**Study program:** Special Education and Rehabilitation, module Motor Disability

Type and level of studies: Basic Academic Studies

Title of the subject: Assistive Technology

Lecturer: Gordana R. Odović

Course status: Obligatory

ECTS: 6

Prerequisites: None

**Aim:** Gaining theoretical and practical knowledge regarding assistive technologies in education, rehabilitation, communication and daily living of persons with motor disabilities.

**Outcomes:** Student will be able to identify appropriate assistive technology devices for persons with motor disabilities and implement it in education, rehabilitation, communication and daily living as well.

## Content

Lectures: Assistive technology for communication, daily living and rehabilitation of persons with motor disability; Matching assistive technology device to individual needs and abilities; Assistive technology in inclusive and special education of students with motor disability.

Practical work: Analyze of using and applying assistive technologies in education, communication, daily living and rehabilitation; Performing an assistive technology assessment and evaluation of a person's abilities and limitations to determine an appropriate assistive technology device; Performing an assistive technology assessment to determine an appropriate assistive technology devices in inclusive and special education, rehabilitation and daily living for persons with motor disabilities.

## Literature

Required books/texts: Stošljević, L., Čukić, R., Stošljević, M. (1999). Metodika razredne nastave za telesno invalidna lica (somatometodika) – specijalni deo. Beograd:Univerzitet u Beogradu, Defektološki fakultet ID= 83919884.; Odović, G. (2004). Značaj asistivne tehnologije u profesionalnoj rehabilitaciji i aktivnostima svakodnevnog života telesno invalidnih lica. Beogradska defektološka škola, 2-3, 171 – 176.; Odović, G. (2010). Asistivna tehnologija na radnom mestu. Specijalna edukacija i rehabilitacija, 9 (2), 341 – 354.

Additional Readings: Beck, J. (2002). Emerging Literacy Through Assistive Technology. Teaching Exceptional Children, 35(2), 44 – 48.; Lahm, E. A., & Sizemore, L. (2002). Factors that influence assistive technology decision-making. Journal of Special Education Technology, 17(1), 15.

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Number of active	Lecture: 2	Practical work: 1		
classes per week				

**Teaching methods:** Lectures with interactive learning, applying audio-visual methods (Power Point presentations), showing short videos and films.

## **Evaluation of knowledge (maximum score 100)**

Pre obligations	Score	Final exam	Score
activites during the lectures	10	writen exam	
practical teaching	15	oral exam	50
midterm(s)			
seminar	25		