc. The student can evaluate the methodological appropriateness of translation criticism and its cultural-literary analytical parts, and proves this ability by creating a seminar paper focused on translation criticism metacriticism. The goal of this course is to help the student enhance their ability to interpret the primary texts (translations criticised) and literary/scholarly paratexts (translation criticism – procedure, methodology, etc.).

Brief outline of the course:
• Literary text interpretation and its types. Eco's view of interpretations and over-interpretation. Author's death according to Roland Barthes.
• Historical milestones in translation criticism.
• The functions of translation criticism before and after Czechoslovakia (1918–1938).
• Translation criticism in historical journals – Hlas, Elán, Revue svetovej literatúry, Slovenské pohľady, Romboid.

• Translation criticism genres and methodology.
• Berman’s concept of translation criticism and objectivisation issues.
• Translation criticism vs. quality assessment.
• Approaches to AV translation criticism.
• Translation criticism models – Hewson, Rise, Popovič, Ferenčík.
• Stratification of translation criticism after the Velvet Revolution and new media.
• Critical reflection of contemporary translation criticism.
• Methodological shortcomings in translation criticism, objectiveness in literary text interpretation. The relationship of translation studies and literary studies within translation criticism.

Recommended literature:

1. BAGIN, A. 1981. Žánre kritiky prekladu. In: Slavica Slovaca, ročník 16. č. 2.
2. LAŠ, M. 2019. Kritika umeleckého prekladu na Slovensku včera a dnes. Vydavateľstvo Univerzity Mateja Bela - Belianum, 2019. - 168 s. ISBN 978-80-557-1634-3
3. BEDNÁROVÁ, K. 2015. Rukoväť dejín prekladu na Slovensku II. (Situácia slovenského umeleckého prekladu v 20. storočí). Univerzita Komenského Bratislava, 2015, s. 66. ISBN 978-80-223-3838-7
4. ECO, U. et. al. Interpretácia a nadinterpretácia. Archa, 1995, ISBN: 80-7115-080-0.
5. HEWSON, L. 2011. An Approach to Translation Criticism. John Benjamin's Publishing Co. ISBN 9789027224439
6. HOCHEL, B. 2001. Prekladová kritika v praxi. In: Slovak Review. 2001, č. 10, s. 17- 33
7. POPOVIČ, A. 1975. Teória umeleckého prekladu. Bratislava : Tatran, 1975, 290 p.
8. REISS, K. 2000 (1971). Potentials and Limitations of Translation Criticism. St. Jerome Publication. Routledge. ISBN 1900650266.
9. ZEHNALOVÁ, J. 2015. Kvalita a hodnocení překladu: Modely a aplikace. Olomouc : Univerzita Palackého. 2015, 344 s., ISBN 978-80-244-4795-7.
10. LAŠ, M. 2019. Kritika umeleckého prekladu včera a dnes. Banská Bystrica: UMB, 2019, 167 s. Dostupné online.

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:
150 h.
Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 26 h.,
self-study: 42 h.
Translation criticism research: 42 h.
Preparation of the seminar paper: 40 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 124

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
29.84	21.77	19.35	15.32	8.06	2.42	3.23	0.0

Instructor: doc. PhDr. Anita Huťková, PhD., Mgr. Matej Laš, PhD., univ. doc.

Last changed: 28.10.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-vdsl-02 | **Course name:** The Great Works in World Literature II

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2., 4.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student prepares an essay in which he/she takes a position on the issue discussed.
The final assessment is passed/failed.

Learning objectives:
1. The student will obtain an adequate overview of the origin and functioning of selected representative literary works from several civilizational and cultural areas from medieval literature to contemporary literature; will improve in professional terminology.
2. The student will acquire the specific interpretation skills necessary when working with a literary text anchored in a radically different cultural environment, thereby strengthening tolerance towards cultural differences and the will to respect the right to be different.
3. The student is able to conduct research on the assigned topic, can identify reliable sources, select relevant information from them and present it to others in a clear and useful form.
4. The student will acquire an organized sum of knowledge and a more widely applicable set of useful habits, methods, approaches, competences applicable in the interpretation of literary and non-literary texts or other cultural phenomena from various cultural periods.

