

Tab. 3. Study plan

Course code	Course name	Total number of hours / ECTS	Number of hours – contact with teacher	Number of hours – doctoral student’s independent work	Form of course completion	Year I		Year II		Year III		Year IV	
						Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4	Semester 5	Semester 6	Semester 7	Semester 8
	Module 1: General education courses												
SD-1	Research methodology	25/1	15	10	E	15/10*							
SD-2	Statistic	25/1	15	10	E		15/10						
SD-3	Academic skills workshops ¹	100/4	35	65	ZO Semester 1 to 4	7/18	8/17	10/15	10/15				
SD-4	Research ethics	13/0.5	8	5	ZO		8/5						
SD-5	Intellectual property law	12/0.5	7	5	ZO			7/5					
SD-6	Higher education teaching	25/1	15	10	ZO	15/10							
SD-7	Courses at another university	55/2	55	0	ZO Sem. 1 to 3	15/0	15/0	25/0					
	Module 2: Practical training												
SD-8	Research practice ²	100/4	60	40	ZO			15/10	15/10	15/10	15/10		
SD-9	Teaching practice ³	220/8	40	180	ZO Sem. 1 to 8	10/15	10/15	10/15	10/15	0/30	0/30	0/30	0/30
SD-10	Organisational practice ⁴	200/8	0	200	ZO Sem. 1 to 8	0/25	0/25	0/25	0/25	0/25	0/25	0/25	0/25

	Module 3: Doctoral dissertation preparation												
SD-11	Doctoral seminar ⁵	200/8	52	148	ZO Sem.1;2;3;4; 5;6;7 E - Sem. 8	8/17	8/17	8/17	8/17	5/20	5/20	5/20	5/20
	Number of hours	975/36	302	673		70/95	64/89	75/87	43/82	20/85	20/85	5/75	5/75

¹**Semester 1** – literature studies (preparation of a literature review); **Semester 2** – preparation of a conference presentation;

Semester 3 – preparation of a scientific article; **Semester 4**– preparation of a research project

² internship in a research laboratory / participation in a research project;

³ **Semesters 1/2** – observation of classes, participation in examinations; **Semesters 3/4** – teaching under supervision; **Semesters 5/6 and 7/8** – independent teaching;

⁴ work in the organisation of scientific conferences, work in journal editorial offices; participation in doctoral dissertation defences

⁵ **Semesters 1 and 2** – preparation of a scientific development schedule, development of the doctoral dissertation concept; **Semesters 3,4,5,6** – conducting research within the doctoral dissertation, preparation of the doctoral dissertation; Semesters 7/8 – preparation of doctoral dissertation text and submission of the doctoral dissertation within the deadline specified in the Individual Research Plan (IPB) as a condition for completion of education at the Doctoral School

* **Contact hours (with teacher) / doctoral student's independent work**

** **Half of the doctoral education period at the Doctoral School falls at the end of the fourth semester**