

	<p>Department Study programme:</p> <p>Undergraduate university study of applied geography</p>
Description of the study programme	<p>During the six semesters the student of the Undergraduate university study of applied geography (single-major) acquires specific knowledge and skills defined by the study programme. Other knowledge and skills can be acquired by taking optional courses from geography and other study programmes at the University of Zadar. During the study, the student participates in field work during which he applies in practice a part of the acquired knowledge and skills. Prerequisite for completing the study is to pass all exams, the final exam and acquire the minimum of 180 ECTS credits.</p>
Learning outcomes of the study programme	<p>Bachelor of Arts in Geography acquires the following competences:</p> <p>Learning outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - demonstrate the understanding of different changes in human society - demonstrate the understanding of different changes in the environment - apply the acquired knowledge in physical and human geography in professional work - identify the elements of physical features of a space - identify socio-geographic processes - interrelate physical features of an area with socio-economic processes - interpret economic and demographic statistical data and connect them with socio-geographic development of an area - make graphic presentations based on statistical data - determine similarities and differences among various countries of the world on the basis of their physical and socio-geographic features - identify natural hazards in a certain area <p>Learning skills and ethics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - improve and apply different methods in one's professional work by finding and valorising modern sources of knowledge - valorise professional literature in Croatian and foreign languages in order to improve geographic knowledge - plan the process of life-long personal and professional development - apply ethical principles, legal procedures and norms.
List of courses offered in a foreign language in winter term (by semesters)	<p><i>Croatian diaspora</i> <i>Regional geography of Australia and Oceania</i> <i>English Language in geography I</i> <i>Tourism geography</i> <i>Maritime geography</i></p>
List of courses offered in a foreign language in summer term (by semesters)	<p><i>Regional Geography of Europe II</i> <i>Geography of family</i> <i>Geography of natural hazards</i> <i>Regional geography of Latin America</i> <i>Transport geography</i> <i>Cultural geography</i> <i>English language in geography II</i> <i>Regional geography of Croatia II</i></p>

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Croatian diaspora						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 30	E 0	S 15	Semester	winter
Description of the course	<p>This course is dealing with the problem of emigration from Croatia. It gives general overview of the main periods of emigration during the history. Attention will be focused upon the relationship between natural resources and economic development and formation of emigrational waves. The course will also deal with the main pull factors that attracted Croatian emigrants to certain countries. There will be presented statistical data on Croatian diaspora and attention will be also given to contemporary issues on European emigrational flows and within them to Croatia as traditional emigration country.</p>						
Learning outcomes of the course	<p>Study outcomes:</p> <p>Explain reasons of emigration from different parts of Croatia during the history and nowadays.</p> <p>Determine main emigrational flows from Croatian territory.</p> <p>Explain main pull factors of immigration countries all over the world that influenced to emigrants to choose certain country as their new living destination.</p> <p>Explain difference between age-sex and educational structure of emigrants that made part of emigrational wave at the turn of the 20th century and those at the turn of 21st century.</p> <p>Establish number, demographic characteristics and spatial distribution of Croatian diaspora within the countries where there is a bigger number of Croats.</p>						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Regional geography of Australia and Oceania						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 15	E	S 15	Semester	winter
Description of the course	The course gives a general overview of the land and people of Australia, New Zealand and Pacific Islands. Topics discussed will include the physical environment, cultural characteristics and the various ways people live and make their living. Attention will be focused upon the relationships which exist between location, the physical environment and human activity. The main focus is on Australia and New Zealand.						
Learning outcomes of the course	<p>Study outcomes</p> <p>Explain geographical position of Australia, Oceania and Antarctica and determine its influence on the historical and geographical development of those areas.</p> <p>Determine and analyze natural geographic features of Australia and Oceania and recognize their influence on the population distribution, demographic and economic development.</p> <p>Interpret demographic composition of Australia and Oceania and determine</p>						

	<p>reasons of current demographic issues.</p> <p>Valorize geographic position of Australia and New Zealand as economically developed world countries and estimate the importance of natural resources, including importance of renewable and non/renewable sources of energy, for economic development of those countries.</p> <p>Apply on the map all study outcomes.</p>
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Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	English language in Geography I						
Number of ECTS credits	2	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 0	E 30	S 0	Semester	winter
Description of the course	Students will demonstrate effective word choice, vocabulary, idioms, grammar and sentence structure allowing accurate communication of meaning in written work. Articulate in conversation and oral presentations clearly organized ideas and supporting evidence in a vocabulary appropriate to the target audience.						
Learning outcomes of the course	Students will be able to: Demonstrate effective word choice, vocabulary, idioms, grammar and sentence structure allowing accurate communication of meaning in written work related to numerous geographic topics.						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Tourism geography						
Number of ECTS credits	4	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 30	E 3	S 0	Semester	winter
Description of the course	The course gives an overview on the contemporary tourism trends as well as the history of tourism. Special attention will be focused on the sustainable tourism development, spatial and physical environment problems and influence of tourism on social communities. During the course touristic regions will be presented in a whole.						
Learning outcomes of the course	<p>Analyse natural and social geographic factors that influence on tourism development in general.</p> <p>Analyse changes in tourism trends linking climate changes, new social order, political changes.</p> <p>Analyse contemporary tourism development based on diversity of attractive factors.</p> <p>Interpret new trends in tourism and tourists' demands.</p> <p>Analyse specifics of each world touristic region following new data.</p>						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Maritime geography						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of	L 30	E 0	S 15	Semester	winter

