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I. STAFF

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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 lectures and for seminars or practical exercises, name of the lecturer:

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| English | (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th sem., 0-2h) | A. Ambrózová, G. Fojtlová, M. Hujvanová, J. Matiašovská, D. Ondroušková, V. Pavlicová, J. Pätoprstá, I. Podpera, Ľ. Rovánová |
| Optional courses for beginners in English | (1st sem., 0-2h) | A. Ambrózová, G. Fojtlová, J. Matiašovská, M. Hujvanová |
| 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:

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| 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 |

Spanish (beginners) (7th - 11th sem., 0-2h) D. Ondroušková

III.3 Distance Study

English (0-2h) G. Fojtlová, M. Hujvanová,
J. Matiašovská, D. Ondroušková,
J. Pätoprstá

III.4 Doctoral Study (PhD.)

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

III.5 Detached Educational Centre in Banská Bystrica

(0-2h) G. Fojtlová, I. Podpera
(0-2h) A. Ambrózová, I. Podpera

IV. RESEARCH PROJECTS

- Neutron detectors: Preparation Technology, Study of Electrical and Detection Properties. VEGA 2/7170/7. Joint project with the Slovak Academy of Sciences. V. Nečas, V. Pavlicová
- The Use of Thermal Energy from Renewable Sources in Agricultural Drying Processes with Respect to Its Impact on Environment and Technology. VEGA 1/0708/09. Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Faculty of Engineering. I. Podpera
- Methodology of flexible learning – a system approach to education. Code: 11230220208, Project No: SOP ĽZ 2004/4-043. A course design and tutoring in an e-learning course 'Methodology of flexible learning – E-learning'. E. Rovánová_____

V. COOPERATION

V.1 Cooperation in Slovakia

- British Council in Bratislava
- Centre for Distance Learning, Bratislava
- Department of Languages, Faculty of Material Technology of STU, 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
- Slovak Association of Teachers of English (SAUA/SATE)
- Language Institute of The Slovak Ministry of Defence (MO SR), Bratislava
- Canadian Institute in Bratislava

V.2 International Cooperation

- Salzburg Seminar (USA) in Austria
- Goethe Institut, Krakow, Poland
- Goethe Institut, Nancy, France
- British Council London, United Kingdom
- Miklós Zrínyi National Defence University Budapest, Hungary

V.3 Membership in International Organizations and Societies

- Salzburg Seminar Alumna (USA) (E. Rovánová)
- 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. Matiašovská (secretary). Members of Selection Board: I. Podpera, Ľ. Rovánová (chairperson). Supervisors: J. Matiašovská: 1 project, V. Pavlicová: 1 project, I. Podpera: 2 projects, Ľ. Rovánová: 1 project, FEI, 23 April 2008
- A. Ambrózová: Teacher- trainer and trainer-trainer for EGP (English for General Purposes) and ESP (English for Specific Purposes) methodology
- A. Ambrózová: Conference presentation: 'Elicitation Techniques', 9th International SAUA/ SATE Conference in Prievidza, Slovakia, 10 – 12 October 2008
- J. Belasová, G. Fojtlová: Proofreading of materials for Presidium of the Faculty
- V. Pavlicová: Testing and confirming of students' language competence for the purpose of exchange traineeships and study stays abroad
- J. Pätoprstá: Participation in specific seminars of didactics and methodology as part of lifelong education, Pedagogical Faculty of TU, every Friday
- I. Podpera: Working on the new study material 'English for Students of Electrical Engineering'
- I. Podpera: Conference presentation: 'English for Students of Electrical Engineering – Textbook and E-learning Material' - International conference Specific Language at Universities IV, Prague, CzR, 11 February 2008
- I. Podpera: Conference presentation: 'English for Students of Electrical Engineering – Moodle Course', International conference 'Virtual University 2008', Bratislava, Slovakia, 11 – 12 December 2008
- I. Podpera: 'English for Students of Electrical Engineering' - an intermediate level electronic course in Moodle
- Ľ. Rovánová: Teacher-trainer and trainer-trainer for ESP (English for Specific Purposes)
- Ľ. Rovánová: Member of international program committee of 9th International Conference Virtual University. Bratislava, 11 – 12 December 2008
- Ľ. Rovánová: Expert for Lifelong Learning Programs Assessment
- Ľ. Solenská: Member of UNICert LUCE committee: Working-out of expert opinions for the accreditation of German language courses at Slovak and Czech universities
- Ľ. Solenská: The expert supervision of final examinations of UNICert at accredited Slovak and Czech universities
- Ľ. Solenská: Working-out of materials for the first UNICert examinations at the department, testing, marking, diploma design and evaluation
- Ľ. Solenská: Evaluation of Language programs of accredited universities
- Ľ. Solenská: Co-organizer of the international conference UNICert, Bratislava, 5 – 7 June 2008
- Ľ. Solenská: Testing and confirming of students' language competence for the purpose of exchange study stays and traineeships according to European language standards
- Ľ. Solenská: Participation in seminars of didactics and methodology as part of further education, Pedagogical Faculty of TU, every Friday

VIII. PUBLICATIONS

VIII.1 Conference Proceedings

- [1] FIRMENT, V., ROVÁNOVÁ, Ľ.: Digital Clock. In: ŠVOČ 2008: Year-Book of Winning

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- Contributions. Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 23.4.2008. - Bratislava: STU, 2008. - ISBN 978-80-227-2865-2. - CD-Rom. (in English)
- [2] KVOCERA, M., MIKLUŠ, M., MATIAŠOVSKÁ, J.: Building Linux Community. In: ŠVOČ 2008: Year-Book of Winning Contributions. Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 23.4.2008. - Bratislava: STU, 2008. - ISBN 978-80-227-2865-2. - CD-Rom. (in English)
- [3] PÄTOPRSTÁ, J.: Alternative Education – Informatics School. In: Teaching Problems in Language and Specific Communication at Nonphilological Universities. Sládkovičovo: Vysoká škola Višegrádu, 2008. - ISBN 978-80-89267-16-3. (in Sl.ovak)
- [4] PODPERA, I.: Innovative Approach to Teaching English at FEI STU - Textbook and e-Learning Materials. In: Virtual University 2008: 9th International Conference. Bratislava, Slovak Republic, 11.-12.12.2008. - Bratislava: STU, 2008. - ISBN 978-80-89316-10-6. - CD-Rom. (in English)
- [5] ROVANOVÁ, E., PODPERA, I.: English for Students of Electrical Engineering-Textbook and e-Learning Material. In: Language for Specific Purposes at Universities IV: International Conference. Prague, Czech Republic, 11.2.2008. - Prague: Czech University of Life Sciences, 2008. - p. 173-175. (in English)
- [6] SOLENSKÁ, E.: Specific Language Preparation in UNICERT System. In: Teaching Problems in Language and Specific Communication at Nonphilological Universities. Sládkovičovo: Vysoká škola Višegrádu, 2008. - ISBN 978-80-89267-16-3. (in Sl.ovak)

VIII.2 Book

- [1] TANDLICOVÁ, E., ROVANOVÁ, E., STRAKOVÁ, Z., STEYNE, L.: English for Language Schools and Courses. - Prague: Ottovo nakladatelství, 2008. - 253 p. - ISBN 978-80-7360-801-9. (in Slovak)