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Based on articles 9 and 45 of the Statute of the Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management – codified text (CLASS: 602-02/23-02/03, ENTRY NR: 2156-18-23-02-03) of 7th December 2023, the Council of the Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management of the University of Rijeka on its regular 13th meeting held on 21st May 2024 adopted the following

STUDY PROGRAM

DOCTORAL STUDY

Management of Sustainable Development

academic year 2024/2025

MODULES:

Module 1 – Management of sustainable tourism development

Module 2 – Regional and local sustainable development

Module 3 – Entrepreneurship and sustainable development

FIRST YEAR

doctoral study

Management of Sustainable Development

2024/2025

I. SEMESTER

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | Economics and politics of sustainable development | Dora Smolčić Jurdana, PhD, Full Professor Daniela Soldić Frleta, Associate professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Qualitative methodology | Irena Ateljević, PhD | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Conceptualization of the research process | Darko Prebežac, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 15 |

II. SEMESTER

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| Module 1 Management of sustainable tourism development | Planning sustainable tourism development | Dora Smolčić Jurdana, PhD, Full Professor Larry Dwyer, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Module 2 Regional and local sustainable development | Economic politics and development risks | Marinela Krstinić Nižić, PhD, Full Professor Branko Blažević, PhD, Professor Emeritus | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Module 3 Entrepreneurship and sustainable development | Entrepreneurial management of sustainable development | Ines Milohnić, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| All Modules | Elective course 1** | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 5 |
| | Thesis proposal application | | | | | 15 |

*Students of the 1st year of study enroll one of the following elective courses in their 2nd semester:

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | Sustainable marketing | Lorena Bašan, PhD, Full Professor Marija Ham, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Environmental accounting | Sandra Janković, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Quality management and sustainable development | Ana-Marija Vrtodušić Hrgović, PhD, Full Professor Ivanka Avelini Holjevac, PhD, Professor Emeritus | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Managing sustainable development of nautical tourism | Daniela Gračan, PhD, Full Professor Romina Alkier, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Critical Issues in Tourism | Peter Mason, PhD, Full Professor Daniela Soldić Frleta, PhD, Associate Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Investments and Capital Market | Žan Jan Oplotnik, PhD, Full Professor Siniša Bogdan, PhD, Associate Professor Suzana Bareša, PhD, Associate Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | *Student can select obligatory courses of other modules as elective courses for his/her respective module | | 10 | 5 | 0 | 5 |

SECOND YEAR
doctoral study
Management of sustainable development
2024/2025

III. SEMESTER

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | Elective course 2* | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Public presentation and defense of the detailed doctoral thesis outline | | | | | 25 |

* Students of the 2nd year of study enroll one of the following **elective courses** in their 3rd semester:

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | E-business in tourism | Mislav Šimunić, PhD, Full Professor Sonja Sibila Lebe, PhD, Full Professor Ljubica Pilepić Stifanich, PhD, Associate Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Economics of climate change | Zvonimira Šverko Grdić, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Ethics of sustainable development | Elvio Baccarini, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Transformative and regenerative tourism | Irena Ateļjević, PhD, Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Strategic marketing | Darko Prebežac, PhD, Full Professor Marina Perišić Prodan, PhD, Associate Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Stakeholder management in tourism | Jelena Đurkin Badurina, PhD, Associate Professor Marko Koščak, PhD, Associate Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |

IV. SEMESTER

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | Elective course 3* | | | | | 5 |
| | Alternative: Elective course 4 ** or Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 5 |
| | Alternative: Elective course 5 ** or Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 5 |
| | Alternative: Elective course 6 ** or Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 5 |
| | Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | | 10 |

*Students of the 2nd year of study, IV semester enroll the following **elective courses** as elective courses 3, 4, 5, 6:

| MODULE | COURSE TITLE | COURSE COORDINATORS | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| All Modules | Transportation demand management in tourism | Nataša Kovačić, PhD, Associate professor Christina Nikolova, PhD, Full professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Sustainable food chain | Greta Krešić, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Sustainable energy management and renewable energy sources | Marinela Krstinić Nižić, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Management of water systems and environmental protection | Nevenka Ožanić, PhD, Full Professor Barbara Karleuša, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Cultural heritage and sustainable development | Zrinka Zadel, PhD, Full Professor | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| | Knowledge management for sustainable development | Kristina Črnjar, PhD, Full Professor | | | | |

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| | | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Sustainable development as the prerequisite for quality of life | Ljiljana Kaliterna Lipovčan, PhD, Full Professor Andreja Brajša Žganec, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Model of development concept in tourism | Christian Stipanović, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| International project finance | Goran Karanović, PhD, Associate Professor Apostolos Dasilas, PhD, Associate Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Strategic brand management | Lidija Bagarić, PhD, Associate Professor Aleksandra Pisnik, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Project management | Marko Perić, PhD, Full Professor Janez Mekinc, PhD Associate Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Strategic planning and development | Christian Stipanović, PhD, Full Professor Elena Rudan, PhD, Associate Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Administrative protection of the environment and the nature | Dario Đerđa, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Tourism sustainomics | Tanja Mihalić, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Structural equations modelling | Josip Mikulić, PhD, Associate Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Creative industries in tourism | Elena Rudan, PhD, Associate Professor Diana Grgurić, PhD, Full Professor | | 10 | 0 | 5 | 5 |

THIRD YEAR
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V. SEMESTER

| COURSE COORDINATORS | COURSE TITLE | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| | Scientific, teaching and professional activities | | | | 5 |
| | Published article in a scientific journal with international reviewers (up to three co-authors) | | | | 5 |

VI. SEMESTER

| COURSE COORDINATORS | COURSE TITLE | LECTURES | EXERCISES | SEMINARS | ECTS |
|---------------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|----------|------|
| | DOCTORAL THESIS | | | | 50 |

Dean

Marko Perić, PhD, Full Professor