

## Information sheet for the course Economics and History of European Integration

<b>University:</b> <i>Alexander Dubček University of Trenčín</i>	
<b>Faculty:</b> <i>Faculty of Social and Economic Relations</i>	
<b>Course unit code:</b> <i>LZV52</i>	<b>Course unit title:</b> <i>Economics and History of European Integration</i>
<b>Type of course unit:</b> <i>optional</i>	
<b>Planned types, learning activities and teaching methods:</b> <i>2 hours of lectures per week. 28 hours of lectures. Full-time.</i>	
<b>Number of credits:</b> <i>3</i>	
<b>Recommended semester:</b> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> semester in the 2<sup>st</sup> year of study (full-time) 5<sup>th</sup> semester in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year of study (part-time)</i>	
<b>Degree of study:</b> <i>II (Master)</i>	
<b>Course prerequisites:</b> <i>none</i>	
<b>Assessment methods:</b> <i>During the semester, there will be one written test in which students may score 40 points. Final assessment: A: 91 points, B: 81 points, C: 71 points, D: 61 points, E - 51 points.. At the end of the semester during the examination period: Credit. Final grading: achieved average.</i>	
<b>Learning outcomes of the course unit:</b> <i>After the course completion, students will be familiar with the theoretical basis regarding the past and present development of the European Union. The course comprehensively reviews the development of the European Union, the review of institutional and functional relations of European integration process. Students will be able to characterize the European Union, its origin and development, EU authorities, various EU policies. Students will understand the issues of economics, history, current developments of Western European economic integration and demonstration forms of EU economic policy. After successful completion of the course, students will be able to make analyses within the political and economic consequences of Slovakia's accession to European Union and importance of Slovakia's current and future full involvement in the processes of economic integration.</i>	
<b>Course contents:</b> <i>1. Globalization processes and the processes of international economic integration in international economics. 2. Development of the European Community. 3. EU law. 4. EU institutions. 5. European single market. 6. European Monetary Union. 7. Common EU trade policy. 8. Common EU Agricultural policy. 9. Common transport and foreign-security policy. 10. EU industrial and EU regional policy. 11. EU social policy and EU migration policy, the Schengen system. 12 The Treaty of Lisbon. 13. Current problems of economics and politics of the European Community (debt crisis, enlargement).</i>	
<b>Recommended / required reading:</b>	

Havierníková, K. – Fabuš, M. – Krajčo, K.: *Hospodárska politika Európskej únie. TnUAD, Trenčín 2013*  
 Lipková, L.: *Európska únia. Sprint, Bratislava 2011*  
 Cihelková, E. a kol.: *Vnější ekonomické vztahy Evropské Unie. C. H. Beck, Praha 2003*  
 Fojtíková, L. – Lebiezík, M.: *Společné politiky Evropské Unie. C. H. Beck, Praha 2008*  
 Jovanovič, M. N.: *The Economics of European Integration. Edward Egarr Publishin, UK/USA 2005*  
 Larry, N.: *The Economics of Europe and the European Union. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge 2007*  
 Lipková, L.: *Európska únia – praktikum. Ekonóm, Bratislava 2007*  
 Kunešová, H. – Cihelková, E. a kol.: *Světová ekonomika. C.H. Beck, Praha 2007*  
 Časopis FSEV – Sociálno-ekonomická revue.  
 Odborná časopisecká literatúra: *Odporúčané články a štúdie.*

**Language:** Slovak

**Remarks:**

*Course is offered in the winter semester of the second year of full-time in the winter semester of the third year of part-time study. The course is optional.*

**Evaluation history: 12**

A	B	C	D	E	FX
33.33	25.0	16.67	8.33	16.67	0.0

**Lectures:** *Ing. Marcel Kordoš, PhD.*

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