COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD

Bialystok University of Technology Faculty of Engineering Management									
Field of study	Management/Logistics							Degree level and programme type	first degree/second degree
Specialisation/ diploma path	-							Study profile	-
Course name	International transport							Course code	IS-FM-00112S
								Course type	elective
Forms and number of	L	С	LC	Р	SW	FW	S	Semester	summer
hours of educational activities					30			No. of ECTS credits	5
Entry requirements		•							
Course objectives	The majority of global trade is carried out in containers, therefore this course aims at teaching planning and organisation of global transport, which most often requires intermodal transport with a combination of road and maritime or rail transport. Learning about types of containers and transhipment processes, selecting modes of transport, forming load units, analysing transport chains in intermodal transport, political, economic and social factors affecting transportation, calculating costs and choosing best options for the particular type of a load and taking into account current situation.								
Course content	General information about international transport; Means of transport and loading units; Concept of container transport. Choice of mode of transport by type of cargo, cost of transport, transport corridors, safety, environmental aspects;								
Teaching methods	presentation, discussion, project								
Assessment method	Evaluation of active participation in the class, report from the project								
Symbol of learning outcome	Learning outcomes							Reference to the learning outcomes for the field of study	
								understands	-
L01	the student: defines the terms related to international transport and is able to elaborate on their essence							<u> </u>	-
LO2	understands the complexity of processes included in global transport							-	
1.02	Skills: the graduate is able to							-	
LO3	plan and organise international transport choose the mode of transport with respect to type of cargo, calculate						-		
LO4	costs, choose transport corridors, analyse factors affecting transport								

	Social competence: the graduate is ready to		•			
LO5	carry out a project in a group and present its results	-				
Symbol of learning outcome	Methods of assessing the learning outcomes	Type of tuition during which the outcome is assessed				
LO1	discussion, evaluation of project results		W			
LO2	evaluation of project results and its presentation	SW				
LO3	evaluation of project results	SW				
LO4	evaluation of project results	SW				
LO5	evaluation of project results and its presentation	SW				
Student workload (in hours) No. of ho						
	participation in the class	30				
Calculation	preparation for classes	10				
	working on the project, preparation of the report	30				
Calculation	preparation for the project defence participation in consultations	10 10				
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	TOTAL:	90				
	Quantitative indicators	HOURS	No. of ECTS credits			
Student worklo	pad – activities that require direct teacher participation	40	1,5			
	Student workload – practical activities	90	3,5			
Basic references	 Rodrigue J.P., Comtois C., Slack B., The geography of transport systems, Routledge Taylor and Francis Group, New York 2013 Kuźmicz K.A., Pesch E., 2019, Approaches to empty container repositioning problem, Omega, 85, 194-213 Y. Jiang, G. Qiao, J. Lu, 2020, Impacts of the New International Land–Sea Trade Corridor on the Freight Transport Structure in China, Central Asia, the ASEAN countries and the EU, Research in Transportation Business & Management, Vol. 35, 100419 					
Supplementary references	 Tekil-Ergün S., Pesch E., Kuzmicz K.A., 2022, Solving a hybrid mixed fleet heterogeneous dial-a-ride problem in delay-sensitive container transportation, International Journal of Production Research, 60:1, 297-323 Kuźmicz K.A., 2022, The impact of the Covid-19 pandemic disruptions on container transport, Engineering Management in Production and Services, Vol. 14, No 2, 106-115 					
Organisational unit conducting the course	International Department of Logistics and Service Engineering Date of issuing programme					
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L – lecture, C – classes, LC – laboratory classes, P – project, SW – specialization workshop, FW - field work, S – seminar