

Course descriptions

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-412/22			Course title: Abstract of a contribution from a domestic or an international conference (originally AFG, AFK, AFH, AFL)				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 4							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1028							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-505/22				Course title: Bachelor's thesis reviewer			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 3							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 414							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,24	99,76	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-504/22				Course title: Bachelor's thesis supervisor			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 8							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 131							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-004/22	Course title: Behavioural Physiology
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Type, volume, methods and workload of the student - additional information Form of Study: Seminars, consultations, and self-study Number of contact hours: Individual with regard to the doctoral degree Form of the course: on-site learning, distance learning	
Number of credits: 3	
Recommended semester: 3.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: The evaluation of the course takes place individually and includes the evaluation of the seminar work, which arises as a result of self-study and is presented to colleagues at the seminar of doctoral students.	
Learning outcomes: By completing the course, the student will gain sufficient orientation in the field of adaptation and control of behavioural processes with emphasis on the focus of the dissertation project in accordance with the specifics of individual topics. The acquired knowledge is necessary for the theoretical knowledge of the graduate, but also supports the development of his potential in a wide range of applied practice. The results of education will also be reflected in the overview of methodological approaches.	
Class syllabus: The course Behavioural Physiology is a part of study program Animal Physiology. It has a partially individual character due to the specifics of individual dissertation topics and is recommended especially to students whose dissertation topic is focused on behavioural research. The basic syllabus is determined as follows: Neurodevelopmental aspects of behavioural regulation, mechanisms, adaptive and pathophysiological consequences. Behavioural endocrinology, organizational and activational effects of hormones on behaviour, prenatal programming of postnatal behavioural strategies. Neurobiological nature and regulation of stereotypes, its drivers, neural plasticity. Reward physiology, effects on drug addiction, neurological diseases due to disturbed organism-environment relations. Learning and memory physiological mechanisms and their applications in behavioural research. Psychopharmacology in behavioural research.	
Recommended literature:	

Neil R. Carlson: Physiology of Behavior: Pearson New International Edition. Pearson Education Limited, 720 s, 2013

Languages necessary to complete the course:

Slovak language in combination with English.

Notes:

Past grade distribution

Total number of evaluated students: 10

ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0

Lecturers: doc. RNDr. Lucia Kršková, PhD., RNDr. Ľubor Košťál, CSc.

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-005/22	Course title: Cell Signalling
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Type, volume, methods and workload of the student - additional information Form of Study: Seminars, consultations, and self-study Number of contact hours: Individual with regard to the doctoral degree Form of the course: on-site learning, distance learning	
Number of credits: 3	
Recommended semester: 3.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Active participation in the course, preparation and presenting a seminar paper focused on cell signaling related to the topic of the dissertation thesis, its defense and active participation in the discussion of other student presentations.	
Learning outcomes: During the course, students will get acquainted with specific intracellular signaling mechanisms involved in the selected physiological and pathophysiological processes. The aim of the course is also the support of self-study, independent search for professional information and the development of fine skills such as personal communication, teamwork, ingenuity or focus on results.	
Class syllabus: Signaling pathways (mechanisms responsible for signal transduction into the cell), general principles of cellular communication, extracellular signaling, membrane receptors, intracellular signaling receptors, ion channels, second messengers, sensors, effectors, mechanisms turning on and off intracellular signaling, spatial and temporal aspects of cell signaling, cell cycle, proliferation, cell death, physiological signaling (e.g. neuronal signaling), pathophysiological signaling (e.g. stress, inflammation, signaling disorders during diseases).	
Recommended literature: Berridge, M.J. (2012) Cell Signalling Biology; doi:10.1042/csb0001001 – 10.1042/csb0001012	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak language in combination with English.	
Notes:	