Brief outline of the course:
Some of the greatest works of the European literature from the Middle Ages to the present day will be presented. It will be a selective selection of the presentation of literary worlds and the values they created.
The Divine Comedy as the main work of the Middle Ages or the Renaissance? The Middle Ages as the "cradle" of European culture and education. Testaments enfant terrible. The spiciness of the Decameron and Laura's ephemerality. From Shakespeare to French classical drama. Playwrights and their (non)dramatic characters. Fairy tales that changed the world. Shock the bourgeois! Avant-gardes in world art. Literature as a place for women. On Freedom, Being and Apricot Cocktails: Existentialism in World Literature. Crazy for Life: The Beat Generation and Their Followers. Great works in small publishers.

Recommended literature:
1. BURKE, Peter. Kulturní historie. Dokořán, 2011.
2. MACURA, V. a kol.: Slovník světových literárních děl.
3. PIŠÚT, M.: Dejiny svetovej literatúry (I., II.).
4. Malá encyklopédia spisovateľov sveta

5. VANTUCH, A.: Dejiny francúzskej literatúry.
6. BAŠTÍN, Š.: Dejiny anglickej a americkej literatúry.
7. STROMŠÍK, J.: Od Grimmelshausena k Dürenmattovi – Kapitoly z německé literatury.
8. CVRKAL, I.: Z dejín európskych literatúr 20. storočia.
9. CVRKAL, I.: Kapitoly z moderny, avantgardy a postmoderny.
10. NEZVAL, V.: Moderní básnické směry.
11. KASÁČ, Z.: Svetová literatúra 20. storočia.
12. Heslo Svetová literatúra, v: http://hyperlexikon.sav.sk/sk/pojem/zobrazit///svetova-literatura
13. http://encyclopedia.thefreedictionary.com/Literature

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
90 hours, of which 26 hours full-time, 64 hours self-study

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 78

abs	n	p	v
92.31	7.69	0.0	0.0

Instructor: PaedDr. Zuzana Bariaková, PhD., prof. PaedDr. Martin Golema, PhD., doc. Ivan Jančovič, PhD., Mgr. Martina Kubealaková, PhD., univ. doc., Mgr. Eva Pršová, PhD., doc. PaedDr. Jozef Tatár, PhD., Mgr. Eva Urbanová Šimková, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-lit-146 | **Course name:** Transcultural literature

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
Reading the primary literature as part of independent study.
Presentation of a selected literary text and its interpretation during the teaching period of the semester.
Preparation of a final term paper of approximately 10 pages, to be submitted upon completion of the teaching period of the semester.
a) Continuous assessment:
- Presentation and participation in seminars: 0–20 points
b) Final assessment:
- Term paper: 0–80 points
Credits will be awarded to students who obtain a minimum of 65 out of 100 points for fulfilling the specified requirements. Assessment is based on the following grading scale:
A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%)

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. Is able to understand the developmental trends in literature written by authors with a migration background.
2. Is familiar with the history and specific characteristics of this literature.
3. Is able to apply methodological approaches to the analysis and interpretation of this literature.
4. Is able to work with the concepts of “identity”, “otherness” and “cultural memory” in literary interpretations.
5. Develops a creative approach to the process of literary interpretation.
6. Is able to analyse the linguistic and aesthetic characteristics of these texts.

Brief outline of the course:
1. The concept of “transcultural/intercultural/migrant literature” (plurality of terms and the history of this literature).
2. Approaches to literature (postcolonial studies, cultural studies, imagology, intercultural literary studies).
3. Gastarbeiterliteratur (Rafik Schami, Franco Biondi).
4. Czech-Slovak migration (Irena Brežná, Libuše Moníková, Zdenka Becker, Stanislav Gregor, Jiří Gruša).

5. Romanian-German literature (Herta Müller, Richard Wagner, Oskar Pastior).
6. Turkish-German literature (Feridun Zaimoğlu, Emine Sevgi Özdamar).
7. Transcultural/intercultural/migrant literature in Austria (Stanislav Gregor, Vladimir Vertlib).
8. Transcultural/intercultural/migrant literature in Switzerland (Aglaja Veteranyi).

