

| UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS |                |
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| Predmet:                              | Radiokemija    |
| Course title:                         | Radiochemistry |

| Študijski program in stopnja<br>Study programme and level | Študijska smer<br>Study field | Letnik<br>Academic year | Semester<br>Semester |
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| Ekotehnologije, 2. stopnja                                | /                             | 1                       | 2                    |
| Ecotechnologies, 2 <sup>nd</sup> cycle                    | /                             | 1                       | 2                    |

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| Vrsta predmeta / Course type | Izbirni / Elective |
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| Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University course code: | EKO2-742 |
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| Predavanja<br>Lectures | Seminar | Vaje<br>Tutorial | Klinične vaje<br>work | Druge oblike<br>študija | Samost. delo<br>Individ. work | ECTS |
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| 15                     | 15      |                  |                       | 15                      | 105                           | 5    |

\*Navedena porazdelitev ur velja, če je vpisanih vsaj 15 študentov. Drugače se obseg izvedbe kontaktnih ur sorazmerno zmanjša in prenese v samostojno delo. / This distribution of hours is valid if at least 15 students are enrolled. Otherwise the contact hours are linearly reduced and transferred to individual work.

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| Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer: | Prof. dr. Ljudmila Benedik<br>Prof. dr. Borut Smolič<br>Doc. dr. Marko Štrok |
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| Jeziki / Languages: | Predavanja / Lectures: Slovenski ali angleški / Slovene or English |
|                     | Seminar: Angleški / English  |

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| Pogoji za vključitev v delo oz. za opravljanje študijskih obveznosti:  | Prerequisites:  |
| Zaključen študij prve stopnje naravoslovne ali tehničke smeri ali zaključen študij drugih smeri z dokazanim poznanjem osnov področja predmeta (pisna dokazila, pogovor). | Completed first level studies in natural sciences or engineering or completed second level studies in other fields with proven knowledge of fundamentals in the field of this course (certificates, interview). |

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| <b>Vsebina:</b><br>Radionuklidi in uporaba radiokemijskih metod:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jедrske reakcije in kemija radioaktivnih izotopov;</li> <li>• Proizvodnja radionuklidov in označenih spojin;</li> <li>• Kemijske separacije radioaktivnih spojin;</li> <li>• Jедrska energija in njeni vplivi na okolje, kemija jedrskega gorivnega cikla;</li> <li>• Radionuklidi v geokemiji, kozmokemiji in v znanosti o življenju;</li> <li>• Radioaktivni sledilci pri kemijskih raziskavah;</li> <li>• Kemija naravnih in umetnih radionuklidov v okolju.</li> </ul> | <b>Content (Syllabus outline):</b><br>Radionuclides and applications of radiochemical methods:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nuclear reactions and chemistry of radioactive isotopes;</li> <li>• Production of radionuclides and labelled compounds;</li> <li>• Chemical separations of radioactive compounds;</li> <li>• Nuclear energy and its environmental effects, chemistry of the nuclear fuel cycle;</li> <li>• Radionuclides in geo-, cosmo- chemistry and in the life sciences;</li> <li>• Radiotracers in chemical research;</li> </ul> |
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- Chemistry of natural and man-made radionuclides in the environment.

#### **Temeljni literatura in viri / Readings:**

- G. Choppin, J.-O. Liljenzin, J. Rydberg, C. Ekberg. Radiochemistry and Nuclear Chemistry, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition. Kidlington: Academic Press (2013), ISBN 978-0-12-405897-2.
- J.-V. Kratz, K. H. Lieser. Nuclear and Radiochemistry, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition. Weinheim: Wiley-VCH (2013), ISBN 978-3-527-32901-4.
- J. Lehto, X. Hou. Chemistry and Analysis of Radionuclides: Laboratory Techniques and Methodology. Weinheim: Wiley - VCH (2011), ISBN 978-3-527-32658-7.
- M. F. L'Annunziata. Handbook of Radioactivity Analysis, 3rd Edition. London: Academic Press (2012), ISBN: 9780123848734.
- G. F. Knoll. Radiation Detection and Measurements, 4th Edition. N.Y.: John Wiley & Sons (2011), ISBN: 978-1-118-02691-5.
- N. Tsoufanidis, S. Landsberger. Measurement and Detection of Radiation, 3rd Edition. Boca Raton: CRC Press (2011).
- D. A. Atwood. Radionuclides in the Environment. John Wiley & Sons (2010), ISBN: 978-0-470-71434-8.
- Ciljani izbor znanstvenih objav. / Targeted selection of scientific publications.

#### **Cilji in kompetence:**

Cilj predmeta je seznaniti študenta z radiokemijskimi postopki in tehnikami za izbrane aplikacije.

Cilj se navezuje na kompetence:

- Obvladovanje raziskovalnih metod, postopkov in procesov ter razvoj kritične in samokritične presoje;
- Sposobnost uporabe znanja na akademski ravni in v praksi;
- Razvoj komunikacijskih sposobnosti in spremnosti, posebej komunikacije v mednarodnem okolju;
- Kooperativnost, delo v skupini in v mednarodnem okolju;
- Obvladovanje specifičnosti rokovanja z radioaktivnimi snovmi, še posebej pri delu z odprtimi viri ionizirajočih sevanj.

