



UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ

Course Unit Descriptor

Faculty

Faculty of Law Nis

GENERAL INFORMATION

Study program

Post-graduate (LLD degree) Academic Law Study Program

Study Module (if applicable)

Criminal law module

Course title

Forensic Psychiatry (3+1)

Level of study

Bachelor Master's Doctoral

Type of course

Obligatory Elective

Semester

Autumn Spring

Year of study

2nd year of doctoral studies

Number of ECTS allocated

7

Name of lecturer/lecturers

Prof. Dr Zoran Ćirić

Teaching mode

Lectures Group tutorials Individual tutorials
 Laboratory work Project work Seminar
 Distance learning Blended learning Other

PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)

The aim of this course is to develop knowledge in the field of Forensic psychiatry, on issues concerning: mental disorders, insanity or diminished responsibility, affective states and criminal acts; adolescent psychiatry and forensic psychiatric problems in adolescents crime; medical security measures related to mental disorders.

SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)

Psychical processes and criminal acts. Mental disorders and insanity defence or diminished responsibility. Affective states in criminal acts. Alcohol and drug dependence and criminal activity. Schizophrenia, paranoia and affective disorders and criminal acts. Personality disorders and criminality. Medical security measures.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

Serbian (complete course) English (complete course) Other _____ (complete course)
 Serbian with English mentoring Serbian with other mentoring _____

ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Pre exam duties	Points	Final exam	points
Activity during lectures	10	Written examination	20
Practical teaching	10	Oral examination	50
Teaching colloquia	10	OVERALL SUM	100

***Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents**