Module name	Biochemistry of nutrition
Module code	B-BM.072Eng
ISCED code	0511: Biology
Study cycle	1º
Semester	winter
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Language of instruction	English
Website	
Prerequisites	passed biochemistry course
ECTS	1
ECTS points hour equivalents	Contact hours (work with an academic teacher) – 15
	- lectures: 15
	Non-contact hours (students' own work) – 15
	- preparation for the credit: 10
	- literature study: 5
	Total number of ECTS points for the module - 1
Learning outcomes verification methods	lecture - final written test
Course full description	This module will highlight the role of nutrients and
	nutrient metabolism in human health. The course covers
	the structural and functional characteristics of
	macronutrients (amino acids, proteins, carbohydrates,
	lipids) and micronutrients (vitamins) in food consumed
	by humans. Biochemical mechanisms associated with
	the digestion and assimilation of macronutrients.
	Molecular aspects of nutrition and integration of
	metabolic pathways of food ingredients. Bases of
	human nutrition in relation to the organs and systems of
	the body and physiological conditions (e.g. pregnancy,
	lactation, growth, puberty, aging).
Bibliography	1. Voet D.J., Voet J.G., Pratt C.W., Principles of
Bibliography	Biochemistry, 5th global ed., John Wiley & Sons,
	Inc., 2018;
	2. Mann J., and Truswell A.S. Essentials of human
	nutrition. Oxford University Press 2007;
	3. Appleton, A., and Vanbergen O. Crash Course:
	Metabolism and Nutrition. Elsevier Health Sciences,
	2012.
	 Materials compiled by the teacher and provided to
	students before classes.
Learning outcomes	Based on the Resolution of the Senate of the Maria
	Curie-Skłodowska University No. XXIV-27.18/19 of 29
	May 2019. (i.e. from the 2019/2020 education cycle):
	KNOWLEDGE
	The graduate
	W1: Defines and describes the biologically active
	molecules contained in food; based on the knowledge of
	organic chemistry and biochemistry and metabolism of
	these compounds at the cellular level.
	W/2: Characterizes and evolution biochemical processes
	W2: Characterizes and explains biochemical processes
	occurring during food intake, digestion and metabolism
	in living organisms.
	SKILLS
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	The graduate U1: Can critically assess facts related to a person's diet
	U2: Know how to evaluate the influence of various factors on the processes related to the metabolism of nutrients
	SOCIAL COMPETENCES The graduate K1: Shows an active attitude in gaining, supplementing and updating the knowledge on nutrition biochemistry
Practice	-
Teaching methods	multimedia presentation, scientific discussions.