

DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES

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Technical Staff	Mária Čederlová (secretary)

II. EQUIPMENT

none

III. TEACHING

III.1 Undergraduate Study (Bc.)

Subject, semester, hours per week for seminars or practical exercises, name of lecturer:

English	(1st , 2nd , 3rd , 4th sem., 0-2h)	M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová, M.Hujvanová, J.Matiašovská, D.Ondroušková, A.Pajunková, V.Pavlicová, J.Pätoprstá, I.Podpera, Ľ.Rovánová
Optional courses for beginners in English	(1st sem., 0-2h)	M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová, J.Matiašovská, D.Ondroušková M.Hujvanová, A.Pajunková
Other optional courses:	(2nd -10th sem., 0-2h)	
German (beginners, intermediate and advanced)		J.Belasová, Ľ.Solenská
Russian (beginners, intermediate and advanced)		J.Belasová
Spanish (beginners)		D.Ondroušková

III.2 Graduate Study (Ing.)

Specific optional courses:

German (advanced)	(7th -11th sem., 0-2 or 4h)	Ľ.Solenská
German (beginners, intermediate)	(7th – 11th sem., 0-2h)	J.Belasová
Russian (all levels)	(7th -11th sem., 0-2h)	J.Belasová

III.3 Undergraduate and Graduate Study for Foreign Students (in English Language)

Slovak Studies	(1st sem., 2-0)	I.Podpera
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III.4 Distance Study

Optional courses	(0-2h)	A. Pajunková, J.Pätoprstá
for students	(0-2h)	J.Pätoprstá, M.Bratinková J.Matiašovská I.Podpera, D.Ondroušková,G.Fojtlová M.Hujvanová

III.5 Doctoral Study (PhD.)

English	(0-2h)	M.Hujvanová, I.Podpera, J.Pätoprstá, Ľ.Rovanová
German	(0-2h)	Ľ.Solenská, J.Belasová

III.6 Detached Educational Centre in Banská Bystrica

	(0-2h)	J.Matiašovská, D.Ondroušková
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IV. RESEARCH PROJECTS

- JPD 2004 / 1 – 054 “Construction of the System and Programme of Lifetime Education for University Staff” (RLZ_UNI): “English Professional Communication Development”. Learning material: “Email Writing”, “Letter Writing” (I.Podpera).” Socializing in Multicultural Setting” (Ľ.Rovanová). “Team Work”: Learning material: “Presentation of Team Work” (Ľ.Rovanová), “Presentation Techniques” (Ľ.Rovanová.)
- Study of Technology, Physical and Detection Properties of InP Detectors for the Area of X-ray and Gamma Radiation. VEGA 2/4151/04. Joint project with the Slovak Academy of Sciences. V.Nečas, V.Pavlicová

V. COOPERATION

V.1 Cooperation in Slovakia

- Ministry of Defence of SR
- British Council in Bratislava,
- Centre for Distance Learning, Bratislava
- Department of Languages, Faculty of Material Technology of the SUT, Trnava
- Department of Languages, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Comenius University, Bratislava
- Philosophical Faculty, Comenius University, Bratislava
- Goethe Institut, Bratislava
- Österreichisches Kulturinstitut Bratislava
- Verband der Deutschlehrer und Germanisten der Slowakei
- CercleS (European Confederation of Language Centres in Higher Education), Bratislava

V.2 International Cooperation

- Salzburg Seminar Alumnus (USA) in Austria
- Goethe Institut, Krakow, Poland
- Goethe Institut, Nancy, France
- City & Guilds London Institute, Great Britain

V.3 Membership in International Organizations and Societies

- City Guilds & Pitman Qualifications, London, Great Britain
- Salzburg Seminar Alumnus (USA) (L.Rovanová)
- CASAJC, (The Czech and Slovak Association of Language Centres in Higher Education), member of CERCLES
- UNICERT LUCE (Language Accreditation Unit for Universities in Central Europe)

VI. THESES

- none

VII. OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Specific Scientific Student Activity at FEI STU: J.Matiašová: secretary. Members of Selection Board: V.Pavlicová, J.Pätoprstá, I.Podpera, Ľ.Rovanová (Chairperson); supervisors: D.Ondroušková: 6 projects, I. Podpera: 3 projects, FEI, April 2005.
- Ľ.Rovanová: Editor-in-Chief of ESP Spectrum Slovakia. Members of editorial board: M.Bratinková, I.Podpera.
- The scheme of Continuous Assessment Tests for English language (designing and updating) and designing of new Achievement Tests for English language for FIIT and FEI: M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová, M.Hujvanová, J.Matiašová, D.Ondroušková, A.Pajunková, V.Pavlicová, J.Pätoprstá, I.Podpera.
- The scheme of Continuous Assessment Tests for Spanish language: (designing and updating) D.Ondroušková.
- Ľ. Rovanová: teacher-trainer and trainer-trainer for ESP (English for Specific Purposes)
- Ľ.Rovanová: invited lecture: "Basics for Writing Materials for Self-Teaching". Seminar for Distance Learning Authors and Tutors. In Bratislava, October 2005.
- Ľ.Rovanová: member of international programme committee of Virtual University. In Bratislava, 15 – 16th December 2005.
- Ľ.Rovanová: invited lecture: "Perception of Time in International Setting". International seminar at FEI STU Bratislava and at University of Žilina in Žilina. In June 2005.
- Designing of the scheme of Continuous Assessment, syllabus and tests for Distance Study: J.Pätoprstá, J.Matiašová, D.Ondroušková
- Organizing a specific seminar with City & Guilds Pitman Qualifications: "Marking Reading, Writing and Speaking": M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová, M.Hujvanová, J.Matiašová, D.Ondroušková, A.Pajunková, J.Pätoprstá, I.Podpera, M.Čederlová. At the FEI STU, February 2005.
- M.Bratinková, Ľ.Rovanová: Workshop with Charles E.Renner (USIS): "Multicultural Methodologies in Second Language Acquisition". At: University Library in Bratislava, November 2004
- A seminar with Gary Anderson, CUP: "English for the work/life balance". M.Bratinková, V.Pavlicová, March 2005
- Organizing a specific seminar with international participation: "Intercultural Communicative Competence in Teacher Education". M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová, M.Hujvanová, J.Matiašová, D.Ondroušková, V.Pavlicová, J.Pätoprstá, I.Podpera. At the FEI STU, 3rd June 2005.
- Translating specific materials for Presidium of the Faculty: M.Bratinková, G.Fojtlová

- A.Pajunková, V.Pavlicová: testing and confirming of students' language competence for the purpose of exchange traineeships and study stays.
- I.Podpera: conference presentation "Email Writing and Etiquette - Self-Teaching Material" – at MtF STU Trnava, October 2005
- I.Podpera: conference presentation "Email Writing – Active and Interactive". At: TnUAD Trenčín, September 2005
- I.Podpera: seminar presentation "Practical Writing". Seminar title: "How to Improve Your Professional Performance in Education" At: PriFUK, Bratislava, November 2005.
- E.Solenská: member of UNICERT LUCE committee: working out of expert opinions for the accreditation of German language courses at Slovak universities
- E.Solenská: establishing contact with 7 Polish universities followed up by presentation of conditions for the accreditation of language courses.
- E.Solenská: consultation sessions with German language teachers at Slovak universities
- E.Solenská: working out of materials for the first UNICERT examinations at the Department, testing, marking, diploma design and evaluation.
- E.Solenská: testing and confirming of students' language competence for the purpose of exchange study stays and traineeships according to European language standards.
- E.Solenská: designing of new syllabus and tests supplementing new materials based on the curriculum for the teaching of German language courses at non-philological faculties.

VIII. PUBLICATIONS

VIII.1 Journals

- [1] ROVANOVÁ, E.: When in Rome Do As the Romans Do. Intercultural Communication Competence Development. In: ESP Spectrum. (2005) - pp. 15-18. (in English)

VIII.2 Conferences

- [1] PAVLICOVÁ, V.: Do We Evaluate the Form or the Content ? In: Conference "Philological Theories, Practical Application and Evaluation of Knowledge" : Trnava, Slovak Republic, 8.2.2005.(in Slovak)
- [2] PODPERA, I.: Email Writing - Active and Interactive. In: Lingua Summit 2005 : Trenčín, Slovak Republic, 22.-23.9.2005. pp. 120-126. (in English)
- [3] PODPERA, I.: Email Writing&Etiquette (Self-Teaching Material). In: 13th International Scientific Conference CO-MAT-TECH 2005 : Trnava, Slovak Republic, 20.-21.10.2005. pp. 946-954. (in English)
- [4] ROVANOVÁ, E.: Culture and Language Teaching - Can We Separate Them ? In: 13th International Scientific Conference CO-MAT-TECH 2005 : Trnava, Slovak Republic, 20.-21.10.2005. pp. 1035-1039. (in English)
- [5] STUHLÍKOVÁ, E., CSABAY, O., ROVANOVÁ, E., GRON, M., RADOBICKÝ, J., ŠTEVOVE, M.: Support e-Learning Materials Creation: Students for Students. In: 6th International Conference on Digital Signal Processing and Multimedia Communications : Košice, Slovak Republic, 13.-14.9.2005. pp. 319-324. (in English)
- [6] STUHLÍKOVÁ, E., GRON, M., CSABAY, O., REDHAMMER, R., ROVANOVÁ, E., HULÉNYI, L., KINDER, R., ŠTEVOVE, M., RADOBICKÝ, J., BEŇO, J., MONDOČKO, P., VACEK, F., MAREK, H., NAGY, A., BEDNÁR, M.: eLearn Central: Interactive www Lesson "Semiconductors and pn Junction of Semiconductors" and the Production of Interactive

Animations. In: 6th International Conference on Digital Signal Processing and Multimedia Communications : Košice, Slovak Republic, 13.-14.9.2005. pp. 225-230. (in English)

- [7] STUHLÍKOVÁ, L., GRON, M., RADOBICKÝ, J., CSABAY, O., ROVANOVA, L., BEŇO, J., MONDOČKO, P., ŠTEVOVE, M., ONDRÁŠOVÁ, I., HULÉNYI, L., KINDER, R., HELBICH, M., VACEK, F., NAGY, A., BEDNÁR, M., NEMČOK, P.: Interactive Animations as an e-Learning Motivation Agent. In: 6th International Conference "Virtual University VU'05" : Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 15.-16.12.2005. pp. 151-156. (in English)

VIII.3 Books

- [1] TANDLICOVÁ, E., BÉREŠOVÁ, J., ROVANOVA, L., STRAKOVÁ, Z., STEYNE, L.: Angličtina nielen pre samoukov. - Praha: Ottovo nakladatelství, 2005. - 464 pp. (in English)