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Description of the course	This course deals with the definition of maritime geography and maritime affairs. Additionally, course explains the historical development of the maritime affairs, as well as natural and social impacts on modern maritime industry. Modern processes in shipping, shipbuilding and fisheries are also explained and special attention is paid on emphasizing the importance of major sea trade routes and harbours and the changes in their importance over time.						
Learning outcomes of the course	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Describe the basic concepts in maritime geography and maritime affairs 2. Explain the influence of natural elements on maritime industry 3. Interpret social and economic processes which play vital role in modern maritime industry 4. Summarize the knowledge through the discussion about maritime affairs in various regions in the world 						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Regional geography of Europe II						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 30	E 0	S 15	Semester	summer
Description of the course	<p>The course initially includes lectures on Europe primarily in the context of its regional and sociogeographic features. The history of territorial changes on the European soil is analyzed, as well as their impact on today's regional, economic, demographic and political circumstances. This part of the course also focuses on the European integrations, namely the European Union as the politically and economically most influential subject on the continent. The second part of the course focuses on the review of the geographic, economic, cultural, historical and other traits in the selected European countries in terms of their regional affiliation contextualized by some of the conventional geographic divisions of Europe.</p>						
Learning outcomes of the course	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gaining knowledge on the criteria of defining the European continent 2. Gaining basic knowledge on the historical and the contemporary regional and political issues in Europe 3. Gaining basic knowledge on the European integrations 4. Getting to know more about the selected European regions and countries 						

Description des cours offerts dans une langue étrangère							
Nom du cours	GEOGRAPHIE DE LA FAMILLE						
Nombre de crédits ECTS	2	Mode de mise en œuvre du programme d'études	C 15		S 15	Semestre	été
Description de course	Initier les étudiants aux structures de la famille dans l'Europe rurale. Définir les problèmes contemporains de l'intégration / ségrégation des immigrants dans les démocraties occidentales.						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Transport geography						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 30	E 0	S 15	Semester	summer
Description of the course	<p>The module will cover a range of relevant professional and academic issues. Introduction to transport geography. This course will examine the characteristics and operation of transportation systems from several perspectives, including the importance of transportation costs, economic development, public policy considerations, safety, and methodologies related to the analysis of transportation. An examination of national and international transport systems, with particular reference to sustainable mobility and social integration. Land use planning and transport interactions. Key characteristics and environmental impacts of different transport modes. Transport and communications; impact of societal and technological change. The politics and ideology of the regulation and deregulation of transport and assumptions and impacts in urban and rural areas.</p>						
Learning outcomes of the course	<p>By engaging successfully with this module a student will be able to:</p> <p>Understand the role of transport infrastructures, modes and policies in the organization of space at the international, regional and local scales.</p> <p>Critically analyze the relationship between transport, social and economic patterns.</p> <p>Identify and explain the essential differences and relationships between transport systems and their operation at different spatial scales.</p> <p>Critically evaluate current policies and practices within the transport decision making processes.</p> <p>Identify and analyze the most important parts of the transport system in the Republic of Croatia.</p>						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Cultural geography						
Number of ECTS credits	4	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 15	E 15	S 15	Semester	summer
Description of the course	This course provides an introduction to theories, terms, and contemporary topics in cultural geography, the academic study of the spatial aspects of human existence. We will explore the complex relationships between people and the worlds they inhabit by examining human migration patterns, population growth trends, economic development strategies, political conflicts, cultural landscapes, and interactions with the environment. Cultural geography is concerned with making sense of people and the places they occupy through analyses of cultural processes, cultural landscapes, and cultural identities. The course introduces culture from a geographical perspective, focusing on how cultures work in place and how they are embedded in everyday life. The course gives students an						

	appreciation for not only how cultures are geographically expressed, but also how geography is a basic element in the constitution of culture.
Learning outcomes of the course	<p>Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Defining and explain major concepts and traditional approaches to the study of culture and cultural geography. 2. Recognize and describe cultural changes in space and time. 3. Recognize and investigate the relation between culture and space. (Investigation of cultures, ways of life, customs, architecture, tradition, religion and languages in the world) 4. Development of skills and knowledge for making individual conclusions about issues from cultural geography. 5. Analyze the spatial aspect of the development of cultural activities. Sense of place and sense of space).

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	English language in Geography II						
Number of ECTS credits	2	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 0	E 30	S 0	Semester	summer
Description of the course	Students will demonstrate effective word choice, vocabulary, idioms, grammar and sentence structure allowing accurate communication of meaning in written work. Articulate in conversation and oral presentations clearly organized ideas and supporting evidence in a vocabulary appropriate to the target audience.						
Learning outcomes of the course	Students will be able to: Demonstrate effective word choice, vocabulary, idioms, grammar and sentence structure allowing accurate communication of meaning in written work related to numerous geographic topics. Brainstorm, draft, and outline ideas for essays and other forms of academic writing on subjects related to geography.						

Description of the courses offered in a foreign language							
Name of the course	Regional Geography of Croatia II						
Number of ECTS credits	3	Manner of implementation of the study programme	L 30	E 0	S 15	Semester	summer
Description of the course	<p>Professor and/or assistants: Full Professor DamirMagaš, Ph.D.; Denis Radoš, MSc</p> <p>Course content includes units: Historical-geographical development of Croatia; The social and geographical characteristics. Population (trends, density, natural changes, migration, diaspora, households, flats), the structure of the population (gender, age, economic, etc.).</p>						

	<p>Settlements (development, types), villages, rural landscape (development, types), problems (deruralization, rural exodus, depopulation, etc.), urban settlements (development, types, problems, hierarchy, significance of some cities especially Zagreb (the capital), regional and other centres. Economy (stages of development, the meaning of certain activity sectors, particularly agriculture, industry and mining, transport, tourism, trade). Social-geographical features of Croatian regions: nodal-functional regional complexes, polarization processes, administrative-territorial differentiation. Geopolitical significance and international position of Croatia before and after getting the independence.</p> <p>Literature:</p> <p>a) Compulsory literature: Magaš, D. (2015): <i>Geography of Croatia, Textbook</i>, Zadar (part)</p> <p>b) Additional literature: Selected general and regional studies and monographs in Croatian geographical literature</p> <p>Language: Croatian, Consultations in English</p> <p>Performance program (the course per session):</p> <p>Lectures: Tuesday 19-12; Consultations: 12-13</p> <p>Seminars: Tuesday 9-10; Consultations: 10-11</p> <p>Lectures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plan, program, obligations, literature; Croatian area in prehistory; Croatian Space in antiquity - Greek colonization; spatial changes during the Roman Empire - Croatian area in the Middle Ages: the early Croatian geopolitical core; Changes of Croatian space in the New Age - Ottoman, Venetian, Austrian, French Administration - Changes of Croatian space in the New age - Croatia within Yugoslav entities; The area of contemporary Croatia; Population changes and distribution - The structures of the population of Croatia - biological, economic, ethnic, religious; migration processes; Settlements and forms of inhabitancy; - Stages of Economic Development; The development and significance of the primary activities in Croatia - The development and importance of secondary activities in Croatia; The development and significance of transport and services; social upgrade - NUTS and nodal-functional regionalization; Continental Croatia: Zagreb (macro) region -Varaždin region; - Karlovac-Sisak regional complex; Bjelovar and Virovitica space; Osijek region with Đakovo area - spacious complex Vinkovci – Vukovar; Slavonski Brod region with Pože region - Adriatic Croatia: (Northern) Rijeka (macro) region; Pula (Istria) space - Central Adriatic Croatia: Zadar (supra) region; Gospić area, Šibenik-Knin area - South Adriatic Croatia: Split (macro) region; Dubrovnik area - Nodal-functional issues and territorial organization; Modern aspects of polarization - Croatia in the international community; Conclusions, discussion, exam questions <p>Conditions for attending classes, taking exams and exam terms:</p> <p>Obligatory presence at a minimum of 70% of lectures and 75% of seminars.</p> <p>Posted seminar, held presentation of seminar work, a positive assessment of seminar paper</p> <p>Exam terms: I. June 14, 2016, II June 28, 2016, III. September, 6, 2016, IV. September 20, 2016 - 8,00 h</p>
Learning outcomes of the	<p>After passing the exam of this course, students will be able to apply:</p> <p>1 Acquired knowledge of historical-geographical features of the Croatian area as</p>

course	<p>a basis of development</p> <p>2 Acquired knowledge about socio-geographical characteristics, primarily population and economy as a basis of the development of Croatian space</p> <p>3 Acquired knowledge about nodal-functional regionalization of Croatian space</p> <p>4 Acquired knowledge about territorial organization and NUTS regions in Croatian space</p> <p>5 Acquired knowledge and skills to work on the development and creation of regional analysis and synthesis of socio-geographic problems of Croatia</p> <p>6 The ability to transfer acquired geographical knowledge about Croatia</p>
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