Past grade distribution	
Total number of evaluated students: 18	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers: doc. Mgr. Ľuboš Molčan, PhD., Mgr. Miroslav Baláž, PhD.	
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-001/22	Course title: Cell and Molecular Animal Physiology
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Type, volume, methods and workload of the student - additional information Form of Study: Seminars, consultations, and self-study Number of contact hours: Individual with regard to the doctoral degree Form of the course: on-site learning, distance learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 1.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: The study takes place mainly in the form of discussions for presentations prepared by students on selected topics and self-study. The condition for completing the course is active participation in discussions and elaboration of a presentation on a topic determined by the teacher and topic is related to the subject of dissertation. The presentation, which is the basis for evaluation, takes place at a seminar, where the student presents in front of classmates and colleagues and at least two representatives of PhD Study Board. Assessment reflects sufficient orientation of the student in the issue. The conditions for successful completion of the course are also regulated by the Study Regulations of Faculty of Natural Sciences.	
Learning outcomes: Successful completion of the course Cell and Molecular Animal Physiology proves sufficient orientation of the the student in the field related to dissertation thesis following the specifications of individual topics. The acquired knowledge is necessary for the theoretical knowledge of the graduate, but also supports the development of his potential in a wide range of applied practice. The results of education will also be reflected in the overview of methodological approaches.	
Class syllabus: The course Cell and Molecular Animal Physiology is a part of the study program Animal Physiology. It has an individual character with regard to the specifics of individual dissertation topics. Its basic syllabus is also determined according to the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The course is important especially in terms of understanding the molecular and methodological aspects of the dissertation. Emphasis will be given on the molecular regulatory mechanisms of signaling processes and their physiological significance. Regulation at the level of genes, proteins, functions of given proteins and their degradation. Methods of studying regulation at the level of DNA, RNA, proteins and activity. Glucose metabolism and its regulation. Glycolysis,	

Krebs cycle, ketone metabolism, fat metabolism, insulin and mutations in its gene, and their physiological impact.	
Recommended literature: Vander, AJ., Sherman, JH., Luciano DS.: Human Physiology. The mechanisms of body function. McGraw-Hill, New York, 2008, Molecular Biology of the Cell, Alberts et al., Garland Science, the latest available edition; reviews and primary scientific articles for a seminar report	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak language in combination with English.	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 38	
ABS	NEABS
94,74	5,26
Lecturers: prof. Mgr. Iveta Herichová, DrSc., prof. Ing. Oľga Križanová, DrSc.	
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Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-414/22				Course title: Completing an long-term ERASMUS+ internship (minimum 60 days)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 44							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	97,73	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	2,27
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-415/22				Course title: Completion of SAIA/NŠP internship program or other equivalent (minimum 30 days)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 57							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-416/22			Course title: Completion of a short-term foreign internship (15-30 days, and related to the topic of the PhD thesis)				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 7							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 106							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

STATE EXAM DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DSSZ-303/22	Course title: Defence of dissertation thesis
Number of credits: 30	
Educational level: III.	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation takes place as a part of the State examination in accordance to the Study regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK in Bratislava upon submission of the written part of the dissertation thesis (as final work). Assessment is standard and reflects the student's sufficient orientation in the issue. The conditions for successful course completion are in accordance with the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: The aim of the course is to capitalise on theoretical, methodological and applied knowledge of doctoral studies in the elaboration and subsequent defence of the dissertation thesis, and thus the successful completion of doctoral studies.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The student's dissertation thesis will demonstrate his/her ability and readiness for independent scientific and creative activities in the area of research or development or for independent theoretical and creative artistic creativity. It should be characterised by a high degree of analysis and synthesis of knowledge, as well as a sufficient overview of existing literature. The work must be original and created by the author in compliance with the rules of working with information sources. The academic work must not appear to be plagiarised, nor infringe the copyrights of other authors. The author is required to thoroughly cite the information sources used, list the specific results of other authors or team of authors by citing the source, accurately describe the methods and working procedures of other authors or teams of authors, and document the laboratory results and field research of other authors or teams of authors. Style of citation is governed by the practice in the given scientific field, respecting the relevant norms and standards.	
State exam syllabus:	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)	
Last change: 19.10.2022	
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-001/22	Course title: Dissertation 1
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 1.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation will be conducted individually based on the doctoral student's individual study plan, as well as on the basis of an agreement between the academic supervisor and doctoral student. Evaluation is standard and shall reflect a sufficient orientation of the student in the presented subject matter for successful course completion according to the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: By passing this subject, the student will achieve sufficient orientation in the project issue of the dissertation thesis based on specific individual topics. This set task of knowledge is essential for a firmly established theoretical readiness of the course graduate in terms of his/her awareness, and equally supports his/her potential in a wide field of applied practice. Undoubtedly, the outcomes of his/her education will also be reflected in the student's overview in terms of methodological approaches in the subject matter.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The subject Dissertation Thesis is a compulsory part of the doctoral student's study activities. The student requires a supremely individual character with regard to the specifics of the individual topics of the dissertation thesis. The basic syllabus should already be evident within the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The subject is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and methodological aspects of the solution to the topic of the dissertation thesis with emphasis on self-study and consultation with the academic supervisor and a wide spectrum of consultants, who will take part in creating the professional potential of the doctoral student for the next (scientific) stage of his/her studies.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	

Languages necessary to complete the course:

Required language for successful course completion:

Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)

Notes:**Past grade distribution**

Total number of evaluated students: 39

ABS	NEABS
97,44	2,56

Lecturers:**Last change:** 12.10.2022**Approved by:** prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-002/22	Course title: Dissertation 2
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 2.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation will be conducted individually based on the doctoral student's individual study plan, as well as on the basis of an agreement between the academic supervisor and doctoral student. Evaluation is standard and shall reflect a sufficient orientation of the student in the presented subject matter for successful course completion according to the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: By passing this subject, the student will achieve sufficient orientation in the project issue of the dissertation thesis based on specific individual topics. This set task of knowledge is essential for a firmly established theoretical readiness of the course graduate in terms of his/her awareness, and equally supports his/her potential in a wide field of applied practice. Undoubtedly, the outcomes of his/her education will also be reflected in the student's overview in terms of methodological approaches in the subject matter.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The subject Dissertation Thesis is a compulsory part of the doctoral student's study activities. The student requires a supremely individual character with regard to the specifics of the individual topics of the dissertation thesis. The basic syllabus should already be evident within the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The subject is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and methodological aspects of the solution to the topic of the dissertation thesis with emphasis on self-study and consultation with the academic supervisor and a wide spectrum of consultants, who will take part in creating the professional potential of the doctoral student for the next (scientific) stage of his/her studies.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	

Languages necessary to complete the course: Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 30	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change: 13.10.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-003/22	Course title: Dissertation 3
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 3.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation will be conducted individually based on the doctoral student's individual study plan, as well as on the basis of an agreement between the academic supervisor and doctoral student. Evaluation is standard and shall reflect a sufficient orientation of the student in the presented subject matter for successful course completion according to the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: By passing this subject, the student will achieve sufficient orientation in the project issue of the dissertation thesis based on specific individual topics. This set task of knowledge is essential for a firmly established theoretical readiness of the course graduate in terms of his/her awareness, and equally supports his/her potential in a wide field of applied practice. Undoubtedly, the outcomes of his/her education will also be reflected in the student's overview in terms of methodological approaches in the subject matter.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The subject Dissertation Thesis is a compulsory part of the doctoral student's study activities. The student requires a supremely individual character with regard to the specifics of the individual topics of the dissertation thesis. The basic syllabus should already be evident within the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The subject is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and methodological aspects of the solution to the topic of the dissertation thesis with emphasis on self-study and consultation with the academic supervisor and a wide spectrum of consultants, who will take part in creating the professional potential of the doctoral student for the next (scientific) stage of his/her studies.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	

Languages necessary to complete the course: Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 32	
ABS	NEABS
96,88	3,13
Lecturers:	
Last change: 18.10.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-004/22	Course title: Dissertation 4
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 4.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation will be conducted individually based on the doctoral student's individual study plan, as well as on the basis of an agreement between the academic supervisor and doctoral student. Evaluation is standard and shall reflect a sufficient orientation of the student in the presented subject matter for successful course completion according to the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: By passing this subject, the student will achieve sufficient orientation in the project issue of the dissertation thesis based on specific individual topics. This set task of knowledge is essential for a firmly established theoretical readiness of the course graduate in terms of his/her awareness, and equally supports his/her potential in a wide field of applied practice. Undoubtedly, the outcomes of his/her education will also be reflected in the student's overview in terms of methodological approaches in the subject matter.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The subject Dissertation Thesis is a compulsory part of the doctoral student's study activities. The student requires a supremely individual character with regard to the specifics of the individual topics of the dissertation thesis. The basic syllabus should already be evident within the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The subject is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and methodological aspects of the solution to the topic of the dissertation thesis with emphasis on self-study and consultation with the academic supervisor and a wide spectrum of consultants, who will take part in creating the professional potential of the doctoral student for the next (scientific) stage of his/her studies.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	

Languages necessary to complete the course: Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 24	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change: 10.10.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-005/22	Course title: Dissertation 5
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 5.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation will be conducted individually based on the doctoral student's individual study plan, as well as on the basis of an agreement between the academic supervisor and doctoral student. Evaluation is standard and shall reflect a sufficient orientation of the student in the presented subject matter for successful course completion according to the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: By passing this subject, the student will achieve sufficient orientation in the project issue of the dissertation thesis based on specific individual topics. This set task of knowledge is essential for a firmly established theoretical readiness of the course graduate in terms of his/her awareness, and equally supports his/her potential in a wide field of applied practice. Undoubtedly, the outcomes of his/her education will also be reflected in the student's overview in terms of methodological approaches in the subject matter.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The subject Dissertation Thesis is a compulsory part of the doctoral student's study activities. The student requires a supremely individual character with regard to the specifics of the individual topics of the dissertation thesis. The basic syllabus should already be evident within the individual study plan of the doctoral student. The subject is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and methodological aspects of the solution to the topic of the dissertation thesis with emphasis on self-study and consultation with the academic supervisor and a wide spectrum of consultants, who will take part in creating the professional potential of the doctoral student for the next (scientific) stage of his/her studies.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	

Languages necessary to complete the course: Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 19	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change: 10.10.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-006/22	Course title: Dissertation 6
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 6.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements:	
Learning outcomes:	
Class syllabus:	
Recommended literature:	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 17	
ABS	NEABS
94,12	5,88
Lecturers:	
Last change:	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-007/22	Course title: Dissertation 7
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 7.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements:	
Learning outcomes:	
Class syllabus:	
Recommended literature:	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 18	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change:	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-024/22	Course title: Dissertation 8
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 8.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements:	
Learning outcomes:	
Class syllabus:	
Recommended literature:	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 0	
ABS	NEABS
0,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change:	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/PriF-DSSZ-025/22	Course title: Dissertation 9
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 9.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements:	
Learning outcomes:	
Class syllabus:	
Recommended literature:	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers:	
Last change:	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

STATE EXAM DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-400/22	Course title: Dissertation exam
Number of credits: 15	
Educational level: III.	
Course requirements: Conditions for passing the course: Course evaluation takes place as a part of the State examination in accordance to the Study regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK in Bratislava, as well as submission of the written part of the dissertation thesis within the set deadline. The subjects of the state examination include a discussion about the written work of the dissertation examination (prepared by the doctoral student), as well as other subjects of the oral examination (ad hoc) approved by the Dean. Assessment is standard and reflects the student's sufficient orientation in the issue. The conditions for successful course completion are in accordance with the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: Educational outcomes: The objective of the course is to gain basic habits and cultural-ethical aspects of working with scientific literature, evaluation, and systemization of the studied knowledge. The doctoral student needs to successfully pass the dissertation examination according to the act on Universities and Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences of Comenius University in Bratislava.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: Based on the description of the starting points, principles, and conclusions from the published results of the studied issues, the aim is to teach the doctoral student how to process critical research. A further objective is to understand the principles of scientific work and its legal, physical, and social attributes. The main output is the elaboration of the written work for the dissertation examination and its successful completion in accordance with the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK. The form and content of the work is regulated by article 34, paragraph 4 of the Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK. The dissertation examination consists of a part consisting of a discussion of the written work for the dissertation examination, as well as a part in which the doctoral student needs to demonstrate theoretical knowledge according to the focus of the dissertation topic. The composition of the Examination Committee, the determination of the Opponent (expert examiner) and the general course of the dissertation examination are governed by the current Study Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
State exam syllabus:	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: No specifications regarding the character of a specific topic for the dissertation thesis. Recommended literature is included in the doctoral student's individual study plan.	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	

Required language for successful course completion: Slovak language in combination with English (study literature in English)
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Last change: 18.10.2022

Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-400/22				Course title: Grant CU or Grant SAS or equivalent grant			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 12							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 262							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-413/22				Course title: Intellectual Property Rights Document (originally AGJ)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 10							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-508/22				Course title: Other activities			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 1							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 754							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,13	99,87	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-501/22				Course title: P1 Pedagogical output as a whole (originally ACA, ACB, BCI, BCB)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 10							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-503/22				Course title: P2 Pedagogical output as a part (originally BCK)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 10							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 0							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-502/22				Course title: P2 Pedagogical output as part (originally ACC, ACD)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 15							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 0							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-507/22				Course title: Pedagogical activity (4 hours/WS and 4 hours/SS) or alternative pedagogical work			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 2							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 849							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-003/22	Course title: Physiology of Adaptations
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Type, volume, methods and workload of the student - additional information Form of Study: Seminars, consultations, and self-study Number of contact hours: Individual with regard to the doctoral degree Form of the course: on-site learning, distance learning	
Number of credits: 3	
Recommended semester: 2.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: The evaluation of the course is individual and includes the evaluation of the seminar report, which arises as a result of self-study and is presented to colleagues at the seminar for doctoral students.	
Learning outcomes: By completing the course, the student acquires an advanced knowledge in the field of physiological adaptations, stress response as a general adaptation syndrome and the civilization diseases. The course follows the individual focus of the students' dissertation projects. An important output is the presentation of a seminar report, in which doctoral students demonstrate their independence in the study of scientific literature and the ability to create their own evaluation of the studied knowledge. The subject participates in forming of the professional potential of the doctoral student in the next stage of his studies.	
Class syllabus: The course Physiology of Adaptations is a part of the study program Animal Physiology. The course has a partially individual character with regard to the individual topics of the dissertation. The syllabus includes following themes: Adaptation and stress. Neuroendocrine system under stress conditions. Sympathetic-adrenomedullar system and stress. Adaptation at the level of catecholamine synthesis and degradation. Adaptive significance of stress response. Signal transmission through the synapse, individual classes of transmitters. Receptor theory. Characteristics of receptors in the neuroendocrine system. Adrenal cortex and stress, pathophysiological consequences of stress. Cell cycle and cancer. Control of food intake and obesity. Reward physiology; drug addiction. Civilization diseases as a result of disturbed organism-environment relations. Ecotoxicology, persistent foreign compounds in the environment.	
Recommended literature: Willmer P. et al., Environmental Physiology of Animals, 2nd Edition. Wiley-Blackwell, 2004;	

Fink G., Stress: Physiology, Biochemistry, and Pathology: Handbook of Stress Series, Volume 3. Academic Press, 2019.
reviews and original research papers needed for a seminar report

Languages necessary to complete the course:
Slovak language in combination with English.

Notes:

Past grade distribution

Total number of evaluated students: 16

ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0

Lecturers: doc. Mgr. Monika Okuliarová, PhD., prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

Last change: 16.09.2022

Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-026/22	Course title: Professional English 1
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 1.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Each course participant is required to achieve proficient knowledge and usage of the English grammar, professional vocabulary, reading and listening comprehension, writing professional texts and oral presentations. Credits will be awarded to students who will demonstrate active participation and deliver all set tasks and assignments successfully. The course participants will be awarded a pass or a fail upon course completion.	
Learning outcomes: Upon completion of the course, PhD students will effectively use the English language for professional purposes. They will proficiently comprehend targeted written and audio texts and present their viewpoints in required forms.	
Class syllabus: Theoretical and practical skills in professional written communication include appropriate structure of formal written texts (emails, application forms, personal statements, cover letters, abstracts, scientific articles, paraphrasing, using citations, citing sources, etc.) The course also focuses on theoretical explanation of correct delivery of oral texts, professional presentations and discussions. The course primary target is to facilitate PhD students with proficient usage of all the aspects of written and oral communication in various settings.	
Recommended literature: Armer, T.: Cambridge English for Scientists CD ROM Writing Professional English Team of authors: Test your Listening Skills: A Handbook for Science Doctoral students Team of authors: Test your Reading Skills: A Handbook for Science Doctoral students	
Languages necessary to complete the course: English	
Notes:	

