

Faculty of International Economics and Administration

Department: Administration and Management

Professional area: Administration and Management

Major: Public Administration and Management – Management of Projects Financed by EU Funds

Educational-and-qualification Degree: Master

COURSE DESCRIPTION

1. Course unit title: EU Funds Planning and Programming (2007-2013)
2. Course unit code: MAN 3024
3. Type of course unit: compulsory
4. Level of course unit: Master
5. Year of study: first
6. Semester: first
7. Number of ECTS credits allocated: 7,5
8. Name of lecturer: Prof. Pavel Pavlov, PhD and a team
9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: The course aims to acquaint students with the nature, necessity, the basic steps and requirements in the planning process. The aim of the course is to form knowledge and understanding of the programming of structural funds and skills for interpretation of the programming documents enabling postgraduates to participate in the programming process.
10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face
11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: postgraduates should be familiar with the European Union institutions.
12. Course contents: The course examines major issues of development planning with an emphasis on local and regional planning. Special attention is paid to contemporary legislation and practice of planning in Bulgaria and the relationship of local and regional planning with programming of the Structural Funds. The course examines the basic elements of programming in the context of EU cohesion policy. Special attention is paid to the requirements and the practice of coordination in the context of Structural Funds programming (development of National Strategic Reference Framework / National Development Plan).
13. Recommended or required reading:
 - 1) ПМС № 6/19.01.2007 г. за създаване на единен информационен портал за обща информация за управление на Структурните фондове и Кохезионния фонд на ЕС в РБългария
 - 2) Джилджов, А.,Ф.Хаузер, В.Маринов. Преглед на регионалната политика в България: състояние, оценка и перспективи. С., ФРМС, 2001.
 - 3) Национална стратегия за регионално развитие на Република България за периода 2005-2015 г., обн. ДВ. бр.42 от 17 Май 2005 г.
 - 4) Маринов, В., П. Еврев и др. Анализ на прилагането на Закона за регионалното развитие. С., НЦТР, 2001.
 - 5) <http://www.eufunds.bg>
14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: Teaching is based on the presentation of the subject matter in the form of lectures, integrated with examples, case studies and tasks for independent work.
15. Assessment methods and criteria: a coursework

16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian

17. Work placement: none