COURSE INFORMATION SHEET

University: Catholic University in Ružomberok

Faculty: Faculty of Education

Course code: KGE/Ge- | **Course title:** Regional Geography of the World 2 (Africa, America)

MD105A/22

Type and range of planned learning activities and teaching methods:

Form of instruction: Lecture / Seminar

Recommended study range:

hours weekly: 1/1 hours per semester: 13/13

Teaching method: on-site

Credits: 2 Working load: 50 hours

Recommended semester/trimester: 2.

Level of study: II.

Prerequisities:

Requirements for passing the course:

Verification of the degree of acquisition of the relevant knowledge, skills and competences of the student is carried out on the basis of theoretical and practical examinations during the semester teaching of the subject.

During the semester, the student demonstrates his creative abilities by processing a current topic from the regional geography of Africa and America and presenting it in front of other students. He is able to lead a professional discussion on the given topics, defend his opinions by arguing and tolerate different opinions of other discussants.

Final assessment: total percentage gain from the written test (35%), oral exam (35%) and semester paper (30%).

Subject evaluation:

A - 100% - 93%

B - 92% - 85%

C - 84% - 77%

D - 76% - 69%

E - 68% - 60%

Fx - 59% - 0%

Learning outcomes of the course:

After completing the subject, the student will acquire the following knowledge, skills and competences:

- knows the physical and geographical conditions of Africa and America
- knows the human-geographic conditions of Africa and America
- understands and can explain the interaction between natural conditions and economic activities in individual regions of Africa and America
- has an overview of the location of individual geographic objects in Africa and America
- can characterize individual regions of Africa and America
- can justify socioeconomic development in individual regions of Africa and America
- can explain the links and relations between the regions of Africa and America
- can evaluate the importance of individual regions of Africa and America and their involvement in the global economy
- can identify the main socioeconomic problems of Africa and America

- knows the current economic and political situation in Africa and America

Course contents:

- 1. Africa natural conditions
- 2. Africa socioeconomic conditions
- 3. North Africa geographical characteristics
- 4. West Africa geographical characteristics
- 5. East Africa geographical characteristics
- 6. South Africa geographical characteristics
- 7. America geographical characteristics
- 8. USA-geographic characteristics
- 9. Canada-geographic characteristics
- 10. Central America and the Caribbean geographical characteristics
- 11. Brazil geographical characteristics
- 12. Laplat area geographical characteristics
- 13. Andean region-geographic characteristics

Recommended or required literature:

ČIEF, R. BOHÁČ, A. (2019). Regional Geography of Africa. Publishing House of the Catholic University of Ružomberok, Verbum, Ružomberok, 2019, 141p. ISBN 978-80-561-0691-4 ZUBRICZKÝ, G. (2009): Geography of the countries of the world. Map of Slovakia, Bratislava. ISBN 978-80-8067-227-0

LIŠČÁK, V. (2009): States and territories of the world. Libri, Prague. ISBN 978-80-7277-414-2 MAGULA, A., MARI, L., TOLMÁČI, L., TOLMÁČIOVÁ, T. (2001): Lexicon of countries and territories of the world, Mapa Slovakia, Bratislava.

KRUPA, V.: Geopolitical specificities of the world regions Africa and Asia. Comenius University, Bratislava.

KLÍMA, J: History of Africa. Publishing house Lidové noviny, 2012.

RAKYTOVÁ, I. (2010): Basics of geography 2. Basics of human geography and regional geography of the world and the Slovak Republic. Verbum, Ružomberok, 300 p.

Language of instruction:

Slovak

Notes:

Course evaluation:

Assessed students in total: 18

A	В	С	D	Е	FX
33.33	27.78	27.78	11.11	0.0	0.0

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