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1. GENERAL INFORMATION			
1.1. Course teacher	Full Professor Daria Karasalihović Sedlar, PhD		1.6. Year of the study
1.2. Name of the course	Project economic evaluation		1.7. ECTS credits
1.3. Associate teachers	Teaching Assistant Lucija Jukić, MSc		1.8. Type of instruction (number of hours L + E + S + e-learning)
1.4. Study programme (undergraduate, graduate, integrated)	graduate		1.9. Expected enrolment in the course
1.5. Status of the course	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> elective	1.10. Level of application of e-learning (level 1, 2, 3), percentage of online instruction (max. 20%)
II.			
5			
28L+0E+28S+4e-learning			
30			
level 3, 6,67% online			
2. COUSE DESCRIPTION			
2.1. Course objectives	The students will be able to determine the importance and the purpose of feasibility studies and cost-benefit analyses as well as distinguish terms of pre-feasibility study, feasibility study and cost-benefit analysis. They will learn how to present the steps in an investment study, show the methods for investment assessment in the energy sector and demonstrate the workflow in the project's economic evaluation software.		
2.2. Enrolment requirements and/or entry competences required for the course	No specific requirements.		
2.3. Learning outcomes at the level of the programme to which the course contributes	Supervise projects in petroleum engineering and geoenery engineering; Appraise projects in petroleum engineering and geoenery engineering.		
2.4. Expected learning outcomes at the level of the course (3 to 10 learning outcomes)	Analyse feasibility studies and cost-benefit analysis; Explain the terms pre-feasibility study, feasibility study and cost-benefit analysis; Design a project investment study in energy sector; Demonstrate the steps in software; Evaluate the concessions and fiscal regimes for energy sources exploitation; Rank the projects.		
2.5. Course content (syllabus)	The importance and the purpose of feasibility studies and cost-benefit analysis: answer the question why feasibility study and cost-benefit analysis are made; Show an investment study as a part of the project cycle; Terms pre-feasibility study, feasibility study and cost-benefit analysis: pre-feasibility study, feasibility study and cost-benefit analysis definitions; Comparison of a feasibility study and a cost-benefit analysis; Examples of competitions where (pre)feasibility studies and cost-benefit analyses are necessary;		

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	<p>Steps in an investment study: socio-economic context. Identification of the project; Feasibility and options analysis; Financial analysis – fundamental terms and financial analysis indicators, financial return on investment, financial gap, financial sustainability financial return on national equity; Economic analysis; Risk analysis;</p> <p>Methods for investment assessment in the energy sector: method of energy production cost calculation; Energy economics; Equity and expenditures; Working period and cost of equipment; Benefits and costs of a project; Evaluation of a project proposal; Average rate of return, payback period and present value method; Investment uncertainty; Depreciation; Inflation; Fixed and operational expenditures;</p> <p>Project's economic evaluation software: review of the parameters for the calculation (fundamental cash flow calculation, production prediction, prices, taxes, operational and capital expenditures, depreciation, reserves estimation); Fiscal regimes types. Time value of money; Browsing through software options; Creating a simple case and calculating the NPV, IRR and other economic indicators.</p>									
2.6. Format of instruction:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> lectures <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> seminars and workshops <input type="checkbox"/> exercises <input type="checkbox"/> online in entirety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> partial e-learning <input type="checkbox"/> field work			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> independent assignments <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> multimedia and the internet <input type="checkbox"/> laboratory <input type="checkbox"/> work with mentor <input type="checkbox"/> (other)			2.7. Comments:		-	
2.8. Student responsibilities	Very active participation required. Class attendance, team work on a case study, making and presentation of the study, oral exam.									
2.9. Monitoring student work	Class attendance	YES		Research	YES		Oral exam	YES		
	Experimental work		NO	Report		NO				
	Essay		NO	Seminar paper		NO				
	Preliminary exam		NO	Practical work		NO				
	Project	YES		Written exam		NO	ECTS credits (total)	5		
2.10. Required literature (available in the library and/or via other media)	Title						Number of copies in the library	Availability via other media		
	Dekanić, I, Karasalihović Sedlar, D. (2016.): <i>Ekonomika energije</i> , Golden Marketing.						YES	YES		
2.11. Optional literature	Guide to Cost-Benefit Analysis of Investment Projects - Economic appraisal tool for Cohesion Policy 2014-2020.									
2.12. Other (as the proposer wishes to add)	-									