

TUTORIAL COURSE FORM

2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

Name of the tutorial course	European Structural Funds Management
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Semester(s) in which the tutorial course is available	2
No. of ECTS credits	7
Level of study	Master
Short description/Contents	<p>At the final of the course, the students will understand how it works the mechanism of the European structural funds' management at European level.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prerequisites for integrating European structural funds into European cohesion policy 2. European cohesion policy: principles, objectives, instruments 3. The institutional (national and European) system of European structural funds management 4. Managing the creation and distribution of funds at European level 5. The efficiency of European structural funds management in EU countries
Assessment/Evaluation	<p>Individual project: 40%</p> <p>Exam (open questions): 60%</p>
Bibliography	<p>Bailey, D., Lisa De Propriis, The 1988 Reform of the European Structural Funds: Entitlement or Empowerment?, Journal of European Public Policy, 3 June 2002</p> <p>Bollen, F., Managing EU Structural Funds. Effective capacity for Implementation as a Prerequisite, Maastricht, European Institute of Public Administration, 2001</p> <p>Bollen, F., Hartwig, I., Nicolaidis, P., EU Structural Funds beyond Agenda 2000. Reform and Implications for Current and Future Member States, Maastricht, European Institute of Public Administration, 2000</p> <p>Smail, Rob, Broos, Luc, Kuijpers, Elsa, Managing structural funds: a step-by-step practical handbook, EIPA, 2008</p> <p>*** Documents of European Commission regarding Cohesion Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History: https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/what/history/

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The role of European cohesion policy: https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/what/investment-policy/ ; • Key achievements of Regional Policy (for example, for 2007-2013): https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/what/key-achievements/2007-2013 • Principles: https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/how/principles/ • Objectives: https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/how/priorities • Instruments: ERDF (https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/erdf/); ESF (https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/social-fund/); Cohesion Fund (https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/cohesion-fund/); IPA (https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/ipa/) • Programming and implementation: https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/policy/how/stages-step-by-step/ • Financial Management 2014-2020, https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/financial-management/ • Financial Management 2007-2013), https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/financial-management/2007-2013/ • Managing the distribution of funds at European level https://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/en/funding/available-budget/ and https://cohesiondata.ec.europa.eu/funds • The efficiency of European structural funds management in EU countries https://cohesiondata.ec.europa.eu/overview#
Observations	<p>Minimum performance standard: Achieve a minimum 5.00 grade at final exam and final average of at least 5.00</p>