

<b>Study programme:</b> Master of Arts in Vocational Early Childhood Education			
<b>Type and level of studies:</b> Vocational Master's Studies			
<b>Course title:</b> STUDY AND RESEARCH 1			
<b>Instructor:</b> all professors engaged on the study programme			
<b>Course status:</b> mandatory			
<b>ECTS:</b> 12			
<b>Requirements:</b>			
<b>Course objectives</b> By means of a research study students are required to perform their mandatory research by consulting additional reading lists and instruments in order to acquire the necessary theoretical knowledge, skills and techniques required for the master thesis.			
<b>Course outcomes</b> Students shall independently apply the acquired knowledge of various fields which they had previously studied for the purposes of gaining insight into the structure of the presented problem and its systematic analysis in order to draw conclusions regarding possible solutions. Upon finishing the course students should have acquired fundamental knowledge in the chosen field and become capable of independently solving practical tasks in the field by resorting to suitable methodologies.			
<b>Course contents</b> The contents are devised in accordance with the requirements of a particular master thesis, its complexity and structure. Students are required to study professional literature, graduate and postgraduate theses of students who dealt with similar topics. Furthermore, students perform analyses for the purpose of finding solutions to particular tasks defined by their master theses.			
<b>Reading list</b> The list is suggested by the teacher-mentor and it depends on the chosen topic. Textbooks, scientific journals, master theses, etc.			
<b>Classes per Week</b>		<b>Theory</b>	<b>Practice</b>
<b>Teaching methods</b>			
<b>Assessment(maximum number of points100)</b>			
<b>Pre-exam obligations</b>	Points	<b>Final exam</b>	Points
Activity during lectures		Written exam	
Practical instruction	<b>50</b>	Oral exam	<b>50</b>
Revision test		.....	
Seminar papers			