

## Annex 6

### DISCIPLINE DESCRIPTION

#### 1. Information on the study programme

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| 1.1 Academic institution          | <b>UNIVERSITY OF ORADEA</b>  |
| 1.2 Faculty                       | <b>FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION</b>                           |
| 1.3 Department                    | <b>ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING</b>                                     |
| 1.4 Field of study                | <b>ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING</b>                                     |
| 1.5 Cycle of study                | <b>BACHELOR</b>  |
| 1.6 Study programme/Qualification | <b>ENGINEERING OF BIOTECHNICAL AND ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS / ENGINEER</b> |

#### 2. Information on the discipline

|                                       |     |                              |    |                        |    |                          |   |
|---------------------------------------|-----|------------------------------|----|------------------------|----|--------------------------|---|
| 2.1 Name of discipline                |     | SOIL POLLUTION               |    |                        |    |                          |   |
| 2.2 Course holder                     |     | Prof. PHD. SABĂU NICU CORNEL |    |                        |    |                          |   |
| 2.3 Seminar/Laboratory/Project holder |     | Prof.PHD SABĂU NICU CORNEL   |    |                        |    |                          |   |
| 2.4 Year of study                     | III | 2.5 Semester                 | VI | 2.6 Type of evaluation | Ex | 2.7 Regime of discipline | C |

(C) Compulsory; (O) Optional; (E) Elective

#### 3. Total estimate time (hours per semester of didactic activities)

|   |            |                          |    |   |       |
|---|------------|--------------------------|----|---|-------|
| 3.1 Number of hours per week  | 4          | out of which: 3.2 course | 2  | out of which 3.3 seminar/laboratory/project | 2     |
| 3.4 Total hours in the curriculum   | 56         | out of which: 3.5 course | 28 | out of which 3.6 seminar/laboratory/project | 28    |
| Time allotment  |            |                          |    |   | hours |
| Study assisted by manual, course support, bibliography and notes                              |            |                          |    |   | 22    |
| Additional documentation in the library/ on specialised electronic platforms and in the field |            |                          |    |   | 20    |
| Preparation of seminars/laboratories/ topics/reports, portfolios and essays                   |            |                          |    |   | 10    |
| Tutorship   |            |                          |    |   | -     |
| Examinations  |            |                          |    |   | 4     |
| Other activities.....   |            |                          |    |   | -     |
| <b>3.7 Total hours of individual study</b>  | <b>104</b> |                          |    |   |       |
| <b>3.9 Total hours per semester</b>   | <b>48</b>  |                          |    |   |       |
| <b>3.10 Number of credits</b>   | <b>4</b>   |                          |    |   |       |

#### 4. Prerequisites (where appropriate)

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| 4.1 curriculum  | Promotion of exams in the disciplines Soil Science I and II |
| 4.2 competences | General knowledge about soil science                        |

### 5. Conditions (where appropriate)

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| 5.1. related to course                      | PC, video projector   |
| 5.2. related to seminar/laboratory/ project | The specific equipment needed to carry out the practical work |

| 6. Specific competences acquired |  |
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| Professional competences         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ C2. Managing and solving specific environmental problems for sustainable development.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>C2.1. Description and application of practical/technological/engineering concepts, theories and methods for determining the state of environmental quality;</li> <li>C2.4. Qualitative and quantitative evaluation of natural phenomena and human activities on the quality of environmental factors;</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ C3. Analysis of the technical solutions necessary for the prevention, reduction and elimination of negative phenomena on the environment               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>C3.1. Identification and use of methods and techniques, tools necessary for monitoring environmental factors</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| Transversal competences          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ CT2. Identifying roles and responsibilities in a multidisciplinary team and applying communication techniques and effective work within the team</li> <li>▪ CT3. Effective use of information sources and communication resources and assisted professional training (portals, Internet, specialized software applications, databases, online courses, etc.) both in Romanian and in a language of international circulation</li> </ul>   |

### 7. Objectives of discipline (coming from the specific competences acquired)

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| 7.1 General objective   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The discipline is part of the category of field disciplines, with the objective of familiarizing students with the notions of soil degradation and pollution, the main sources of physical-chemical and biological soil degradation.</li> </ul>   |
| 7.2 Specific objectives | <p>Competencies regarding pedogenesis, soil properties and their taxonomy.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Theoretical knowledge – Knowledge, understanding and easy use of basic concepts and methods specific to the field of soil degradation and pollution.</li> <li>▪ Acquired skills – Effective use of the basic knowledge accumulated in the course, for the correct explanation and interpretation of the concepts and processes aimed at soil degradation and pollution;</li> <li>▪ Acquired skills – The ability to apply and use the knowledge acquired throughout the year, to solve problems related to soil properties and their taxonomy.</li> <li>▪ Attitudinal - The ability to work in a team, responsible execution of work tasks.</li> </ul> |