Recommended literature:

ŠEDÍKOVÁ ČUHOVÁ, P.: Literatúra a migrácia. Verbum, 2021.
CHIELLINO, C.: Interkulturelle Literatur in Deutschland. Ein Handbuch. Stuttgart: Metzler, 2007.
SCHENK, K.: Migrations Literatur. Tübingen: Francke Verlag, 2004.
HOFMANN, M.: Interkulturelle Literaturwissenschaft. Eine Einführung. Paderborn: Wilhelm Fink Verlag, 2006.
WALDENFELS, B.: Grundmotive einer Phänomenologie des Fremden. Frankfurt am Main: Suhrkamp, 2006.
AMODEO, I.: Die Heimat heißt Babylon. Zur Literatur ausländischer Autoren in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland. Opladen: Westdeutscher Verlag, 1996.
Updated selections of literary works and texts for analysis and interpretation will be made available on the lecturer’s profile.

Language of instruction:
Slovak, German (B2 - C1)

Notes:student time load:
Total Student Workload: 150 hours, distributed as follows:
Combined (contact and distance) study: 26 hours
Reading of literary texts: 34 hours
Analysis of literary texts: 30 hours
Preparation of a presentation: 15 hours
Preparation of the term paper: 45 hours

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 1

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Paulína Šedíková Čuhová, PhD.

Last changed: 12.11.2026

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-trs-005 | **Course name:** Translated Literature and Interliterary Relationships

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 1.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
The student has to pass the final test focused on translated literature and its history as well as interliterary relationships. The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. The grading scale: A (100–94%), B (93–87%), C (86–80%), D (79–73%), E (72–65%). Credits are assigned if the student collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
a) continuous assessment:
Seminar paper
b) final assessment:
Final written test

Learning objectives:
The student 1) understands the diachronic and synchronic development of translation 2) can characterise the stages of translation history and analyse the selected translated works 3) can identify and understands the interliterary relationships of a translated work (translation/translator as a contact mediator).

Brief outline of the course:
The concept of translated literature and its place in the interliterary process. The origins of translated literature – ancient translations. From ancient authors towards contemporary European literature. The language specifics of translated literature – Czech and Slovak as the target languages. The topics addressed in the translated literature within different periods: Pre-Romanticism, Romanticism, Realism, Modernism, Socialism. Interliterary communities. The interliterary process, searching for differences, analogies, and confrontations within a text. Dual affiliation/multiaffiliation in translators. Bilateralism and polyliterariness. The systematically developed dual affiliation. The role and place of translated literature today. Manipulation and propaganda in translation. Major Slovak translators.

Recommended literature:
1. BEDNÁROVÁ, K. (2015) Rukoväť prekladu na Slovensku I. (18. a 19. storočie). Bratislava: Univerzita Komenského, 2015.
2. BEDNÁROVÁ, K. (2015) Rukoväť prekladu na Slovensku II. (Situácia slovenského umeleckého prekladu v 20. storočí). Bratislava: Univerzita Komenského, 2015.

3. BILOVESKÝ, V. – ŠUŠA, I. (2012) Banskobystrická translatológia. Banská Bystrica : Fakulta humanitných vied, 2012.
4. HUŤKOVÁ, A. (2003) Vybrané kapitoly z dejín prekladu literárno-umeleckých textov. Banská Bystrica : Filologická fakulta, 2003.
5. ĎURIŠIN, D. (1992) Čo je svetová literatúra? Bratislava : Obzor, 1992
6. PASSIA, R. – MAGOVÁ, G. (Eds.) (2015) Deväť životov. rozhovory o preklade a literárnom živote. Bratislava: Kalligram. 2015.
7. FELIX, J. (1999) Slovenský preklad v perspektíve histórie a dneška. In: Chiméra prekladania. Antológia slovenského myslenia o preklade. Editorka: Dagmar Sabolová. Bratislava : Veda, Vydavateľstvo SAV a Ústav SAV, 1999.
8. CHALUPA, J. – REICHWALDEROVÁ, E. Danza de máscaras: motivaciones políticas e ideológicas de las transformaciones de las imágenes mediáticas: Picasso, García Lorca y Ortegy y Gasset en la prensa checoslovaca. Sevilla: Caligrama, 2021.
9. ŠUŠA, I. (2014) Úvod do štúdia prekladovej literatúry. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, 2014.
10. FRANEK, L. (2015) Štatút komparatistiky v slovenskej literárnej vede. In Slavica literaria 18, 2015, 1, s. 41-52.
11. Zborníky Preklad a tlmočenie (1-11) a Preklad a kultúra (1-4). Banská Bystrica : Filologická fakulta, Fakulta humanitných vied a Filozofická fakulta UMB (1997-2014) a Nitra : Filozofická fakulta UKF (2004-2014)

Language of instruction:
Slovak

Notes:student time load:
150 h. Combined study (lectures/seminars/consultations): 26 h. Self-study (of specialised literature): 24 h. Analysis of a selected translation: 30 h. Seminar paper preparation and presentation: 30 h. Studying for the final test: 40 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 149

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
21.48	41.61	20.81	11.41	4.03	0.67	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Eva Reichwalderová, PhD., univ. doc.

