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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 | **Research for the PhD thesis 1** |
| Level of study | ☐Bachelor ☐ Master’s **☒** Doctoral |
| Type of course | **☒** Obligatory ☐ Elective |
| Semester  |  **☒** Autumn **☒**Spring |
| Year of study  | II |
| Number of ECTS allocated | 20 |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers |  |
| Teaching mode |  ☐Lectures ☐Group tutorials ☐ Individual tutorials ☐Laboratory work ☐ Project work ☐ Seminar ☐Distance learning ☐ Blended learning ☐ Other |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** |
| The precise formulation of the doctoral dissertation topic. Designing introductory, theoretical and methodological part of the doctoral thesis; collecting, researching and organizing materials; working on the selection of relevant bibliography. |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** |
| PhD student, in cooperation with their mentor, defines the theme of the doctoral dissertation, theoretically sets and then develops the theoretical and methodological basis of their work. Afterwards, they work on a complete formulation of the introductory part of the doctoral thesis and critically and selectively enriches the bibliography. |
| **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** |  | **Written examination** | **60** |
| **Practical teaching** |  | **Oral examination** | **40** |
| **Teaching colloquia** |  | **OVERALL SUM** | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** |