Study programme: Applied Security

Course title: Management in criminal investigations

Lecturer: Nedžad Korajlić Course status: Elective

ECTS: 12
Requirement:/

Course aims

Management in criminal investigations is the subject of an interdisciplinary character, established on the triple border of three scientific disciplines, including management, criminal tactics and criminal procedural law. The purpose of this course is to establish the general principles of a systematic approach to the investigation of criminal offenses, taking into account the order of taking certain actions, their type and extent, and the timeframe of implementation of actions and measures during the criminal investigation. The objective of the course is that students master the basic management techniques, as well as the basic concepts and principles of criminology, in order to be able to monitor and study not only the criminalistics but also the related disciplines in this study. Management of criminal investigations implies management, supervision and supervision in the criminal-legal system. Management in the criminal system refers to police, security and security procedures, with the application of criminological, legal, sociological, psychological and other doctrines. The criminal system includes police officers, investigators, judicial officers, officers of penitentiary institutions, as well as all other police administrative personnel and security personnel. In the study, special emphasis is on the management of human, material and intellectual potential in criminal investigations.

Course outcomes

The outcome of tthis course is the establishment of a scientific approach to criminal investigation as a process and a dynamic process. Management as a science discipline within this subject aims to accurately identify the steps and actions that need to be taken. Given the goals set, students are expected to master the basic management techniques, i.e. basic concepts and principles of criminology, in order to be able to monitor and study not only criminalistic but also related disciplines in this study.

Course content

Theory classes - 1. The concept, object and purpose of criminal investigation; 2. Human and material resources management; 3. Legal framework for investigating criminal offenses; 4. Criminalistics as a scientific and practical discipline; 5. Investigative criminal procedures; 6. Documenting criminal offenses; 7. Criminal planning; 8. Investigating serious crimes; 9. Communicating and role of the media in criminal investigations; 10. Cooperation of the police and other governmental and non-governmental organizations; 11. International cooperation in criminal investigations.

Practice classes - Students will be able to simulate serious criminal offenses in the classroom, and in cooperation with other governmental and non-governmental sectors, if legal frameworks allow it, in order to gain knowledge and knowledge about the quality of criminal investigations, as well as problems with which can meet.

Literature:

- 1. Korajlić N. (2012), Istraživanje krivičnih djela, Pravni fakultet, Univerzitet u Sarajevu, Sarajevo.
- 2. Keković Z., Kešetović (2006), Krizni menadžment, Fakultet bezbednosti, Beograd.
- 3. Modly D., Šuperina M., Korajlić N. (2008), Rječnik kriminalistike, Strukovna udruga kriminalista, Zagreb.
- 4. Subošić D. (2010), Organizacija i poslovi policije, Kriminilastičko policijska akademija, Beograd.
- 5. Hess K., Hess Orthman C. (2012), Management and Supervision in Law Enforcement, Cengage Learning, USA.

Number of active teaching classes: Theory classes: 3 Practice classes: /

Teaching methods

Lectures are conducted using a combined method (ex catedra / case study). Theoretical instructional content is exceded using the "ex catedra" method with the support of computer presentations, the second part of the lecture is done by the "case study" method, ie analysis of characteristic cases and examples that illustrate theoretical content.

Pre-exam tasks	Points	Final exam	Points
In-class activity		written exam	20
Practice classes	10	oral exam	20
Mid-term tests	2x20		
Seminar papers	10		

The above listed knowledge assessment means are just a few among different options (written exam, oral exam, project presentation, seminar papers etc)