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Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-fjf-008 | **Course name:** Translation and Interpreting in the EU

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Practical / Seminar
Course type: B (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13 / 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 5

Recommended semester/trimester: 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, the student writes a 5 pgs paper addressing a selected EU policy (contents, historical and social context, terminology) and creates a bilingual French-Slovak glossary (ca 40–50 items) covering the key terminology. Subsequently, the
student presents their paper (.ppt, 15 minutes). Simultaneous interpreting preparation involves 5 medium-length speeches (5–10 minutes). Consecutive interpreting preparation involves 5–10 dialogical texts (1–2 standard pages). The student creates a corpus of French vs. Slovak texts addressing the selected EU policies and proceeds to create 5 pairs of terminological units. Subsequently, the student translates a selected text from this corpus (2 standard pages). They also analyse a recording of their own interpreting performance.
The maximum number of points consisting of continuous and final assessment is 100. Course assessment corresponds to the standard A-FX grading scale. Final assessment: A – 100–94% (Excellent), B – 93–87% (Very Good), C – 86–80% (Good), D – 79–73% (Satisfactory), E – 72–65% (Passing).
Credits are assigned to the student who collects the minimum of 65 points out of the possible 100 for completing the given requirements.
Continuous assessment.
Paper: 0–10 p. Glossary: 0–10 p. EU policy presentation (contents and terminology): 0–10 p. Interpreting self-assessment (simultaneous interpreting – 5
medium length speeches + consecutive interpreting – 7–10 dialogical texts including notation): 40 p. Interpreting performance analysis: 0–10 p. Corpus + terminology: 0–10 p. Specialised translation: 0–10 p.

a) continuous assessment:
Paper: 0–10 p. Glossary: 0–10 p. EU policy presentation (contents and terminology): 0–10 p. Interpreting self-assessment (simultaneous interpreting – 5medium length speeches + consecutive interpreting – 7–10 dialogical texts including notation): 40 p. Interpreting performance analysis: 0–10 p. Corpus + terminology: 0–10 p. Specialised translation: 0–10 p.

Learning objectives:
The student:
1. can effectively use suitable simultaneous and consecutive interpreting strategies as well as notation

2. can interpret intermediate terminologically saturated speeches addressing the EU (FR to SK) and evaluate the terminological equivalents
3. responds flexibly under pressure
4. can analyse own and peers' interpreting performance in an objective and critical manner
5. navigates EU policies including the key terminology, knows the EU terminological databases and can use them in practice.

Brief outline of the course:
EU institutions. EU organisational structure. EU policies. EU policy terminology. Interpreting in the context of intercultural information transfer. Dealing with pressure. Interpreting strategies. Creation of glossaries, text corpora, and terminological records. Note-taking in interpreting. Conference diplomacy. Intermediate EU speeches – interpreting in practice. Interpreting performance – analysis and assessment. Working with EU terminological databases in practice – translation of institutional texts addressing EU policies.

