Information sheet for the course Macroeconomics

University: Alexander Dubček University of Trenčín						
Faculty: Fakulta sociálno-ekonomických vzťahov						
Course unit code: □ <i>VSP17</i>	Course unit title: ☐ Macroeconomics					
Type of course unit: compulsory						
Planned types, learning activities and teaching methods: 2 hours of lectures / 2 hours of seminars per week. 28 hours of lectures / 28 hours of seminars per week. In-class format.						
Number of credits: 5						
Recommended semester: 3rd						
Degree of study: I.						
Course prerequisites: Microeconomics						

Assesment methods:

Continuous assessment during the semester is according to prepared papers, practical exercises and presentation of the overall assessment. Students can get max. 30 points. On completion of a course must students pass the oral examination with assessment max. 70 points. To pass the course the student must obtain a semester for a total of at least 60 points. Total score will be given as results of the test, ongoing activities and work during the semester.

Learning outcomes of the course unit:

A student by passing the subject will gain basic knowledge of the theoretical questions of complex macroeconomic relations. The student will know basic information about the functioning of the economy, its principles and determinants of state policy. The student will understand all the relevant processes taking place in the economy and an impact on the economic and social development of society. After the successful completion of a learning process student will be able to do analysis of the functioning of the national economy, define the role of economic growth factors, to understand the issue of employment, inflation, the principle of operation of the business cycle, the problem of balance and relationship in the world economy.

Course contents:

- 1. Place of macroeconomics in economic theory and the relationship to microeconomics.
- 2. Macroeconomics as a scientific discipline.
- 3. Subjects of macroeconomic and their position in the market.
- 4. The macroeconomic variables, content, methods of calculation and their measurement.
- 5. The national income as production, distribution and use.
- 6. Aggregate demand and aggregate supply.
- 7. Money, foreign exchange and capital markets.
- 8. Human capital and its impact on the development of gross domestic product.
- 9. IS-LM model.
- 10. The internal economic balance.
- 11. Open economy and its balance.
- 12. Consumption, wages, prices, savings, investments and relationships between them.
- 13. Free theme chosen by the students. Consultation.

Recommended of required reading:

Habánik, J. a kolektív: Makroekonómia. TnUAD, Trenčín 2011

Baránik M. – Habánik, J.: Základy makroekonómie, IRIS, Bratislava 2002

Baránik, M. – Habánik, J.: Makroekonómia. TnUAD, Trenčín 2004

Habánik, J. a kol.: Príklady a úlohy z makroekonómie. TnUAD, Trenčín 2011

Habánik, J. – Masárová, J.: Makroekonómia – praktikum. TnUAD, Trenčín 2004

Helísek, M.: Makroekonómie. Melandium, Praha 2000

Language: Slovak

Remarks:

Subject is offered in the winter semester of the second year of full-time studies and external studies. This course is mandatory. The number of students in a seminar group ranges from 20 to 25 students.

Evaluation history:

Total number of students being assessed: 665

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20.15	14.44	21.5	11.28	15.04	17.59

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