Methodology – filled form

1 Preparation of a New course

		Answer
a.	Course title:	What is Hlučínsko (specific part of Silesia) and who are its inhabitants – EXISTING
		COURSE outside ISEV project
b.	Target group:	☐ Seniors under 65
		x Seniors aged 65 and 65+
c.	Time allocation: state the number of	☐ Less than 36 hours
	hours per semester:	x 36 hours and more than 36 hours
		☐ Other frequency - state the number of hours per semester
d.	Lesson frequency during the semester:	☐ Frequency 2 hours per week
		☐ Frequency 3 hours per week
		x Other frequency – please state: one lesson (4 hours) a month in classroom, totally 6
		lessons in classroom, cca 36 hours in virtual classroom within the semester
e.	Input requirements for a course	x Work with a PC
	participant (knowledge, skills, e.g.	x Work on the Internet
	work with a PC and the Internet, or others).	☐ Other knowledge, state: work in virtual classroom, communication through virtual
	others).	classroom
		□ No requirements
f.	Content of the course – e.g. title of	☐ State the titles of individual lessons:
	individual lessons:	1. Introduction, constitution of Hlučínsko after the first war.
		2. Evolution, characteristics of the region
		3. Identity, sources of identity, how identity has changed during 20 century
		4. How the border in Silesia has changed in 20 century
		5. What people did you're their living
		6. Cancelation of serfdom, industrial revolution and its influence to the people
		7. Architecture and urbanism of the region 8. Hlučínsko within Third Reich
		9. Second world war and its influence on inhabitants of Hlučínsko
		10. How to study history of Hlučínsko, sources, archives, digital archives.
g.	Study materials for the course	x Recommended literature

	State particular literature and other sources	Teachers prepare study materials for seniors and upload them to the virtual classroom. Material consists of original texts, pictures, maps, powerpoint presentations, etc.
i.	Is the course in an eLearning form? How to access it? Address, login information:	How do seniors access the eLearning course? Provide a URL address and login information: Course is supported by eLearning course in virtual classroom https://setip.osu.cz/course/view.php?id=115 . Access to the course for obtain registered seniors. There is possibility to access as a host without login.
j.	What is the share of direct and eLearning part (e.g. 36 hours of direct education and 36 hours in a virtual classroom):	x Share of eLearning part – state the number of hours: 24 x Share of direct education – state the number of hours: 36
k.	Do the seniors participate in course creation? How?	x Seniors do not participate in course creation. ☐ Seniors participate in course creation as follows
1.	Is it Necessary to train the seniors? If yes, state its focus?	☐ No x Yes, how? Seniors that want to attend course have to be trained in ICT, using internet for learning, how to work with virtual classroom, how to communicate with teachers and schoolmates.
m.	Do students/youth participate in course creation? State how?	 ☐ Yes, students do. x Students do not. ☐ Students provide technical support. ☐ Students are lecturers. ☐ Other possibilities of students'/youth engagement
n.	Is it Necessary to train the students/youth? If yes, state its focus?	x No, they do not participate ☐ Yes, how?
0.	How does the course meet the requirements on social inclusion? Underline those valid.	Is it barrier-free in the sense of architectural, information, economic, health, social barriers? Presence lessons are situated to the classrooms without barriers. Unfortunately we do not have perfect barrier-free environment, toilets, corridors, entrance to the building, etc. We teach in historical buildings, barrier-free adaptation is not ideal one.
p.	How does the course end? (for example	The course ends in:

	in a theoretical exam, practical exam,	☐ Practical examination
	test, presentation, semester work, or	x Test
	colloquium?)	☐ Presentation
		x Semester work
		□ Colloquium
q.	Do the seniors obtain a certificate after	☐ Yes, they will obtain a certificate after a successful course completion.
	a successful course completion?	x They will obtain – state: credits written in the specific jotter to evidence what courses
		were pass.
		□ No

2 Staff, organisational/administrative, and technical provisions of the course

		Answer
a.	Who participates on the preparation of	x Guarantor
	the course?	x Personnel
		x Technician
		x Administrator of eLearning courses
		x Other, state: teachers
b.	What are requirements on the lecturer? State.	Experts on the topic, pedagogical experience, ability to work within virtual classroom.
1.	Pedagogical requirements, requirements on lecturer's qualification and experience.	Lecturers are university teachers, staff of museum and archive. There are experts in the topic.
2.	Does the lecturer need a special training? If yes, which?	Lecturer has to be trained in using virtual classroom. How to upload materials, how to prepare activities for seniors, how to check their results, examine, comment their assignments. Lecturer has to be trained in communication platform: how to create discussion board, how to motivate seniors, etc.
3.	Is the lecturer a creator of the eLearning course as well?	x Yes, eLearning course is partly prepared by lecturers, technicians and the coordinator of all U3A activities. □ No
4.	If yes, state the requirements on course creators.	Knowledge of Moodle system in the role of teacher. Knowledge of methodology how to create eLearning course in Moodle.