#### **Objectives and competences:**

The objective of the course is to acquaint a student with radiochemical procedures and techniques for selected applications.

This objective is related to competences:

- Command of research methods, procedures and processes, and well-formed skills for critical judgment;
- Critical thinking at both academic level and in practice;
- Communication ability and skills in the international environment;
- Ability to work in a team and in international environment;
- Command for specific handling of radioactive materials and in particular for work with open sources of ionising radiation.

#### **Predvideni študijski rezultati (Izidi):**

- Poznati in razumeti osnovne principe radiokemije;
- Pojasniti specifičnosti kemijskih separacij radioaktivnih spojin;
- Izbrati ustrezni radiokemijski postopek za določitev iskanega radionuklida;
- Uporabiti primeren radioaktivni sledilec pri specifični aplikaciji;

#### **Intended learning outcomes:**

- Know and understand basic principles of radiochemistry;
- Explain specificities of chemical separations of radioactive compounds;
- Select appropriate radiochemical procedure for determination of a given radionuclide;
- Apply suitable radioactive tracer for a specific application;

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presoditi pomen posameznega radionuklida jedrskega gorivnega cikla s kemijskega stališča;</li> <li>Napovedati kemijsko obnašanje izbranega radionuklida v okolju;</li> <li>Vzpostaviti sposobnost komunikacije v angleškem jeziku na področju radiokemije.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Judge the importance of particular radionuclide of the nuclear fuel cycle from the chemical point of view;</li> <li>Predict chemical behaviour of a selected radionuclide in the environment;</li> <li>Establish the ability to communicate in English in the field of radiochemistry.</li> </ul> |
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**Metode poučevanja in učenja:**

Predavanja.  
Seminar.  
Vključevanje v projekte za reševanje izbranih problemov.  
Priprava seminarske predstavitve.

**Learning and teaching methods:**

Lectures.  
Seminar work.  
Participation in projects for solving selected problems.  
Preparation of the seminar presentation.

Delež (v %) /

| <b>Načini ocenjevanja:</b>   | Weight (in %) | <b>Assessment:</b>   |
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| Seminarska naloga.<br>Zagovor seminarske naloge, pri katerem študent dokaže osvojitev vseh študijskih izidov z vsaj po enim konkretnim primerom. | 50 %<br>50 %  | Seminar work.<br>Defence of the seminar work where the student demonstrates the achievement of all learning outcomes with at least one specific case for each outcome. |

**Reference nosilca / Lecturer's references:**

- SMODIŠ, Borut. Thirty years of  $k_0$ -NAA at JSI, Ljubljana : implementation, progress, achievements. Journal of radioanalytical and nuclear chemistry, ISSN 0236-5731, 2018, vol. 315, str. 685-688, doi: [10.1007/s10967-017-5633-z](https://doi.org/10.1007/s10967-017-5633-z). [COBISS.SI-ID [30912807](#)]
- ŠTROK, Marko, SMODIŠ, Borut, MAZEJ, Darja. Bi-210 - from interference to advantage in Pb-210 determination with liquid scintillation counter. Applied radiation and isotopes, ISSN 0969-8043, 2016, vol. 109, str. 296-300, doi: [10.1016/j.apradiso.2015.12.049](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.apradiso.2015.12.049). [COBISS.SI-ID [29159463](#)]
- SMODIŠ, Borut, ČERNE, Marko, JAĆIMOVIĆ, Radojko, BENEDIK, Ljudmila. Transfer of uranium and radium to Chinese cabbage from soil containing elevated levels of natural radionuclides. Journal of radioanalytical and nuclear chemistry, ISSN 0236-5731, 2015, vol. 306, iss. 3, str. 685-694, doi: [10.1007/s10967-015-4198-y](https://doi.org/10.1007/s10967-015-4198-y). [COBISS.SI-ID [28785447](#)]
- PLANINŠEK, Petra, BENEDIK, Ljudmila, SMODIŠ, Borut. Comparison of various dissolution techniques for determination of Po-210 in biological samples. Applied radiation and isotopes, ISSN 0969-8043, 2013, vol. 81, str. 53-56, doi: [10.1016/j.apradiso.2013.03.008](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.apradiso.2013.03.008). [COBISS.SI-ID [26684711](#)]
- SMODIŠ, Borut, ŠTROK, Marko, ČERNE, Marko, PLANINŠEK, Petra, BENEDIK, Ljudmila. Radioanalytical techniques for the determination of U-238, Ra-226 and Pb-210 in the environment. Radiochimica acta, ISSN 0033-8230, 2013, vol. 101, no. 8, str. 519-524, doi: [10.1524/ract.2013.2052](https://doi.org/10.1524/ract.2013.2052). [COBISS.SI-ID [26943527](#)]