Past grade distribution							
Total number of evaluated students: 404							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	99,75	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,25
Lecturers: Mgr. Aneta Barnes, RNDr. Tatiana Slov�kov�, PhD.							
Last change: 03.10.2022							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-027/22	Course title: Professional English 2
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 2.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Each course participant is required to achieve proficient knowledge and usage of the English grammar, professional vocabulary, reading and listening comprehension, writing professional texts and oral presentations. Credits will be awarded to students who will demonstrate active participation during seminars and deliver all prior set tasks and assignments successfully. The course participants will be awarded a pass or a fail upon course completion	
Learning outcomes: Doctoral students who successfully pass the examination in Professional English 2 will be enabled to use the English language for specific purposes in all its forms effectively and sufficiently. They will thoroughly comprehend professional texts in written and/or audio form, acquire professional vocabulary and actively participate in various oral communication settings.	
Class syllabus: Theoretical and practical skills in professional writing communication in the English language as a follow up to prior gained knowledge in the previous semester encompass writing professional résumés, summaries, lay summaries, responses to job interview questions, professional CVs, comparing and contrasting in scientific articles, etc. Professional oral communication focusses on research-based scientific presentations and effectively led discussions.	
Recommended literature: Armer, T.: Cambridge English for Scientists CD ROM Writing Professional English Team of authors: Test your Listening Skills: A Handbook for Science Doctoral students Team of authors: Test your Reading Skills: A Handbook for Science Doctoral students	
Languages necessary to complete the course: English	
Notes: B1 level in English is required in order to pass this course. Seminars are held in summer semester. Number of students in one course is limited to twenty.	

Students can choose from four offered time slots.	
Past grade distribution	
Total number of evaluated students: 138	
ABS	NEABS
100,0	0,0
Lecturers: Mgr. Aneta Barnes	
Last change: 03.10.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF.KDPP/N-DSSZ-500/22				Course title: Selected topics from university pedagogy for non-teachers			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 3							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 40							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	95,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	5,0
Lecturers: RNDr. Jana Ciceková, PhD., doc. RNDr. PaedDr. Zuzana Haláková, PhD., PhDr. ThLic. Peter Ikhardt, PhD.							
Last change: 30.09.2022							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-022/22	Course title: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 1
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 3	
Recommended semester:	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: The objective of the course is to acquire the basics of Slovak in a communicative way, to develop individual language skills (listening, reading, writing and speaking) based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) for the level A1, from a complete beginner level. Based on the completion of the course, the participants are able to understand and react to common situations. They are able to speak about themselves, ask for more information they need to know. Scale of assessment (preliminary/final): Credits will not be awarded to students who receive less than 60% on the final examination.	
Learning outcomes: The objective of the course is to acquire the basics of Slovak in a communicative way, to develop individual language skills (listening, reading, writing and speaking) based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) for the level A1, from a complete beginner level. Based on the completion of the course, the participants are able to understand and react to common situations. They are able to speak about themselves, ask for more information they need to know.	
Class syllabus: Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1 (Lekcia: 1-5). UK v Bratislave, 2012. Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1+A2, cvičebnica Audio program: https://uniba.sk/krizom-krazom Worksheets, website: https://slovake.eu/sk	
Recommended literature: Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1 (Lekcia: 1-5). UK v Bratislave, 2012. Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1+A2, cvičebnica Audio program: https://uniba.sk/krizom-krazom Worksheets, website: https://slovake.eu/sk	

Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak in combination with English (the study literature is in both Slovak and English)							
Notes: It is possible to register for the course just once. Students may begin in either the Summer or Winter semester.							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 93							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers: Mgr. Karin Rózsová Wolfová							
Last change: 28.09.2022							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-023/22	Course title: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 2
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 2	
Recommended semester:	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Type, extent and method of academic activities: 2 hours (at 60 min. per hour) of weekly lessons in the form of seminars. All academic activities will take place during the lessons. Number of credits: 3 credits Recommended semester/trimester of study: from 1st to 8th semester Level of study: third Subject conditions: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 1 Requirements for course completion: active participation during lessons, ongoing work on the assignments. There will be a final examination at the end of the semester. Scale of assessment (preliminary/final): Credits will not be awarded to students who receive less than 60% on the final examination.	
Learning outcomes: Course Objectives: The objective of the course is to acquire the basics of Slovak in a communicative way, to develop individual language skills (listening, reading, writing and speaking) based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) for the level A1 - intended for beginner or pre-intermediate.	
Class syllabus: The lessons contain the basics of Slovak grammar which are relevant to the specifics of Slovak as a foreign language. Selected grammatical phenomena, conjugation and declination are practised. Vocabulary is focused on real-life communication needs.	
Recommended literature: Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1 Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1+A2, workbook Audio program: https://uniba.sk/krizom-krazom Worksheets are prepared by the course instructor. Portal: https://slovae.eu/sk	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak in combination with English (the study literature is in both Slovak and English)	

Notes:

It is possible to register for the course just once. Students may begin in either the Summer or Winter semester.

