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|  **UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ** |
| **Course Unit Descriptor** | **Faculty**  | **Faculty of Philosophy** |
| **GENERAL INFORMATION** |
| Study program  | **History** |
| Study Module (if applicable) |  |
| Course title | **Contemporary History from 1939** |
| Level of study | **☒**Bachelor ☐ Master’s ☐ Doctoral |
| Type of course | **☒** Obligatory ☐ Elective |
| Semester  |  ☐ Autumn **☒**Spring |
| Year of study  | IV |
| Number of ECTS allocated | 6 |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | Prof. dr Slaviša Nedeljković  |
| Teaching mode |  **☒**Lectures ☐Group tutorials ☐ Individual tutorials ☐Laboratory work ☐ Project work ☐ Seminar ☐Distance learning ☐ Blended learning ☐ Other |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** |
| Introducing students to the events of the European and world history from the beginning of the Second World War to the end of the Cold War period and the breakup of the Soviet Union in the early 1990’s. |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** |
| 1. Introduction: teaching contents, sources and literature 2. Causes, consequences, character and periodization of the Second World War 3. The first phase of the war – Blitzkrieg (1939-1941)4. The spread of the fascist aggression (1941-1943) 5. The phase of strategic initiative of the allies (1943-1944) 6. Resistance movements in Europe 1939-1945 7. The defeat of the Axis powers and the end of the war 1944-1945 8. Nuremberg trials and denazification of Germany 9. Cold war and the emergence of the divided world 10. National-liberation and revolutionary movements in Asia and Africa 11. Chinese and Cuban revolution 12. Non-Aligned Movement 13. The Vietnam war 14. Middle East issues 1948-198215. Science, culture, ecology movement. |
| **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** | **5** | **Written examination** |  |
| **Practical teaching** | **25** | **Oral examination** | **70** |
| **Teaching colloquia** |  | **OVERALL SUM** | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** |