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SOCIAL PEDAGOGY

STATE CODE	653X16004
COLLEGE STUDIES PROGRAMME	SOCIAL PEDAGOGY
QUALIFICATION DEGREE AWARDED <i>or</i> QUALIFICATION DEGREE AWARDED AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION	Professional Bachelor of Social Pedagogy, Pedagogue
MINIMUM EDUCATION	Secondary
STUDY MODE AND DURATION	Full-time studies – 3 years Part-time studies – 4 years
STUDY VOLUME	180 credits
STUDY MODULES:	
<i>General Study Subjects</i>	Professional Foreign Language: English, German, or French; Child and Family Law; Speciality Language; Basics of Law.
<i>Subjects of Study Branch</i>	<p><i>Pedagogy Studies:</i> Fundamentals of Educology; Special Education; Family Education; Developmental and Personality Psychology; Philosophy of Education; Methodological Basics of Educological Research; Thesis.</p> <p><i>Pedagogy Internships:</i> Observational practice for social pedagogues – observation and analysis of social pedagogue’s work in connection to the pupil’s social well-being; discussion of pupils’ social problems in educational (care-centre) institutions; analysis of a social pedagogue’s activities and functions in an institution, analysis of preventative work plans. Social pedagogue assistant’s practice – analysis and reflection on social pedagogue’s work in various educational institutions. Communicating with pupils and other participants of the education process, recognising upcoming problems, analysis of their solutions; creating a positive pedagogic interaction and maintaining it; analysing the forms and ways to communicate with parents; strengthening skills of creating a preventative work plan for an institution; participation in practical tasks along with a social pedagogue, joining correctional activities with at-risk children and their families; reflecting on the importance of a</p>

	<p>social pedagogue's consultation activity.</p> <p>Pedagogic practice with the help of a mentor - strengthening skills of creating a preventative work plan for an institution; participation in practical tasks along with a social pedagogue, joining correctional activities with at-risk children and their families; reflecting on the importance of a social pedagogue's consultation activity.</p> <p>Independent social pedagogue's practice – improving students' practical skills on establishing and solving pupils' social, educational, behavioural, and personal contact problems; prompting initiative, creativity and innovation implementation through independent work with pupils, while providing pedagogical-social support and striving to achieve a non-formal leader's position.</p> <p><i>Pedagogy Specialization Subjects:</i> Introduction to Studies; Social Pedagogy; Experience Pedagogy; Sociology; Social Policy; Social Work with At-Risk Families; Delinquent Pedagogy; Social and Educational Psychology; Theory and Methods of Social Work; Cultural Diversity; Intercultural Education; Project Management; Career Planning; Application of Information Technology in Social Pedagogue's Work.</p> <p><i>Alternative Modules:</i></p> <p>I. Mediation in Educational Institutions Basics of Mediation; Mediation in Educational Institutions; Conflicts and Conflict Management; Collegial Supervision and Coaching; Specialization practice.</p> <p>II. Cultural Event Management Rhetoric and Public Speech; Leisure Education; Methods of Event Planning; Internship in Specialization.</p> <p><i>Final Evaluation:</i> Thesis (project)</p>
<i>Free Elective Subjects</i>	Lithuanian Language; Reflective Pedagogy; Paper Art; Sign Language; Information Technologies; Basics of Communication; Dance Study; Foreign Language for Beginners (English, Russian, or German); Problematic Learning Methods; Graphic Design; Statistics; Visual Communication; Educational Space for Teenage Subcultures; Basics of Business; Logic; Culture History; Citizenship Development.
ANTICIPATED STUDY PROGRAMME OUTCOMES	Prepare a creative social pedagogue, capable of critical thought, skilfully working in a changing, diverse sociocultural environment, providing social pedagogy help to students of differing needs, mediating between the students and various

	institutions to ensure their well-being, organizing preventive work, improving personally and professionally.
GRADUATES WILL BE ABLE TO	Evaluate students' needs; plan social pedagogical help for students; utilize methods of individual work with the students; organize student's activities, helping better their social functioning; analyse and evaluate the effectiveness of social pedagogical work; evaluate student's standing in a social group; organize student's activities in a group, analyse and evaluate the changes in a group; evaluate the student's environment, organize the public's education in order to avoid negative social pedagogical occurrences; analyse the effectiveness of preventive work; communicate and cooperate with student's family members, educational institutions, and other organizations, coordinate social pedagogical help for the students, work in teams; apply methods of social research.
CAREER PROSPECTS	Graduates can work as pedagogues in all types of educational, social care, and community institutions, child protective services, refugee centres, non-governmental organisations and other public sector institutions, work in accordance with the chosen specialization.
STUDENTS WHO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THIS STUDY PROGRAMME ARE AWARDED A PROFESSIONAL BACHELOR'S DIPLOMA.	