

COURSE DESCRIPTION (SYLLABUS)

1.	Course: Seminar	
2.	Language of instruction: English	
3.	Faculty: Faculty of Biotechnology	
4.	Course/module code: 29-BT-S1-E4-En... (the code will be set soon)	
5.	Course/module type (<i>mandatory or elective</i>): elective - choice limited to seminar groups (topics will be announced in advance)	
6.	Programme: Biotechnology	
7.	Study cycle (<i>1st/2nd</i>): 1st cycle	
8.	Year: 2nd	
9.	Semester (<i>autumn or spring</i>): spring	
10.	Form of tuition and number of hours: Seminar: 15 h Learning methods: Students are introduced with good practices of giving effective scientific presentations. Students prepare and give short oral presentations based on scientific papers. Presentations are discussed.	
11.	Coordinator(s): Justyna Ciuraszkiewicz, PhD	
12.	Initial requirements (<i>knowledge, skills, social competences</i>): no requirements	
13.	Objectives: The main objective of the course is to develop effective oral presentation skills in the area of life and medical sciences. Students are also introduced to different types of scientific papers and main literature search tools.	
14.	Content: Guidelines and good practices of giving effective scientific presentations.	
15.	Learning outcomes:	Outcome symbols:

	<p>Student:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describes biological phenomena and processes; • makes the synthesis of information from various sources and is capable of correct conclusions based on them • uses proper scientific language and terminology during presentations and discussions in the field of biological sciences; • knows how to orally present in English reports of selected scientific issues and make discussions • learns by himself on given subject; • critically evaluates own knowledge and recognizes the importance of expert opinions; • recognizes the ethical problems in the field of biological sciences; • by giving scientific presentations, participates in learning process of others. 	<p>K1_W01, K1_U08, K1_U11, K1_U12, K1_U14, K1_K01, K1_K02, K1_K04, K1_K06</p>
16.	<p>Recommended literature</p> <p>None, students look for professional, scientific papers by themselves.</p>	
17.	<p>Methods of verification of the assumed learning outcomes:</p> <p>A student prepares oral presentations on a chosen topic, basing on the literature provided by a teacher or selected by the student.</p> <p>A student participates in the discussion.</p>	
18.	<p>Conditions of earning credits:</p> <p>Timely and correct preparation of the oral presentation.</p> <p>Active participation in classes.</p>	
19.	Student's workload:	
	Activity	Number of hours for the activity
	Hours of instruction (as stipulated in study programme) :	15 h
	Student's own work:	20 h
	Total number of hours:	35 h
	Number of ECTS:	2 ECTS