### 8. Content\*/

| 8.1 Course   | Methods of teaching | No. of hours/Remarks |
|--|---------------------|----------------------|
| Soil degradation and pollution, Definitions, generalities, classifications, ICPA Classification  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| International and national regulations regarding soil degradation and pollution  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil degradation and pollution through daily excavation works (mining, ballast quarries, etc.)   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Degradation and pollution of the soil by covering with deposits, dumps, ponds, etc.  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution with waste and inorganic residues of an industrial nature, including extractive ones  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution with airborne substances (hydrocarbons, ethylene, ammonia, sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxides, lead compounds, etc.)   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil degradation and pollution through erosion and landslides Soil pollution through sediment cover produced by erosion  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil degradation by compaction including crust formation.  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Degradation and pollution of the soil through deficit or excess of moisture  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution through acidification and salinization and/or alkalization  | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution with radioactive materials. Soil pollution with organic residues from the food and textile industry. Soil pollution with plant and forestry waste and residues.   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution with animal and human droppings. Soil pollution with contaminating pathogenic agents (infectious agents, toxins, allergens, etc.)   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Soil pollution through excess or lack of nutrients Soil pollution with pesticides (insecticides, herbicides, etc.)   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
| Complex soil pollution as a result of poorly designed, executed or exploited land reclamation. Complex soil pollution with oil residues and salt water   | Interactive Lecture | 2                    |
|  |                     | 28                   |
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| 8.2 Seminar  | Methods of teaching | No. of hours/Remarks |
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| <b>Bibliography</b>  |                     |                      |

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| 8.3 Laboratory  |  |    |
| Laborprotectionandthe presentation of the Pedology and Soil Pollution Laboratory.                           | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study, video | 2  |
| Determination of soil acidity   | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 2  |
| Determination of potential acidity, redox potential and soil buffering capacity                             | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 2  |
| Determination of the total cation exchange capacity, exchangeable cations and degree of saturation in bases | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, translations      | 2  |
| Determination of calcium carbonate  | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 2  |
| Determination of soluble salts in the soil  | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 2  |
| Determination of sodium in the soil   | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 2  |
| Recognizing the types of humus and determining the humus in the soil  | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study        | 4  |
| Determination of soil nitrogen  | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study, video | 2  |
| Determination of phosphorus and potassium in the soil   | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study, video | 4  |
| Determination of heavy metals in the soil   | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study, video | 2  |
| Determination of the biological properties of the soil  | Explanations, exemplification, dialogue, case study, video | 2  |
|   |  | 28 |
| 8.4 Project   |  |    |
|   |  |    |
| Bibliography  |  |    |

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\* The content, respectively the number of hours allocated to each course / seminar / laboratory / project will be detailed during the 14 weeks of each semester of the academic year.

### 9. Corroboration of discipline content with the expectations of the epistemic community, professional associations and representative employers from the field corresponding to the study programme

- By learning the theoretical concepts and dealing with the practical aspects included in the discipline, students acquire a consistent body of knowledge, in accordance with the skills required for the occupations provided in the RNCIS Grid
- The content of the discipline can be found in the curricula of the Biotechnical and Ecological Systems Engineering specialization and in other university centers that have accredited these specializations.

### 10. Evaluation

| Type of activity   | 10.1 Evaluation criteria | 10.2 Evaluation methods | 10.3 Share in the final grade |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 10.4 Course  | Exam                     | Oral                    | 67 %                          |
| 10.5 Seminar   |                          |                         |                               |
| 10.6 Laboratory  | Periodic check           | Grid test               | 33 %                          |
| 10.7 Project   |                          |                         |                               |
| 10.8 Minimum standard of performance   |                          |                         |                               |
| - The minimum standard of performance assumes the partial acquisition, in proportion of 50%, of the basic knowledge of the discipline studied. |                          |                         |                               |

Date of completion

Signature of course holder\*\*

Signature of seminar

laboratory/project holder \*\*

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