

## SYLLABUS

**1. Course title:**

Legitimacy of the state authority

**2. Code:**

(max. 20 characters)

**3. Cycle of study:**

1

**4. ECTS credits:**

2

**5. Type of course:** Mandatory  Elective**6. Prerequisites:**

NONE

**7. Class restrictions:**

NONE

**8. Duration / semester:**

1

2

**9. Weekly contact hours:**

9.1. Lectures:

2

9.2. Seminars:

0

9.3. Laboratory/Practice classes:

0

**10. Faculty:**

Faculty of Law

**11. Department/study program:**

General course -Law

**12. Lecturer:**

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**13. Lecturer's e-mail:**

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**14. Web site:**

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**15. Course aims:**

Acquisition and acceptance of basic knowledge on the grounds of legitimacy of state power in various constitutional and legal systems.

**16. Learning outcomes:**

At the end of the semester, successful students who continued to perform their duties throughout the semester will be trained to:

- Recognize the fundamental characteristics of different models of justification of state power in modern democratic states, and
- Analyze the principles underlying the democratic justification of the state power in the constitutional and legal system of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

**17. Course content:**

- The notion of legitimacy; Theoretical concept of legitimate state power; The concept of justifying governmental power in different constitutional and legal systems; Justification of State Government in Bosnia and Herzegovina: Historical Retrospective; Legitimacy of the state power in Bosnia and Herzegovina in the context of the General Framework Agreement for Peace in B&H; The legitimacy of state power in modern democratic states - an equally legal approach.

**18. Learning methods:**

Lectures - Interactive, during which the subject teacher requires maximum inclusion of students in the discussion of the subject unit in question.

**19. Assessment methods:**

The written method includes written knowledge checking through colloquia that is scheduled during the lessons in order to check on the degree to which the students have completed the anticipated (on the course / exercises processed) teaching material and from the final written exam where students have the opportunity to collocate the anticipated subject - if so Did not do it for the duration of classes. The oral method involves talking about essential conceptual matters related to subject matter. Colloquia: During the semester, after the "processing" of the respective teaching units, a colloquium is envisaged. In order for a student to pass a teaching subject, it is necessary to achieve at least 51% of the predicted points on the colloquium. Students who do not pass the prescribed material during the course will be allowed to take the subject meter on the final written exam, which is organized for this purpose. The completed colloquium is valid until the end of the academic year in which it is successfully passed. If a student does not enumerate the prescribed part of the subject matter, he or she can not access the final exam.

Oral Exam: The oral exam is focused on the discussion of individual institutes contained in the Legitimitet of the State Government.

**20. Assessment components:**

The assessment of the exam is based on the total number of points the student has obtained by fulfilling the pre-requisites and passing the exam according to the quality of the acquired knowledge and skills, and it contains a maximum of 100 points and is determined according to the following scale:

Student Obligations Points

Activity in lectures 10

Colloquium 51

Total prepayments 51

Final Exam 49

**21. Required reading list:**

1. Kasim Trnka, Ustavno pravo: drugo izmjenjeno i dopunjeno izdanje, Magistrat, Sarajevo 2006.;
2. Kasim Trnka, Ustavno pravo: Univerzitetska knjiga, Studentska štamparija Univerziteta, Sarajevo 2000.

**22. Web sources:****23. Applicable starting from the academic year:**

2016/2017

**24. Adopted in the Faculty/Academy session:**

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