MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information			
Module Title	Latvian Language [TSI]		
Module Code	UFCFGW-6-0	Level	Level 3
For implementation from	2020-21		
UWE Credit Rating	6	ECTS Credit Rating	3
Faculty	Faculty of Environment & Technology	Field	Computer Science and Creative Technologies
Department	FET Dept of Computer Sci & Creative Tech		
Module Type:	Standard		
Pre-requisites	None		
Excluded Combinations	None		
Co-requisites	None		
Module Entry Requirements	None		
PSRB Requirements	None		

Part 2: Description

Educational Aims: The main aim of the module is to provide students with basic knowledge of the Latvian language, to introduce grammar structures and vocabulary used in daily conversations as well as in social and state institutions

Outline Syllabus: Formal and informal greetings. Alphabet. Personal information, describing personality. Verbs, nouns;
Family members, relatives. Saying the dates, e.g. date of birth;
Address. Place of residence. My house, flat. City plan. Transport. Prepositions;
Clothes. Shopping, money. Verbs simple forms formation;
In a café and restaurant. Asking questions and answering them in simple sentences;

Teaching and Learning Methods: Learning and teaching will be provided to students as practical classes. During practical classes students are working face-to-face with teaching staff discussing topics and by this extending Latvian words amount in their personal vocabulary.

Part 3: Assessment	

This module assessment is split into two components (A – Exam, B – Practical classes):
A1 - final 1h exam which consists from two parts. First part is a test conducted by students, second part is oral presentation in Latvian language.

The practical assignment component should be completed individually (i.e. this is not group work).

B1- 10 minutes presentation done by students in Latvian languages. The topic of the presentation is to present himself to auditorium

B2 – sequence of 4 tests conducted in written form

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Examination - Component A	✓	50 %	Examination
Presentation - Component B		30 %	presentation
In-class test - Component B		20 %	sequence of 4 tests
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Presentation - Component B		30 %	presentation
In-class test - Component B		20 %	sequence of 4 tests
Examination - Component A		50 %	Examination

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods	
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the following learning outcomes:

Module Learning Outcomes	Reference
Use basic language constructions	MO1
Answer different questions on certain topics in written form, write a note or short letter to friends or relatives	MO2
Describe the appearance, name monetary units, food and non-food products, receive and deliver uncomplicated information in the supermarket or cafe etc	MO3
Retell about their education	MO4
Retell about Latvia	MO5
Use appropriate to a certain theme verb in simple tenses	MO6
Use simple word- combinations	MO7
Use numerals for forming language constructions related to the theme	MO8
Use numerals for forming language constructions related to the theme	MO9

Contact Hours	**Independent Study Hours:**	
	Independent study/self-guided study	48

	Total Independent Study Hours:	48
		3
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	
	Face-to-face learning	32
	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	32
	Hours to be allocated	60
	Allocated Hours	80
Reading List	*The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link:* https://rl.talis.com/3/uwe/lists/03BB044F-0795-87A6-66C8-8906C513148A.html?lang=en-gb&login=1	

Part 5: Contributes Towards
This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: Computer Science and Software Development [Oct][PT][TSI][5yrs] BSc (Hons) 2020-21 BSc (Hons) 2020-21   Computer Science and Software Development [Oct][FT][TSI][4yrs] BSc (Hons) 2020-21   Computer Science and Software Development [Feb][FT][TSI][4yrs] BSc (Hons) 2020-21   Computer Science and Software Development [Feb][PT][TSI][5yrs] BSc (Hons) 2020-21 BSc (Hons) 2020-21