

STUDY PROGRAMME CURRICULUM

JOINT DOCTORAL PROGRAMME GOVERNANCE AND ECONOMICS IN PUBLIC SECTOR

2026/2027

Name of study programme	Joint Doctoral Programme Governance and Economics in Public Sector
Programme characteristics	joint
Type	za pridobitev doktorata znanosti
Cycle	doctoral
University of Ljubljana members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty of Public Administration, Gosarjeva ulica 5, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenija
Other organisations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • University of Rijeka

Year 1

	University Course Code	Course title	Lecturers	Contact hours					Individual student work	Total hours	ECTS	Semesters	Elective
				Lectures	Seminar	Tutorials	Clinical tutorials	Other forms of study					
1.	0060707	Development of public administration	izr. prof. dr. Iztok Rakar	30	30	0	0	30	210	300	10	All-year	no
2.	0060708	Philosophy of economic sciences and application of micro and macroeconomics	Dario Maradin, Igor Cvečić, Pavle Jakovac, Vesna Buterin	30	30	0	0	30	210	300	10	All-year	no
3.	0060709	Individual research work		0	0	0	0	60	240	300	10	All-year	no
4.	0060711	Individual research work		0	0	0	0	120	480	600	20	All-year	no
5.	0060712	Doctoral seminar 1		0	0	0	0	30	120	150	5	All-year	no
6.	0060718	Izbirni metodološki predmet 1	Anuška Ferligoj, izr. prof. dr. Jože Benčina	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
Total				80	80	0	0	290	1350	1800	60		

Year 1, Izbirni metodološki predmet 1

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1.	0060716	Social statistics	izr. prof. dr. Lan Umek, izr. prof. Tamara Pavasović Trošt	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
2.	0060717	Optimization modelling in public sector	izr. prof. dr. Jože Benčina	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
Total				40	40	0	0	40	180	300	10		

študent v soglasju z mentorjem (glede na temo doktorske disertacije) izbere 1 metodološki predmet

Year 3

				Contact hours									
	University Course Code	Course title	Lecturers	Lectures	Seminar	Tutorials	Clinical tutorials	Other forms of study	Individual student work	Total hours	ECTS	Semesters	Elective
1.	0060821	Individual research work 5		0	0	0	0	180	720	900	30	All-year	no
2.	0060822	Zaključni doktorski seminar in zagovor doktorske disertacije						30	120	150	5	All-year	no
3.	0061054	Individual research work 6		0	0	0	0	150	600	750	25	All-year	no
Total				0	0	0	0	360	1440	1800	60		

Economics Module (module)

Year 2

				Contact hours									
	University Course Code	Course title	Lecturers	Lectures	Seminar	Tutorials	Clinical tutorials	Other forms of study	Individual student work	Total hours	ECTS	Semesters	Elective
1.	0060714	Economic Development	Mario Pečarić, Nada Denona Bogović, Zoran Ježić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no

2.	0060715	Public policy analysis	prof. dr. Aleksander Aristovnik, prof. dr. Primož Pevcin	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
3.	0060719	Izbirni predmet 1		20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
4.	0060720	Izbirni predmet 2		20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
5.	0060721	Individual research work		0	0	0	0	60	240	300	10	All-year	no
6.	0060722	Individual research work		0	0	0	0	150	600	750	25	All-year	no
7.	0060723	Doctoral seminar 2		0	0	0	0	30	120	150	5	All-year	no
Total				80	80	0	0	320	1320	1800	60		

Year 2, izbirni predmeti

				Contact hours									
University Course Code	Course title	Lecturers		Lectures	Seminar	Tutorials	Clinical tutorials	Other forms of study	Individual student work	Total hours	ECTS	Semesters	Elective
1.	0060731	Theory of Information Systems – Selected Topics	Dimitar Hristovski	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
2.	0060732	Comparative administrative procedural law	prof. dr. Polonca Kovač	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
3.	0060733	Fiscal Policy	Helena Blažič Pečarić, prof. dr. Maja Klun, Saša Drezgić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
4.	0060734	The system of the legal regulation of the position of civil servants	Valentina Franca	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
5.	0060735	The Political System of the European Union	doc. dr. Mitja Durnik	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes

6.	0060736	Economics and management of the liberalisation and regulation of markets	Nevenka Hrovatin	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
7.	0060737	Economics of non-profit organisations	izr. prof. dr. Tatjana Stanimirović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
8.	0060738	Comparative Social Policy	prof. dr. Aleksander Aristovnik	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
9.	0060739	Strategic Management in the Public Sector 3	Lara Jelenc, prof. dr. Primož Pevcin	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
10.	0060740	Openess and transparency of public administration	prof. dr. Polonca Kovač	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
11.	0060741	Integrity in public sector	izr. prof. dr. Nina Tomažević, prof. dr. Janez Stare	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
12.	0060742	Governance and Management of IT	izr. prof. dr. Mitja Dečman	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
13.	0060744	Academic English in the Governance and Economics of the Public Sector	prof. dr. Violeta Jurković	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
14.	0060748	International Business	Heri Bezić, Tomislav Galović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
15.	0060749	Economic Integrations	Igor Cvečić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
16.	0060750	Theory of the Firm	Marija Kaštelan Mrak	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
17.	0060751	Analysis of the Social Responsibility Perfomance in the Public Sector	Dejan Miljenović, Jana Katunar	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes

18.	0060752	Intellectual Capital and Knowledge Economy	Dunja Škalamera Alilović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
19.	0060753	Regional vs. Global Trade Policy	Igor Cvečić, Vinko Zaninović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
20.	0060754	New Economic Reality	Dunja Škalamera Alilović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
21.	0060755	Strategic Marketing in Public Sector	Ivana First Komen, Jasmina Dlačić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
22.	0060756	Scientific Approach in ICT Project Management	Slavomir Vukmirović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
23.	0060757	Macroeconomic theories and policies in Global Economy	Nela Vlahinić Lenz	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
24.	0060758	Contemporary Financial Markets and Institutions	Bojana Olgić Draženović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
25.	0060759	Risk Management	Saša Žiković	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
26.	0060761	Financial Reporting in Public Sector	Ana Marija Sikirić Simčić, Davor Vašiček	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
27.	0060762	Microeconomics: Theory and Application	Dario Maradin, Đuro Benić, Ljerka Cerović	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
28.	0060763	Energy Economics	Nela Vlahinić Lenz	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
29.	0060764	Managing organizational complexity	Nataša Rupčić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
30.	0060765	Valuation of projects in the public sector	Mira Dimitrić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
31.	0060766	Governance of the European Union	Igor Cvečić	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
		Total		620	620	0	0	620	2790	4650	155		

Public Governance Module (module)

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1.	0060724	Comparative Human Rights Policies for the Public Administration	Verica Trstenjak	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
2.	0060725	Organizational learning and knowledge management	izr. prof. dr. Jernej Buzeti, izr. prof. dr. Tatjana Kozjek, prof. dr. Janez Stare	20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	no
3.	0060719	Izbirni predmet 1		20	20	0	0	20	90	150	5	All-year	yes
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