

# RECREATIONAL MANAGEMENT

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<b>ECTS Credits:</b>	3
<b>Form of assessment:</b>	Exam
<b>Contact hours:</b>	30 (15 hours of lectures, 15 hours of practical classes)
<b>Self-study:</b>	60 hours

## General Course Description

The course "Recreational Management" is highly relevant to implementing the EU Green Deal, which aims to preserve natural capital and improve the quality of life. Recreational use of forests based on sustainability principles serves as a key instrument for achieving these objectives by balancing economic opportunities, minimizing ecological risks, and fostering an environmentally conscious society.

The aim of the course "Recreational Management" is to obtain theoretical knowledge of the basic concepts, approaches, and tasks of recreational management; to study methods and tools for research on recreational resources; and to acquire practical skills in decision-making under conditions of environmental vulnerability.

As a result of studying the course "Recreational Management", the student must: know the theoretical foundations of the formation of recreational systems, their functions and properties, the current state of recreational activities in Ukraine, quantitative and qualitative indicators of measuring recreational nature use; be able to identify problems in the recreational activity of enterprises and organize the decision-making process, solve practical tasks in organizing

recreation, and calculate the recreational load on natural ecosystems.

### **Lecture Topics**

1. Sustainable recreational management within the system of sustainable nature use.
2. Recreational management decision-making.
3. Forest in the system of natural recreational resources.
4. Conflict management in forest recreation.
5. Recreational management at nature conservation sites.
6. Recreation management within urban and suburban green zones.

### **Practical Class Topics**

1. Sustainable recreational management.
2. Recreational forest use.
3. Assessment of the quality indicators of recreational services and opportunities for their monetization.
4. Applied aspects of recreational management in the context of adaptation to modern challenges.