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| **UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ** | | | | | | |
| **Course Unit Descriptor** | | **Faculty** | | | **Faculty of Philosophy** | |
| **GENERAL INFORMATION** | | | | | | |
| Study program | | | | **Undergraduate Academic Study Programs of Communicology and Journalism** | | |
| Study Module (if applicable) | | | |  | | |
| Course title | | | | **POLITICAL SYSTEM** | | |
| Level of study | | | | ☒Bachelor ☐ Master’s ☐ Doctoral | | |
| Type of course | | | | ☒ Obligatory ☐ Elective | | |
| Semester | | | | ☐ Autumn ☒Spring | | |
| Year of study | | | | 2nd year of undergraduate studies | | |
| Number of ECTS allocated | | | | 5 (five) | | |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | | | | Branislav Stevanovic, Full Professor | | |
| Teaching mode | | | | ☒Lectures ☒Group tutorials ☒ Individual tutorials  ☐Laboratory work ☐ Project work ☐ Seminar  ☐Distance learning ☐ Blended learning ☐ Other | | |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** | | | | | | |
| To familiarize students with basic categories of modern democratic political system, encouraging a critical approach of students to the contemporary politics by learning about the basic value categories and theoretical principles; promoting interdisciplinary modes of study, training students for successful monitoring and analysis of political phenomena and events; to introduce students to the achievements and trends of globalization and European integration. | | | | | | |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** | | | | | | |
| The main categories of politics and contemporary political system; the source, legitimacy, authority and sovereignty of political power; legal and political assumptions of modern democracy; the understanding of equality; citizenship and democracy; role of trade unions in the civil society; social basics of political pluralism, representative democracy and political parties, principles, values and tactics of social movements; the New world order and democracy; temptations of globalization. | | | | | | |
| **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** | **0-15** | | **Written examination** | | |  |
| **Practical teaching** |  | | **Oral examination** | | | **0-50** |
| **Teaching colloquia** | **0-35** | | **OVERALL SUM** | | | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** | | | | | | |