Department of Professional Studies





COMPUTER USAGE II

COURSE SYLLABUS

COURSE DETAILS			
Type of study programme	Professional study - 180 ECTS		
Study programme	ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE		
Course title	Computer Usage II		
Course code	SRF011		
ECTS (Number of credits allocated)	3		
Course status	Core		
Year of study	First		
Semester	Second		
Course Web site	http://moodle.oss.unist.hr/		
	Lectures	15	
Total lesson hours per semester	Practicals	-	
	Laboratory exercises &practical demonstration	30	
Prerequisite(s)	None		
Lecturer(s)	MarinkoLipovac, lecturer SinišaZorica, lecturer,		
Language of instruction	Croatian, English		

COURSE DESCRIPTION		
	to gain advanced knowledge of modern-day computer usage on the office work-place,	
	practical preparation enabling students: CARCANA	
Course Objectives:	✓ to use advanced options of MS Word,✓ to introduce basics of vector computer graphics in Corel	
	DRAW	
	 ✓ to introduce basics of raster computer graphics in Corel PHOTOPAINT 	
	✓ to create and use database in MS Access	
	1. create text files with advanced formatting options	
Learning outcomes	2. apply mail merge in creating personalize letters or e-mails, and in producing envelopes and labels	
On successful completion of this course, student should be able to:	3. construct simple vector graphics by using basic drawing elements and shape commands,	
	4. apply basic shape commands and image effects in processing raster format pictures	
	5. create and manage simply database	
	6. demonstrate the usage of the concept of query and summary.	
	Advanced MS Wordprocessing: Using document Templates. Customizing menus and tool bars. Customizing and adjusting MS Word. Using Auto-text options. Formatting text by using styles. Mail-merge: creating data sources and main document. Envelopes, labels and faxes. Document protection. Basic of vector (object) computer graphics (Corel Draw):	
Course content	Creating of the basic graphic elements: line, rectangular, ellipsis and polygon. Insertion of the existing drawings. Selecting, moving, copying and deleting objects. Basic function for object transformations: scale, rotate, mirror and skew. Ordering, aligning and distributing objects. Interaction of objects: weld, intersection, trim and combine. Text inserting and editing. Printing options. Basic of raster (bitmapped) computer graphics (Corel Photo Paint): Raster graphic formats. Rotation and crop of a picture. Adjustment of brightness, contrast and intensity. Masks. Creating effects. Repairing red-eye effect. Removing details from the picture. Scanning. Using screen capture option. Printing options. Databases (MS Access): Understanding of a database and database concepts. Installation, customization and design. Adjust settings. Data organization in a database. Table design and layouts. Table relationships. Working with forms. Applying and removing filter. Queries: creating and saving query using specific search criteria. Reports. Print options.	

CONSTRUCTIVE ALIGNMENT – Learning outcomes, teaching and assessment methods

Alignment of students activities with learning outcomes			
Activity	Student workload ECTS credits	Learning outcomes	
Lectures	15 hours / 0,5 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5	
Laboratory work	30hours / 1,0 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5	
Self-study	30hours / 1,0 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5,6	
Four mid-term exams(preparation and delivery)	15hours / 0,5 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5,6	
TOTAL:	90 hours / 3 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5,6	

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT			
Continuous testing indicators	Performance A _i (%)	Grade ratio k _i (%)	
Class attendance and participation*	70 - 100	8	
First mid-term exam	50-100	32	
Second mid-term exam	50-100	28	
Third mid-term exam	50-100	32	

^{*} for part-time students required performance is 35-100%

FINAL ASSESSMENT			
Testing indicators – final exam (first and second exam term)	Performance A _i (%)	Grade ratio k _i (%)	
Previous activities	75 - 100	8	
First part: MS Windows (advanced options)	60-100	32	
Second part: CorelDRAW and CorelPHOTOPAINT	60 - 100	28	
Third part: MS Access	60-100	32	
Testing indicators – makeup exam (third and fourth exam term)	Performance $A_{\rm i}(\%)$	Grade ratio k _i (%)	
First part: MS Windows (advanced options)	60 - 100	35	
Second part: CorelDRAW and CorelPHOTOPAINT	60 - 100	30	
Third part: MS Access	60-100	35	

PERFORMANCE AND GRADE			
Percentage	Criteria	Grade	
60% - 69,9%	basic criteria met	sufficient (2)	
70% -79,9%	average performance with some errors	good (3)	
80% -89.9%	above average performance with minor errors	very good (4)	
90% - 100%	outstanding performance	outstanding (5)	

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Teaching materials for students (scripts, exercise collections, examples of solved exercises), teaching record, detailed course syllabus, application of e-learning, current information and all other data are available by MOODLE system to all students (https://moodle.oss.unist.hr/).