

SYLLABUS

1. Course title:

Criminology

2. Code:**3. Cycle of study:****4. ECTS credits:****5. Type of course:** Mandatory Elective**6. Prerequisites:**

none

7. Class restrictions:

None

8. Duration / semester:**9. Weekly contact hours:**

9.1. Lectures:

9.2. Seminars:

9.3. Laboratory/Practice classes:

10. Faculty:

Law Faculty

11. Department/study program:

General course - law

12. Lecturer:

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15. Course aims:

The aim of the course is to acquaint students with:

- basic theoretical concepts in the field of criminology
- fundamental issues of criminal etiology and phenomenology
- general overview of crime and delinquency, both in the world and in Bosnia and Herzegovina;
- emerging forms, structure, structural changes and dynamics of crime;
- causes of criminality at macro and micro level;- the concrete cases of criminal behavior that have been court cases.

16. Learning outcomes:

After graduating from Criminology the students are expected to (learning outcomes) :

- distinguish methods in criminology
- identify different crime factors
- analyze the etiology of certain forms of crime
- comment on the significance of criminology and the study of etiology and phenomenology of criminality
- analyze and comment on contemporary criminological issues

17. Course content:

1. The concept and subject of criminology
2. Different definitions of criminology and criminality
3. The division of criminology
4. Methods of Criminology and Methodological Procedures
5. Clinical methodology and criminology as a mass phenomenon
6. The development of criminological thought - pre-classical thinking on criminality, development and teaching of classical school
7. Early empirical research of criminality
8. The emergence, development and learning of the same criminological schools
9. Biological factors of criminality
10. Psychological factors of criminality
11. Socio-economic factors of criminality
12. Conceptual-political factors of criminality
13. Microgroup factors of criminality
14. Social pathological factors of criminality
15. Phenomenology of certain forms of criminality

18. Learning methods:

The most important learning methods in the course are:

- Lectures with the use of multimedia resources, active learning techniques and with active participation and discussion of students;
- Exercises;
- Preparation and presentation of group and individual papers

19. Assessment methods:

At the beginning of the lecture, the students take a written test that covers the topic of past lectures and exercises (10 times - mini colloquia). The test consists of one essay task. Each correct answer is scored with 2 points, i.e. a student can earn up to 20 points in these exams.

Upon completion of the semester, students are given a written test (Final Exam), which covers the topics covered by lectures and exercises throughout the semester. The test consists of multiple choice tasks, simple retrieval tasks, or essay tasks. Student can achieve a maximum of 50 points at the final exam. All the students on the subject take the final test at the same time, thereby achieving the level of knowledge that is tested, as well as the conditions under which a student takes the exam. In order for a student to complete a final exam, they must win at least 30 points. In order for a student to complete a final exam, they must win at least 30 points. As part of the pre-requisites, students can create individual or group paperwork that will cover a specific topic from the content of the course. The paper is submitted to the course teacher for review and assessment, which is then presented orally. All students of a group, whose participation is valued individually, participate in the creation and presentation of group paperwork. For the paperwork, the student can achieve 0 to 10 points. Also, for a continuous activity in lectures and exercises throughout the semester, students can achieve 0 to 10 points.

The attendance on the lectures is also scored, and for this the student can achieve 0 to 10 points.

In order for a student to pass the course, he must have a minimum of 54 cumulative points, of which at least 30 points are in the final exam.

20. Assessment components:

| Students' Obligations | Number of points |
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| Attendance in lectures and exercises | 10 |
| Activity in lectures and exercises | 10 |
| Paper | 10 |
| Mini colloquia | 20 |
| Final Exam | 50 |

21. Required reading list:

1. Petrović, B., Meško, G. (2008), Kriminologija, Sarajevo: Pravni fakultet.

22. Web sources:

(max. 687 characters)

23. Applicable starting from the academic year:

2016/2017

24. Adopted in the Faculty/Academy session: