

## **Faculty/institute topic in the field of "Water and Biodiversity"**

### **Faculty of Economics and Administration:**

#### **Preparation of a drinking water support system and reduction of PET bottles at ECON MUNI**

A project focused on educating ECON MUNI students about environmentally friendly behavior and the related reduction of single-use PET bottles in everyday life. Part of the project will be the installation of drinking fountains from which students will be able to fill their bottles with filtered water. The project will also include a survey among students (mapping suitable locations and barriers to the use of drinking fountains), which will result in recommendations for the installation of 2-4 drinking fountains. Their use will be monitored. At the same time, a communication campaign will be launched with infographics to promote drinking water from drinking fountains and the use of personal bottles (about the quality of drinking water vs. bottled water, waste, microplastics, carbon footprint, etc.). In the final phase, the project will evaluate the use of drinking fountains and recommend possible procedures for other faculties.

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