Course Unit Title:	Event Management
Course Unit Code:	TSM 202
Type of Course Unit: (Compulsory/Optional)	Optional
Level of Course Unit: (first, second or third cycle)	Bachelor (1st Cycle)
Year of Study:	2
Semester when the unit is delivered:	4
Number of ECTS credits allocated:	6
Name of lecturer(s):	ТВА

Learning Outcomes of the course unit:

Upon successful completion of this course students should be able to:

- Demonstrate the principles of event management and analyze the opportunities and challenges in managing events.
- Assess the importance of event tourism strategies for destinations.
- Evaluate and analyze the planning, development, management and implementation
 of various types of events (i.e., festivals, entertainment events, corporate events,
 cultural events, sports events, press events, events for the launching of a new
 product).
- Discuss the planning, development, management and implementation of various types of events through case studies.
- Demonstrate creative problem solving by expressing practical experience of work in the event industry.
- Manage working in a group to deliver a common writing and develop new management and behavioral skills.

Mode of Delivery:	Distance Learning
Prerequisites and co- requisites:	None
Recommended optional program components:	None

Course Contents:

Objective:

The course aims to provide knowledge regarding the formulation of strategies for managing events and familiarize students with the organization of events and their operations. The course introduces students to events and to clarify the significance of events for tourism and supplies knowledge regarding the planning, organizing and evaluation of events. Finally, the

course underlines the importance of marketing tools and the integrated marketing communications (with special emphasis on public relations) for the successful communication and organization of events.

Description:

Areas to be covered are: introduction to event studies, event management and event tourism; event management: practice and professionalism; planning events; site planning, operations and logistics; destination planning and marketing for event tourism; the event experience, programming, and quality; production, organization and coordination of events; human resources management in events; securing resources, sponsorship and financial management; safety, health, risk management and security; marketing management of events; communication, public relations and sales and evaluation and impact assessment.

Required reading:		
Bowdin, G. et al: EVENTS MANAGEMENT, Oxford: Butterworth-Heinemann.		
Recommended readings:		
Getz, D.: EVENT MANAGEMENT AND EVENT TOURISM, New York: Cognizant Communication Corporation		
Conway, D.G.: THE EVENT MANAGER'S BIBLE: THE COMPLETE GUIDE TO PLANNING AND ORGANISING A VOLUNTARY OF PUBLIC EVENT, Oxford: How To Books LTD.		
Getz, D: EVENT STUDIES: THEORY, RESEARCH AND POLICY FOR PLANNED EVENTS (EVENTS MANAGEMENT), Oxford: Butterworth-Heinemann.		
Shone, A., Parry, B.: SUCCESFUL EVENT MANAGEMENT, Hampshire: Cengage Learning.		
Virtual lectures, workshops, group work, assignments and exams		

Assessment methods and criteria:	Final Examination Ongoing evaluation	50% 50% 100%
Language of Instruction:	English	
Work Placement(s):	No	
Place of Teaching:	Blackboard Virtual Learning Platform	