Study programme: Security studies

Course title: Basics of security

Lecturer: Samed Karović
Course status: Required

ECTS: 9

Requirement: None

Course aims

Acquiring basic knowledge and skills for independent and critical approach to the security of individuals, of the state and the international community, as well as mastering the knowledge of implementation of management approach in the study of security phenomena.

Course outcome

The basic outcome of the course is that students are trained to evaluate the measures and activities of the state and the individuals in eliminating and mitigating security risks and threats.

Course content

Theory classes

Introduction to the course; 1. Subject of security science; 2. The concept of security; 3. Different security determinations; 4. National security; 5. International security; 6. Individual security; 7. Socio-safety; 8. New international security institutions; 9. Cooperation in security; 10. Global security; 11. Contemporary safety challenges; 12. Modern threats to security; 13. Terrorism; 14. Organized crime.

Practice classes

- 1. Theoretical basis of security; 2. Security as a need, value and interest; 3. Sacurity as a state activity and function;
- 4. Security as a system; 5. Understanding national security; 6. The concept of international security; 7. Balance of power; 8. Expanding the research field of security; 9. Security of the community; 10. Security complex and regime;
- 11. The concept of security cooperation; 12. Emerging global security system; 13. Identity challenges; 14. Classification of conflicts; 15. Fight against terrorism; 16. Transnational organized crime.

Literature

- 1. Bajagić M: Osnovi bezbednosti, Kriminalističko-policijska akademija, Beograd, 2007.
- 2. Stajić Lj, Mijalković S, Stanarević S: Bezbednosna kultura, Pravni fakultet, Novi Sad, 2013.
- 3. Gina Wohlsdorf, Security, Alibris, 2014.

Number of active teaching classes:	Theory classes: 3	Practice classes: 3
6		

Teaching methods

Teaching takes place through lectures and exercises. Exercises are auditory and practical, students solve tasks from individual chapters, provide additional explanations, and, for example, elaborate individual areas of theoretical knowledge. During the course, student is obliged to perform the planned exercises. Knowledge testing takes place through two colloquiums. The condition for the final exam is that the student places both colloquiums and successfully exercises. The final exam consists of an oral exam.

Knowledge assessment (max 100 points)

Points	Final exam	Points
20	Written exam	
	Oral exam	30
50		
	20	20 Written exam Oral exam

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

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