

(Table 5.2) Course unit description

Study program : Hospitality and Tourism			
Type and level of studies: Academic studies, basic level			
Course unit: Tourism and Environment			
Teacher in charge : Kostic M. Marija; Lukovic Milica			
Language of instruction: English			
ECTS: 7			
Prerequisites: No special prerequisites			
Semester: Summer semester			
Course unit objective Concepts of sustainability that affect the tourism industry; the range of tourism developments designed to maintain environmental, social and economic well being of natural, built, and cultural resources; the inherent stability of natural ecosystems in order that certain parallels may be drawn and guiding principles applied to the management of tourism based projects.			
Learning outcomes of Course unit Develop an awareness of the environmental, socio-cultural and economic impacts of tourism. Acquire knowledge of the possible measures to redress the negative impacts of tourism. Develop an understanding and appreciation of sustainability in tourism. Develop knowledge and understanding of the concept of ecotourism. Incorporate the principles of sustainable tourism into developing and managing tourism destinations and products.			
Course unit contents <i>Theoretical classes</i> Sustainable development of tourism . Environmental impacts of tourism. Social and cultural impacts of tourism. Economic impacts of tourism. Principles of sustainable tourism. Principles of sustainable tourism. Managing destinations. Steps to sustainable tourism. Biological diversity and tourism. World Summit on Sustainable Development and Tourism. Ecotourism and sustainable tourism. Case studies of (un)sustainable tourism practices <i>Practical classes</i> Lectures, Discussions, Case studies			
Literature 1. Holden, A. 2000. Environment and Tourism. London: Routledge. 2. Wearing, S. and J. Neil. 1999. Ecotourism: impacts, potentials, and possibilities. Oxford: Butterworth-Heinemann			
Number of active teaching hours			Other classes
Lectures: 3	Practice: 2	Other forms of classes:	Independent work: 1
Teaching methods Interactive method			
Examination methods (maximum 100 points)			
Exam prerequisites	No. of points:	Final exam	No. of points:
Student's activity during lectures	10	oral examination	<i>30</i>
practical classes/tests	40	written examination	
Seminars/homework	20	Project	
Grading system			
Grade	No. of points	Description	
10	91-100	Excellent	
9	81-90	Exceptionally good	
8	71-80	Very good	
7	61-70	Good	
6	51-60	Passing	
5	0-50	Failing	