

# **Course syllabus**

## 1. Core data

| Course code   | Credits  | Semester   |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| KG00037NMBB   | 6  | 2024/25/2  |  |
| Course title in Hungarian   |  |  |  |
| Projekt 1   |  |  |  |
| Course title in English   |  |  |  |
| Project 1   |  |  |  |
| Course title in other language                                    |  |  |  |
| Course leader   | Institute  |  |  |
| Tőkés László János  | Institute of Economics   |  |  |
| Language of instruction   | Type of final ass  | Type of final assessment                                       |  |
| Hungarian   | Seminar grade  | Seminar grade  |  |
| Number of theoretical classes per week<br>(full-time programmes)  |  | Number of practical classes per week<br>(full-time programmes) |  |
| 0   | 2  | 2  |  |
| Number of theoretical classes per semester (part-time programmes) | Number of practical classes per semester<br>(part-time programmes) |  |  |
| 0   | 0  | 0  |  |
| Available for preferential study schedule                         |  |  |  |
| No  |  |  |  |

## 2. Main features

#### Course objectives

The project course series in the undergraduate program of applied economics sets the goal of not only equipping students with the concepts, perspectives, and methodological tools necessary to address relevant economic issues, but also enabling them to recall and apply these elements in the solution of real problems that require the utilization of knowledge acquired from multiple courses. Ultimately, students should be able to select the appropriate conceptual and methodological tools, apply them correctly during problem-solving, and effectively communicate the results of their analyses both verbally and in writing. The Project 1 course aims to establish the foundational skills necessary for this purpose.

#### Brief description of the course

In the Project 1 course, students are required to (i) collaboratively conduct an empirical research project throughout the semester, (ii) defend it before a committee, and (iii) individually document the research results in their own words, adhering to specified formatting and content requirements.

#### Relationship with other courses of the programme

The course builds upon the knowledge acquired in the courses Introduction to Theoretical Economics and Introduction to Empirical Economics.

| Skill  | Knowledge   | Attitude  | Autonomy and<br>Responsibility  |
|--|---|---|---|
| Able to highlight the relevance of the problem under investigation.                      | Familiar with the criteria<br>for formulating a proper<br>hypothesis. | work, they demonstrate a problem-sensitive, and behavior. The proactive attitude and, in responsibility for | They take responsibility for<br>their decisions, actions,<br>and behavior. They take<br>responsibility for their own<br>professional development. |
| Capable of logically<br>presenting research<br>findings both verbally and<br>in writing. | Familiar with the logic of the empirical analysis process.            |   |   |
|  | Familiar with the structure of presenting empirical                   |   |   |

## 3. Learning outcomes



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| Able to apply concepts,<br>methodologies, and logics<br>learnt in the courses<br>Introduction to Theoretical<br>Economics and<br>Introduction to Empirical<br>Economics to their own<br>research. | analyses.<br>Familiar with the<br>fundamental principles of<br>data analysis. | acquired knowledge, they<br>strive to gain a thorough<br>and comprehensive<br>understanding of<br>observable phenomena,<br>describe their regularities,<br>and provide explanations.<br>They seek solutions to<br>economic problems by<br>applying economic models<br>and evaluating empirical<br>evidence. | ve to gain a thorough<br>comprehensive<br>erstanding of<br>ervable phenomena,<br>cribe their regularities,<br>provide explanations.<br>y seek solutions to<br>nomic problems by<br>lying economic models<br>evaluating empirical |
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| Capable of producing a<br>paper that adheres to<br>specified format and<br>content requirements.  | Familiar with the logic of the empirical analysis process.                    |   |  |
|   | Familiar with the structure of presenting empirical analyses.                 |   |  |
|   | Know the basic rules of citation.   |   |  |
|   | Know the rules for compiling a reference list.                                |   |  |

## 4. Mandatory readings

| Required literature  | URL  |
|--|--|
| American Psychological Association. (2022). APA Style common reference examples guide. | https://apastyle.apa.org/instructional-aids/reference-<br>examples.pdf |

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