



UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ

Course Unit Descriptor

Faculty

Faculty of Law

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| Study program | Master Academic Law Study Program (LLM Degree) |
| Study Module (if applicable) | Criminal Law |
| Course title | Law on the Execution of Criminal Sanction |
| Level of study | <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> Doctoral |
| Type of course | Obligatory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elective |
| Semester | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Autumn <input type="checkbox"/> Spring |
| Year of study | 1 st year of master studies |
| Number of ECTS allocated | 8 ECTS |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | Prof. dr Miomira Kostic; Asst. Prof. dr Darko Dimovski |
| Teaching mode | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lectures <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Group tutorials <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual tutorials <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laboratory work <input type="checkbox"/> Project work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seminar <input type="checkbox"/> Distance learning <input type="checkbox"/> Blended learning <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)

The aim of the course is to develop scientific knowledge and theoretical concepts, to acquire competences and academic skills in the area of execution of criminal sanctions, and to develop creative abilities and master specific practical skills needed for future career (master of the Interior).

Upon completion of this course, students will acquire the necessary knowledge, competencies and skill which will enable them to: 1) develop a systematic approach to legal problems and to offer critical and analytical responses related to the execution of criminal sanctions; 2) to competently and scientifically discuss, research and present the results of their scientific work at scientific conferences and publish their papers in scientific journals; 3) independently solve practical and theoretical problems in the field of criminal justice and organize scientific research; 4) take part in international and national research projects; 5) to keep up with modern developments in the profession and put the acquired knowledge into practice, especially in the context of exercising the fundamental principles of the rule of law.

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

Theoretical study:

Penology as an independent legal discipline. Forms of reaction in the prehistoric community. Punishment in Ancient

times, Middle Ages and Modern times. The genesis of imprisonment sentence. Classic penitentiary systems. The concept and forms of treatment. Execution of criminal sanctions. International standards regarding the status of prisoners. Restorative justice and its forms. Educational measures. Prisons for women. Penitentiary institutions. Critical analysis of the national Execution of Criminal Sanctions Act. Prisoner rights and obligations. Special rights of female inmates. *Practical classes (classes, other forms of instruction, research work): essay writing, research project, filed visit to penitentiary institutions.*

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 |
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| Activity during lectures | 0-15 | Written examination | 0-10 |
| Practical teaching | 0-10 | Oral examination | 0-50 |
| Teaching colloquia | 0-10 (Seminar paper 0-5) | OVERALL SUM | 100 |

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