Information sheet for the course Italian Language

University: Alexander Dubček University of Trenčín

Faculty: Faculty of Social and Economic Relations

Course unit code: VSV18 Course unit title: Italian Language

Type of course unit: optional

Planned types, learning activities and teaching methods: 2 lessons per week. in-class format, per semester 28

Number of credits: 2

Recommended semester: 4. semester in the 2nd year (full-time)

4. semester in the 2^{nd} year (part-time)

Degree of study: *I. (bachelor)* **Course prerequisites:** *none*

Assessment methods:

Throughout the semester, active participation, preparation of required tasks (preparing CV and Covering letter in English language) will be assessed. There will be two written tests - 30 points each. Assessment: A -- 55 points minimum, B -- 50 points min., C -- 45 points min., D -- 40 points min. E - 35 points min. Students who fail to collect the minimum of 15 points will not be awarded the credits. At the end of the semester, during the exam period: credit test. Final assessment: average result of all grades achieved.

Learning outcomes of the course unit:

The course will enable students to gain specialized language knowledge in the area of history of the European Union, its institutions and bodies, company and non-profit organization management, discussing and negotiating, and cultural specifics. The student will be able to communicate and present in the German language topics related to EU issues, company management while taking into account intercultural differences in individual countries. The student will understand the vocabulary and grammatical structures used in the area associated with the European Union, company management and negotiation management. After successfully completing the learning process, students will be able to communicate in german and ready to proceed in the follow-up university study.

Course contents:

- 1. Balanced state budget. The revenue and expenditure structure of the state budget.
- 2. Taxes, tax system. Tax law in the Slovak Republic. Legal entity and natural person income tax. The structure of tax revenues.
- 3. Public Service. Services, financial benefits.
- 4. Difference between goods and services. Private and public services.
- 5. Banking. Historical development of banks. Different types and forms of banks. Basic roles of banks. Banking services and products.
- 6. Criteria for the selection of banking products. Phrases in conversations with bank clerks when asking for a bank loan.
- 7. Discussing the benefits and weaknesses of different banking products.
- 8. European Central Bank. The objectives and tasks of the European Central Bank. Structure of the European banking system. Bodies and decision-making authorities of the European Central Bank.
- 9. Regional Development. The future of mutual cooperation between Slovakia and Austria. Evaluation and annual report.
- 10. Regional development projects. Proposals and suggestions of the European Union on regional cooperation. Projects of cross-border cooperation in various fields.
- 11. European cooperation and regional collaboration projects in the field of energy.

- 12. Scrutiny in public administration. Scrutiny bodies.
- 13. Recent problems of public administration.

Recommended of required reading:

Collela, G.: Che cos'é la stilistica. Carocci, Roma 2010

Dizionario di retorica e stilistica. Libreria, Utet 2008

Foschi, A., M.: Il profilo stilistico del testo. Guida al confronto intertestuale e interculturale. Plus,

Pisa 2009

Galdi, L.: Introduzione alla stilistica italiana. Patron, Bologna1971

Hlušík, M.: Talianska gramatika. Kniha – Spoločník, Bratislava 2001

Hlušík, M. – Saccardinová, M.: Taliansko-slovenský slovník. Kniha – Spoločník, Bratislava 2003

Mengaldo, V.: Prima lezione di stilistica. Roma Bari, Laterza 2007

Sehnalová, Z. – Sehnal, R.: Veľký taliansko – slovenský frazeologický slovník. Kniha–

Spoločník, Bratislava 2005

Taliančina – konverzácia so slovníkom a gramatikou. Lingea, Bratislava 2010

Current sources, specialized dictionaries, Ineternet

Language: Italian Language

Remarks:

Evaluation history: 0

A	В	С	D	Е	FX
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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