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|  **UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ** |
| **Course Unit Descriptor** | **Faculty**  | Faculty of Sciences and MathematicsDepartment of Biology and Ecology |
| **GENERAL INFORMATION** |
| Study program  | Ecology and nature protection |
| Study Module (if applicable) | / |
| Course title | Protected natural areas and species of Serbia |
| Level of study | ☐Bachelor ☒ Master’s ☐ Doctoral |
| Type of course | ☐ Obligatory ☒ Elective |
| Semester  |  ☐ Autumn ☒Spring |
| Year of study  | first |
| Number of ECTS allocated | 5 |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | Bojan Zlatković |
| Teaching mode |  ☒Lectures ☐Group tutorials ☐ Individual tutorials☒Laboratory work ☐ Project work ☒ Seminar ☐Distance learning ☐ Blended learning ☒ Other |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** |
| Gaining knowledge about endangered species and protected areas of Serbia. |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** |
| Important native areas, indigenous living species and human influences. Problem of extinct and endangered species. Conservation of important areas in the nature of Serbia. Criteria for selection of endangered taxa as well as other natural objects to be protected. Introduction to national legislation, IUCN standards and their implementation at the local level. Training for expert decision in nature conservation. Effective management plans for the nature conservation. |
| **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** | **/** |
| **Seminar** | **20** | **Oral examination** | **40** |
| **Teaching colloquia** | **30** | **OVERALL SUM** | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** |