Recommended literature:
1. DJOVČOŠ, M. 2012. Kto, čo a za akých podmienok prekladá. Banská Bystrica: FHV UMB, 2012
2. DROBNÁ, D. 2009. História, kultúra, jazyky - dôležité prvky európskej integrácie a európskej identity. Banská Bystrica : Univerzita Mateja Bela, 2009.
3. CHOVANCOVÁ, K. Niektoré prostriedky ekonomizácie prejavu pri simultánnom tlmočení. In: Mladá veda 2009: humanitné vedy – lingvistika: zborník vedeckých štúdií. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.62-68.
4. JALÓN, J.-B. 2004. De Paris à Nuremberg : naissance de l'interprétation de conférence. Ottawa: Les Presses de l'Université d'Ottawa, 2004.
5. VALLOVÁ, E. 2011. Konferenčná diplomacia pre tlmočníkov a prekladateľov. In: Preklad a tlmočenie 9: kontrastívne štúdium textov a prekladateľská prax. Banská Bystrica: Univerzita Mateja Bela, s.359-364.
6. VESELÁ, D. 2013. Tlmočenie z francúzskeho jazyka: texty a cvičenia. Banská Bystrica: Belianum, vydavateľstvo UMB v Banskej Bystrici, 2013.
7. VESELÁ, D. 2013. Terminológia politík EÚ a jej implementácia do univerzitných tlmočnícko-prekladateľských študijných programov. In: Terminologické fórum IV. : bez terminológie niet odbornej komunikácie. Trenčín : Trenčianska univerzita Alexandra Dubčeka, 2013, s. 77-88.

Language of instruction:
Slovak C2, French C1–C2

Notes:student time load:
Student time load: Total - 120 h.
Combined study (L, S, C): 26 h.
Paper creation: 10 h.
Glossary creation: 10 h.
Ppt. creation: 4 h.
Preparation for the evaluation of practical skills (simultaneous and consecutive interpreting, translation): 50 h.
Interpreting performance analysis: 5 h.
Creation of the text corpus and terminological records: 15 h.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 1

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD., Mgr. Dagmar Veselá, PhD.

Last changed: 02.11.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajm-313 | **Course name:** Turkish Language 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, students will take a written test that will verify the practical use of their knowledge. They will take a written test with variable assignments for the practical application of theoretical knowledge and take the final oral exam after the end of the semester.
The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions.
The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%).
a) continuous assessment:
a) written test – 40 points
b) final assessment:
b) final written examination: 0 – 60 points

Learning objectives:
Students will be able:
1. to talk about places/directions/family/occupation in Turkish,
2. to listen to and understand some simple short dialogues in Turkish,
3. to read some texts in Turkish,
4. to write some texts in Turkish.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Greeting
2. Daily Life
3. Our family and our relatives
4. Time is passing
5. Enjoy your mail
6. Bureaucracy everywhere
7. The future wıll come some day also
8. He said something
9. Different worlds and lifes
10. Our media
11. Healthy living

12. Travel

Recommended literature:
1. Gökkuşağı Türkçe Eğitim Kitabı (Rainbow Turkish Education Book), Mgr Öztürk TUNCAY, Dilset, 2014.
2. Yeni Hayat (New Life), Gedik Enver, Mevsimler, 2015.
3. Yabancı Dil Olarak Türkçe Öğretimi, Prof Dr. Güzel Abdurrahman, Akçağ, 2002.
4. Etkinliklerle Türkçe Öğretimi, Aslan Derya and Doğan Birsen, Ekin, 2013.
5. Haydi Türkçe Öğrenelim, commision, Yunus Emre enstitüsü, 2015.

Language of instruction:
English language B2

Notes:student time load:
student workload: 90 hrs.
seminars: 13
study for the continuous written test: 30 hrs.
study for the final oral exam: 47 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 99

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
64.65	8.08	10.1	13.13	2.02	2.02	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Dr. İsmail Aydo#du

Last changed: 16.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-ajm-314 | **Course name:** Turkish Language 2

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, students will take a written test that will verify the practical use of their knowledge. They will take a written test with variable assignments for the practical application of theoretical knowledge and take the final oral exam after the end of the semester.
The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions.
The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%).
a) continuous assessment:
a) written test – 40 points
b) final assessment:
b) final written examination: 0 – 60 points

Learning objectives:
Students will be able:
1. to talk about places/directions/family/occupation in Turkish,
2. to listen to and understand some simple short dialogues in Turkish,
3. to read some texts in Turkish,
4. to write some texts in Turkish.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Greeting
2. Daily Life
3. Our family and our relatives
4. Time is passing
5. Enjoy your mail
6. Bureaucracy everywhere
7. The future wıll come some day also
8. He said something
9. Different worlds and lifes
10. Our media
11. Healthy living

12. Travel
13. Turkish culture and identity
14. Lifestyle

Recommended literature:
1. Gökkuşağı Türkçe Eğitim Kitabı (Rainbow Turkish Education Book), Mgr Öztürk TUNCAY, Dilset, 2014.
2. Yeni Hayat (New Life), Gedik Enver, Mevsimler, 2015.
3. Yabancı Dil Olarak Türkçe Öğretimi, Prof Dr. Güzel Abdurrahman, Akçağ, 2002.
4. Etkinliklerle Türkçe Öğretimi, Aslan Derya and Doğan Birsen, Ekin, 2013.
5. Haydi Türkçe Öğrenelim, commision, Yunus Emre enstitüsü, 2015.

