Module name	Physics with elements of biophysics
Module code	
ISCED code	0511: Biology
Study cycle	l°
Semester	winter
Responsible for this module	Imię i Nazwisko: dr Kamila Kupisz, dr hab. Maria Stolarz Department of Plant Physiology and Biophysics email: kamila.kupisz@poczta.umcs.lublin.pl maria.stolarz@poczta.umcs.lublin.pl
Language of instruction	English
Website	
Prerequisites	General knowledge in physics and biology at high school level
ECTS	5 ECTS points
ECTS points hour equivalents	Contact hours (work with an academic teacher) – 60 - lectures: 20 - labs: 40 Non-contact hours (students' own work) – 80
	- preparation for the exam: 25 hours
	- preparation for labs: 20 hours
	- preparation of reports from laboratory exercises: 20
	hours
	- literature study: 15 hours
	Total number of ECTS points for the module - 5
Learning outcomes verification methods	W1,W2 - Final exam
	U1-U3, K1-K2 - Laboratory classes
Course full description	 SI base units, vectors, mathematical operation on vector quantities, analysis of measurement errors, Lipid membrane - surface tension and method of its measurement, surfactants, monolayers, bilayers, black lipid membrane (BLM) Biological membranes; cell structure, composition, physicochemical properties Transport through membranes, ion channels Membrane potential; equlibrium (Nernst's) potential, resting potential, action potential Electrical conductivity of living organisms Radiation, light intensity, radiant power density, photon flux density Light absorption through the medium Biophysics of visual processes, an eye
Bibliography	 Physics in Biology and Medicine. Paul Davidovits, 2008 Biophysics. A Physiological Approach. Patrick F.

	 Dillon, 2012 Molecular Driving Forces. Ken A. Dill, Sarina Bromberg, 2011 Cell Physiology Source Book: Essentials of Membrane Biophysics. Nicholas Sperelakis Nick Sperelakis, 2011
Learning outcomes	KNOWLEDGE W1: Student recognises basic processes occurring in living organisms at the molecular, cellular, and organism level K_W01, K_W02 W2: Knows the basic mathematical concepts, accounting and statistical methods and their applications in the interpretation of biological phenomena and processes K_W01, K_W02, K_W07
	SKILLS U1:Uses basic laboratory and field research tools and techniques applied in biology sciences K_U01, K_U02, K_U03 U2: Applies mathematic and statistical methods for description of phenomena, analysis of the experiment, and elaboration of results K_U02, K_U03 U3: Makes written reports of experiments and writes, in English as well, short essays on assigned topics and formulates correct conclusions from experiments and observations K_U04
	SOCIAL COMPETENCES K1: Adopts an active attitude towards acquisition, extension, and updating biological knowledge K_K02 K2: Analyses assigned tasks in terms of correct and efficient implementation thereof by determining the sequence of activities and specifying principles of cooperation in the team K_K02
Practice	-
Teaching methods	lecture, presentation, experiment