

## Tárgytematika / Course Description

### Transport Geography

EKNM\_KOTA024

**Tárgyfelelős neve /**

**Teacher's name:** Gaál Bertalan

**Félév / Semester:** 2020/21/2

**Beszámolási forma /**

**Assesment:** Vizsga

**Tárgy heti óraszám /**

**Teaching hours(week):** 2/0/0

**Tárgy féléves óraszám /**

**Teaching hours(sem.):** 0/0/0

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### OKTATÁS CÉLJA / AIM OF THE COURSE

The main goal of the course to give students a broad knowledge about transportation systems.

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### TANTÁRGY TARTALMA / DESCRIPTION

Topics

What is transport geography?

What determines transportation?

Spatial structure of transportation systems

Transportation and economics

Road/Railroad/Waterways/Air transportation - transportation systems

Intermodality, terminals, transfers

Urban transportation

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### SZÁMONKÉRÉSI ÉS ÉRTÉKELÉSI RENDSZERE / ASSESSMENT'S METHOD

#### Grading Policy

There are two assignments during the semester. First is an essay about the transportation system (infrastructure, modal split, authorities etc.) of your home country/state/county/municipality/city. Criteria for the essay will be discussed on the first lecture. Second assignment is a short presentation (7-8 min.) about the content of the essay. Grades are dependent on the evaluation of the assignments. There is no exam, except for those who are discontent with their grade.

-50% 1  
51-62% 2  
63-74% 3

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75-87% 4  
88-100% 5

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## KÖTELEZŐ IRODALOM / OBLIGATORY MATERIAL

### Readings

Jean-Paul Rodrigue: The geography of transport systems (Online - <https://people.hofstra.edu/geotrans/> or [transportgeography.org](https://transportgeography.org))

Peter Haggett: Geography