

<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Optional discipline № 7.1 «Global dimension of the development of circular economy»</b>
Degree of higher education	Bachelor
Name of specialty / study programme	International Economic Relations / International Business
Mode of study	Full-time
Year of studies, semester, duration	3 <sup>rd</sup> year, 6 <sup>th</sup> semester, one-semester
Semester control	Pass/fail test
Number of hours (lectures and seminars), credits	150 (10/14), 5 credits
Language	Ukrainian or English
Department in charge	International Economic Relations and Project Management
Author of the discipline	Olga Korneliuk
<b>Short description</b>	
Prerequisites	Theoretical and practical aspects of international economic relations
What will be studied?	Theoretical and methodological aspects of the development of the global circular economy, global waste management, the EU experience in the introduction of the circular economy, the directions of the circular economy in Ukraine
Why is it interesting and should be learnt?	The shortage of raw materials and energy, environmental pollution, climate changes, the growth of landfill areas of waste make to change the opinion about traditional economic model. More attention is paid to the concept of circular economy. The model of circular economy is based on the principles of "take, make, reuse" to guarantee resource efficiency, ecological efficiency, waste-free production.
What can be learnt? (study results)	The essence and advantages of the circular economy, the concept of resource efficiency, European resource strategies, the priorities of industrial strategy of the circular economy, the development of the circular economy and transformation of the world economy after COVID-19, the formation and implementation of the circular economy policy
How can the acquired knowledge and skills (competences) be used?	To analyse the possibilities of the circular economy in the activities in different sectors of the economy; to argue the introduction of resource-saving technologies, efficient use of natural resources to preserve ecosystems and reduce the negative impact on the environment
Suggested readings	1. Global circular economy: "cowboy economy" vs "spacecraft economy": monograph / I. Zvarych. Ternopil: 2019. 337 p. (in Ukrainian). URL: <a href="http://dspace.tneu.edu.ua/handle/316497/37230">http://dspace.tneu.edu.ua/handle/316497/37230</a> 2. Circular Economy Action Plan. For a cleaner and more competitive Europe. 2020 (in English). URL: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/environment/circular-economy/pdf/new_circular_economy_action_plan.pdf">https://ec.europa.eu/environment/circular-economy/pdf/new_circular_economy_action_plan.pdf</a>