Past grade distribution

Total number of evaluated students: 64

A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0

Lecturers: Mgr. Karin Rózsová Wolfová

Last change: 18.07.2022

Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-024/22	Course title: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 3
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 2	
Recommended semester:	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Type, extent and method of academic activities: 2 hours (at 60 min. per hour) of weekly lessons in the form of seminars. All academic activities will take place during the lessons. Number of credits: 3 credits Recommended semester/trimester of study: from 1st to 8th semester Level of study: third Subject conditions: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 2 Requirements for course completion: active participation during lessons, ongoing work on the assignments. There will be a final examination at the end of the semester. Scale of assessment (preliminary/final): Credits will not be awarded to students who receive less than 60% on the final examination.	
Learning outcomes: The objective of the course is to acquire the basics of Slovak in a communicative way, to develop individual language skills (listening, reading, writing and speaking) based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) for the levels A1 – A2. Intended for levels A1-A2, beginner to pre-intermediate	
Class syllabus: The lessons contain the basics of Slovak grammar which are relevant to the specifics of Slovak as a foreign language. Selected grammatical phenomena, conjugation and declination are practised. Vocabulary is focused on real-life communication needs.	
Recommended literature: Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1, A2 Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1+A2, workbook Audio program: https://uniba.sk/krizom-krazom Worksheets are prepared by the course instructor. Portal: https://slovak.eu/sk	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak in combination with English (the study literature is in both Slovak and English)	

Notes:

It is possible to register for the course just once. Students may begin in either the Summer or Winter semester.

Past grade distribution

Total number of evaluated students: 59

A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0

Lecturers: Mgr. Karin Rózsová Wolfová

Last change: 18.07.2022

Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KJ/N-DSSZ-028/22	Course title: Slovak for Foreign Doctoral Students 4
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 2	
Recommended semester:	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: Grading (Assessment/Evaluation): Active participation during lessons, ongoing work on the assignments. There will be a final examination at the end of the semester. Credits will be awarded to students who receive more than 60% on the final examination. The course participants will be awarded a pass or a fail upon course completion.	
Learning outcomes: Objectives and outcomes: The objective of the course is to acquire the basics of Slovak in a communicative way, to develop individual language skills (listening, reading, writing and speaking) based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) for the levels A1 – A2, pre-intermediate level. Based on the completion of the course, the participants are able to understand the common situations and they are able to have a discussion and comment basic daily scenarios.	
Class syllabus: Brief outline of the course: The lessons contain the basics of Slovak grammar which are relevant to the specifics of Slovak as a foreign language. Selected grammatical aspects (verb - conjugation/next conjugation classes, possessive pronouns, I like/enjoy doing something, I like something, comparison of adjectives and adverbs, conditional) are practised. Vocabulary is focused on real-life communication needs.	
Recommended literature: Recommended literature: Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1. UK v Bratislave, 2012. Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A2. (Lekcia 1-4). UK v Bratislave, 2012. Kamenárová, R. a kol.: Krížom-krážom, Slovenčina A1+A2, cvičebnica Audio program: https://uniba.sk/krizom-krazom Worksheets, website: https://slovake.eu/sk	
Languages necessary to complete the course:	