5.	Can a senior be a lecturer?	□ Yes
		x No
6.	Can a student be a lecturer?	□ Yes
		x No
c.	Technical provisions of the course:	
1.	How are study materials distributed (for example, in a paper form for a lesson, by email electronically, in eCourse, etc.) How classrooms, laboratories are	Study materials are distributed in eCourse on the moodle platform. Address is https://setip.osu.cz/course/view.php?id=115 . Some materials needed in presence lessons can be distributed in a paper form. Classroom has blackboard, data projector, notebook, access to Internet.
	arranged?	
3.	What are the requirements for a classroom?	☐ Each student needs access to a personal computer x Other, state: in this course students do not need access to PC, lessons are lead as frontal teaching.
4.	How is the eLearning platform arranged for the course?	eLearning course which supported the course is divided into 6 parts. Every part focuses on specific topic related to the presence lesson. Every part includes: presentation of the lecture, material to the topic prepared by lecturer, references to electronic sources and other sources like books, etc., discussion board with different topics to the discussion, assignments for individual seniors' work. It can be home works, quizzes, essays, etc. These assignments are evaluated by lecturers; seniors obtain grades which are the bases for credits.
5.	Does the course need a position of an eLearning administrator?	Yes. It is necessary to prepare structure for course, create accounts for seniors, enrol seniors to the specific course, etc. This is eLearning among others administrator job.
6.	What activities will s/he do regularly?	 Create empty courses Create accounts for seniors and lecturers (ev. other roles) Enrol seniors to specific courses Help with development of the content of the course Graphical amendment of the courses as well as whole platform Archive of the courses Adaptation of the courses for general public
7.	How is seniors' logging in the course arranged?	Every senior has account created by Administrator. This account is also part of her/his registration to the virtual U3A. Seniors obtain user name and password.

3 Financial matters of the course

		Answer
a.	How is the course funded?	Course is funded by Ministry of Education Czech Republic. U3A obtains grand which depends on activities realised in previous academic year. The main inputs to the algorithm are: number of realized courses, number of seniors involved, financial demands on the specific courses, etc. Course is partly financing by tuition fee.
b.	What is the school fee?	200 CZK is a tuition fee for seniors.
c.	What is the cost of the course (i.e. total expenses for preparation and implementation of the course)?	30.500,- CZK
d.	What is necessary to be paid in relation to preparation and implementation of the course? (For example, lecturer, personnel, printing of study materials, classroom rent, eLearning course administration, etc.)	24.000,- CZK for Teachers 2.000,- CZK for Administrator 2.000,- CZK for Personnel 2.000,- CZK for Guarantor 500 CZK other (printing, office needs, etc-)

4 Acquisition, informing of the target group (seniors)

		Answer
a.	How is the course offered? By what means? Underline those valid.	x Media, letter to a senior organisation, mail to registered seniors, web pages of the organisation.
		☐ direct phone calls to Senior social centres
		☐ Other – state:
b.	Do you organise specialised events?	x Seminars, open-door days.
	Underline those valid.	☐ Other – state:
		□ No
c.	The course is offered to registered seniors	x Yes, but course is open for the public. It means when some new senior wants to
		register to the virtual U3A, he/she can.
		□ No
d.	The course is offered to a wide public	x Yes
		□ No

e.	Do seniors participate in the acquisition?	☐ Yes	
		x No	
f.	Do students/youth participate in the	☐ Yes	
	acquisition?	x No	
g.	Are there any risks?	x Yes – state: maybe the demands can be higher the acceptable number of participants.	
		In this case we must do some restrictions.	
		□ No	

5 Course implementation

		Answer
a.	Activities related with the start of the	Addressing potential lectures, negotiation with the lectures, choosing lectures
	course:	Preparation of the contracts for lecturers and other needed documents (time sheets, etc.)
		Preparing structure and the content of the course including study materials, assignments for
		seniors and discussion board
		Preparing eCourse in the platform, uploaded all needed materials and activities
		Preparing schedule of the course
		Creation of eApplication form on web site of the university
		Rolling registered seniors to the eCourse
		Communication with seniors in the eCourse about starting the course
		Arranging classroom for presence lessons
		Preparation of attendance lists
		Preparation of specific materials needed in the course
b.	Activities regularly done during the	Leading the presence lessons
	course:	Leading the eLearning activities in virtual classroom
		Commenting assignments, grading them
		Communication with seniors, lecturers and other involved people
		Dealing with specific seniors' need
		Updating eCourse based on specific demands of the lecturers and seniors
c.	Activities related with the end of the	Checking results of the seniors in the course
	course:	Assign credits
		Checking all attendance lists
		Completing time sheets
		Financial matters
d.	How is seniors' progress checked?	Each senior has to do quizzes and essays which are graded. Quizess can be done several times

		to obtain the best results. Essays are commented by teachers and there is possibility to remake it.
e.	Are seniors engaged in the course implementation? How?	no
f.	Are the youth engaged in the course implementation? How?	no
g.	What are the risks of social exclusion during course implementation?	 When the health of the senior gets worse and he/she cannot attend lessons When movement of the senior gets worse and our not very barrier-free environment does not allow senior to attend lessons When senior does not have enough knowledge and skills to work in virtual classroom When senior does not have access to PC and Internet
h.	How SMART technologies are used in the course?	Seniors have their PC/notebook/smart phone/ iPhone/tablet with connection to Internet at home or they can use our classrooms for self-study. Virtual classroom is regularly updated to support seniors by relevant and current information. Presence lessons are support by audio-visual techniques.

6 Course evaluation

		Answer
a.	How will the course be evaluated?	x Questionnaire for seniors.
		☐ Questionnaire for lecturers.
		☐ Other – state:
b.	How will the questionnaire be processed,	The questions in the questionnaire focus on: content of the course, attractiveness of the course
	how will it influence further progress of	professional and pedagogical ability of the lecturer, quality of the virtual classroom, quality of
	the course?	the communication within the course, organisational things. All these answers are evaluated
		and the result influences our attitude to the development and realisation of the other courses.