**SLOVAK FOR FOREIGNERS courses**

**at the FACULTY OF ECONOMICS MBU**

3-credit courses taught in 80-minute sessions a week include Slovak language teaching and practice at respective levels, as well as introduction to the Slovak culture and society.

**Preferred choice of Erasmus+ and other mobility students of all MBU faculties.**

**Slovak for Foreigners 1** *- winter and summer term*

For **total beginners** starting to learn Slovak. It is the **first part** of the course at **A1** **level**.

Contents: Greetings, countries, nationalities. Introduction and meeting people. Basic numerals. Telling time, daily routines. Grammar – personal pronouns, nouns and gender, verbs of categories I-IV and their conjugation, prepositions of time, modal verbs. Slovakia in an intercultural context – habits, traditions, arts.

**Slovak for Foreigners 2 -** *summer term only*

For students who **continue at the beginner´s level**. It is the **second part** of the course at **A1** **level**.

Contents: House/apartment interior. Orientation in a city and at the university. Shopping. Travelling and means of transport. Eating out – restaurant menu, names and preparation of meals. Grammar – other categories of verbs and their conjugation, nouns and their declension, adjectives and prepositions of place. Slovakia in an intercultural context – habits, traditions, arts.

**Slovak for Foreigners 3** *– winter and summer term*

For students who **already speak basic Slovak**. It is the **first part** of the course at **A2 level**.

Contents: Basic information about Slovak culture and life. Favourite leisure activities. Travelling and means of transport – the railway station and the airport. Human body and the visit at the doctor. Grammar – other categories of verbs and their conjugation, nouns and their declension, possessive pronouns, adverbs and comparison, conditional sentences. Slovakia in an intercultural context - Christmas customs and traditions in Slovakia and other countries.

**Slovak for Foreigners 4 -** *summer term only*

For students who **already speak basic Slovak**. It is the **second part** of the Slovak language course at **A2 level**.

Contents: Principles of phone calls and correspondence. Trip around Slovakia – popular tourist destinations. Weather and the summer festival season. Family and family relations. Grammar – imperative, indirect speech, future tense, time sentences/clauses. Conditional and passive sentences. Life in Slovakia.