Study programme: Security studies

**Course title:** Contemporary intelligence systems

Lecturer: Samed Karović/Iztok Podbregat

Course status: Elective

ECTS: 6
Requirement: /

#### Cours aims

Acquiring knowledge in the field of intelligence theory and its realization in the system of national security, knowledge from the organization of intelligence security system, goals, tasks, conditions of operation, problems of work, civilian control and supervision over the work of intelligence and security services, analyzing and evaluating the importance of intelligence knowledge, and predict future events and trends related to countering contemporary threats to national security and provide information and intelligence assistance to foreign policy holders in the informing process of political authority and defining foreign policy goals.

## **Course outcomes**

Develop students' belief in the ability to successfully use modern theory achievements and practice of intelligence activities in the field of national security and foreign policy.

#### **Course content**

# Theory classes

1. Intelligence and security system of the state; 2. Intelligence and security service of the state; 3. The US Intelligence and security system; 4. Intelligence and security system of the Russian Federation; 5. Intelligence and security system of China; 6. Albania's intelligence and security system; 7. Intelligence and security system of Bulgaria; 8. Intelligence and security system of Hungary; 9. Romania's intelligence and security system; 10. The security and intelligence system of Macedonia; 11. Intelligence and security system of Slovenia; 12. Intelligence and security system of Croatia; 13. Intelligence and security system of Bosnia and Herzegovina; 14. Intelligence and security system of Montenegro; 15. Intelligence and security system of the Republic of Serbia.

## Practice classes

1. Intelligence and security system of countries of Asia (Israel, India, Japan, Iraq, Islamic Republic of Iran, Turkey); 2. Intelligence and security system of Europe (Austria, Great Britain, Greece, Italy, Germany, France, Switzerland, Sweden).

## Literature

- 1. Milošević, M; Srećković, Z.: Bezbednosne službe sveta, Vojnoizdavački zavod, Beograd, 2010.
- 2. Mijalkovski, M.: Obaveštajne i bezbednosne službe, Fakultet bezbednosti, Beograd, 2009.

John Keegan: Intelligence in War: Knowledge of the Enemy from Napoleon to Al-Qaeda, Goodreads, 2003.

Number of active teaching classes: 6 Theory classes: 2 Practice classes: 4

# **Teaching methods**

Teaching is conducted through theory and practice classes. Practice classes are auditory and practical, and they solve tasks from individual chapters, provide additional explanations and examples to elaborate specific areas of the lectures. During the realization of the course, the student is obliged to do the planned practices. Knowledge assessment takes place through two mid-term tests. The condition for the final exam is that the student passes both mid-term tests and successfully realizes practical classes. The final exam consists of an oral exam.

Knowledge assessment (max 100 points)			
Pre-exam tasks	Points	Final exam	Points
In-class activity		written exam	
Practice classes	10	oral exam	50
Mid-term tests	40		
Seminar papers			

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

\* Maximum one page A4 in length