Language of instruction: Slovak in combination with English (the study literature is in Slovak).							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 19							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers: Mgr. Karin Rózsová Wolfová							
Last change: 18.10.2022							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences	
Course ID: PriF.KŽFE/N-DBFZ-002/22	Course title: Special Animal Physiology
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning	
Type, volume, methods and workload of the student - additional information Form of Study: Seminars, consultations, and self-study Number of contact hours: Individual with regard to the doctoral degree Form of the course: on-site learning, distance learning	
Number of credits: 5	
Recommended semester: 2.	
Educational level: III.	
Prerequisites:	
Course requirements: The evaluation of the subject takes place individually according to the individual study plan of the doctoral student and on the basis of mastering the necessary amount of knowledge of animal and human physiology, in agreement with the supervisor who is present at the exam. Due to the diversity of students who apply for doctoral studies in the study program Animal Physiology, the form of the examination is modified. For graduates at medical faculties and students with a state exam in Physiology, the exam is organized in the form of a seminar work, which the student presents to colleagues and at least two representatives of the PhD Study Board. The evaluation is standard and reflects the sufficient knowledge of the student in the given area. Conditions for successful completion of the course are also regulated by the Study Regulations of Faculty of Natural Sciences UK.	
Learning outcomes: By completing the course, the student acquires the necessary amounts of knowledge of animal and human physiology and sufficient orientation in the field in accordance with the specifics of individual topics of the dissertation. The acquired knowledge is necessary for the theoretical background of the graduate and broad understanding for completing doctoral studies in the study program Animal Physiology. Moreover, it also supports the development of his potential in a wide range of application practice. This course contributes to the professional potential of the doctoral student in the next stages of PhD study.	
Class syllabus: The course Special Animal Physiology is a part of the study program Animal Physiology. It has an individual character due to the specificity of individual dissertation projects. Syllabus is determined by the necessary amount of knowledge from the Animal and Human Physiology, determined by the recommended study literature and also according to the individual study plan of the doctoral student. This course is important especially in terms of understanding the basic theoretical and	

methodological aspects of the dissertation with an emphasis on self-study and consultation with the supervisor, program guarantor and a wide range of consultants.	
Recommended literature: Berne R. M., Levy M. N.: Human Physiology. C.V.M Company, 2008; Recommended literature according to the individual study plan of the doctoral student	
Languages necessary to complete the course: Slovak language in combination with English.	
Notes:	
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 30	
ABS	NEABS
96,67	3,33
Lecturers: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc., doc. Mgr. Monika Okuliarová, PhD., prof. Mgr. Iveta Herichová, DrSc.	
Last change: 16.09.2022	
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-506/22				Course title: Supervisor of the SSC contribution			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 4							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 12							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-404/22				Course title: V1 Scientific output as a whole - ESB monograph (originally AAA, ABA), individual authorship less than 3 AH			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-401/22			Course title: V1 Scientific output as a whole – ESB monograph (originally AAA, ABA), individual authorship share ≥ 3 AH				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 30							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-405/22			Course title: V2 Scientific output as part - study in ESB or collection (originally AAB, ABA, ABB), individual authorship less than 3 AH				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 8							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-402/22			Course title: V2 Scientific output as part - study in ESB or collection (originally AAB, ABA, ABB), individual authorship share ≥ 3 AH				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 30							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 1							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-411/22			Course title: V2 Scientific output as part of ESB, collection - contribution in peer reviewed scientific collection, monograph (originally AEC, AFA, AFC, AED)				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 6							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 521							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-406/22				Course title: V3 Scientific output as a part - study in a journal (originally AAB, ABA, ABB), individual authorship less than 3 AH			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 3							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-403/22				Course title: V3 Scientific output as a part - study in a journal (originally AAB, ABA, ABB), individual authorship ≥ 3 AH			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 30							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 0							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-410/22				Course title: V3 Scientific output in a journal outside the index databases (originally ADE, ADF)			
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 12							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 79							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-407/22			Course title: V3 Scientific output in a journal registered by CCC, WOS, SCOPUS - JCR/Q1 – Q2 (originally ADC, ADD, ADM, ADN), first or corresponding author				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 50							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 219							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-408/22			Course title: V3 Scientific output in a journal registered by CCC, WOS, SCOPUS - JCR/Q3- Q4 (originally ADC, ADD, ADM, ADN), first or corresponding author				
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 40							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 109							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2025/2026							
University: Comenius University Bratislava							
Faculty: Faculty of Natural Sciences							
Course ID: PriF/N-DSSZ-409/22		Course title: V3 Scientific output in the journal registered by CCC, WOS, SCOPUS - JCR/Q1 – Q2 – Q3 - Q4 (originally ADC, ADD, ADM, ADN), co-author					
Educational activities: Type of activities: Number of hours: per week: per level/semester: Form of the course: on-site learning							
Number of credits: 20							
Recommended semester:							
Educational level: III.							
Prerequisites:							
Course requirements:							
Learning outcomes:							
Class syllabus:							
Recommended literature:							
Languages necessary to complete the course:							
Notes:							
Past grade distribution Total number of evaluated students: 379							
A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX	NEABS
0,0	100,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Lecturers:							
Last change:							
Approved by: prof. RNDr. Michal Zeman, DrSc.							