Language of instruction:
English language B2

Notes:student time load:
student workload: 90 hrs.
seminars: 13
study for the continuous written test: 30 hrs.
study for the final oral exam: 47 hrs.

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 59

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
62.71	15.25	11.86	6.78	0.0	3.39	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Dr. İsmail Aydo#du

Last changed: 16.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-ajm-315	**Course name:** Turkish Language 3

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 13
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:
During the semester, students will take a written test that will verify the practical use of their knowledge. They will take a written test with variable assignments for the practical application of theoretical knowledge and take the final oral exam after the end of the semester.
The maximum number of points for the continuous and final assessment is 100. Credits will be assigned to the student who acquires a minimal 65 out of 100 points for the fulfilment of the given conditions.
The evaluation will be based on the ECTS grading scale: A (100-94%), B (93-87%), C (86-80%), D (79- 73%), E (72- 65%).

a) continuous assessment:
a) written test – 40 points

b) final assessment:
b) final written examination: 0 – 60 points

Learning objectives:
Students will be able:
1. to talk about places/directions/family/occupation in Turkish,
2. to listen to and understand some simple short dialogues in Turkish,
3. to read some texts in Turkish,
4. to write some texts in Turkish.

Brief outline of the course:
1. Greeting
2. Daily Life
3. Our family and our relatives
4. Time is passing
5. Enjoy your mail
6. Bureaucracy everywhere
7. The future wıll come some day also
8. He said something
9. Different worlds and lifes
10. Our media
11. Healthy living

12. Travel
13. Turkish culture and identity
14. Lifestyle

Recommended literature:

1. Gökkuşağı Türkçe Eğitim Kitabı (Rainbow Turkish Education Book), Mgr Öztürk TUNCAY, Dilset, 2014.
2. Yeni Hayat (New Life), Gedik Enver, Mevsimler, 2015.
3. Yabancı Dil Olarak Türkçe Öğretimi, Prof Dr. Güzel Abdurrahman, Akçağ, 2002.
4. Etkinliklerle Türkçe Öğretimi, Aslan Derya and Doğan Birsen, Ekin, 2013.
5. Haydi Türkçe Öğrenelim, commision, Yunus Emre enstitüsü, 2015.

Language of instruction:

English language B2

Notes:student time load:

student workload: 90 hrs.
seminars: 13
study for the continuous written test: 30 hrs.
study for the final oral exam: 47 hrs.

Course assessment

The final number of assessed students: 12

A	B	C	D	E	FX(0)	FX(1)	n
33.33	0.0	8.33	41.67	0.0	16.67	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Dr. İsmail Aydo#du

Last changed: 16.08.2022

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-FS1-003 | **Course name:** University folklore ensemble 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 21

abs	n	p	v
100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. art. Martin Urban, PhD.

Last changed: 04.04.2023

Approved by: prof. Mgr. Vladimír Biloveský, PhD., prof. PhDr. Zuzana Bohušová, PhD., prof. PhDr. Katarína Chovancová, PhD.

Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Code: 2d-UKO1-003	**Course name:** Univerzitný komorný orchester 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 5

abs	n	p	v
80.0	20.0	0.0	0.0

Instructor: Mgr. Pavel Martinka, PhD.

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Course Description

University: Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Faculty: Faculty of Arts

Code: 2d-SPZ1-003 | **Course name:** Univerzitný spevácky zbor 1

Type, extent and method of instruction:
Form of instruction: Seminar
Course type: C (A - Compulsory courses, B - Compulsory elective courses, C - Elective courses)
Recommended number of periods: 26
Method of study: combined

Number of credits: 3

Recommended semester/trimester: 1., 3.

Level: II.

Prerequisites:

Course completion conditions:

Learning objectives:

Brief outline of the course:

Recommended literature:

Language of instruction:

Notes:student time load:

Course assessment
The final number of assessed students: 19

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