

Faculty of Political Science / INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS / Political System of Montenegro

Course:	Political System of Montenegro			
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exercises+Laboratory)
4314	Mandatory	2	6	2+1+0
Programs	INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS			
Prerequisites	No prerequisites required			
Aims	Learning about the history and functioning of the political system of Montenegro in detail.			
Learning outcomes	After passing this exam students will be able to: • Make a distinction between main stages in the historical development of political system of Montenegro; • Apply the basic categories of party and electoral systems on the political system of Montenegro; • Recognize the authorities in Montenegro under the current Constitution of Montenegro, their functions and interrelationships; • Explain the organization, operating mode and activities of the Parliament of Montenegro; • Analyze the characteristics of transition in Montenegro.			
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Srđan Darmanović, PhD, Assistant Professor; mr Marko Savić, teaching assistant			
Methodology	Lectures, exercises, tests, essays, discussions			
Plan and program of work				
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester			
I week lectures	Introductory lecture			
I week exercises	Introductory class.			
II week lectures	The political system of Montenegro under Petrović dynasty until Prince Danilo's rule.			
II week exercises	Montenegro and its political system until the rule of Prince Danilo I Debate: Montenegro should/shouldn't become a theocracy again.			
III week lectures	The political system of Montenegro under Prince Danilo and Prince Nikola. The Congress of Berlin and acquisition of international legal personality			
III week exercises	Research proposal for course essays.			
IV week lectures	The political system of Montenegro under the Constitution of 1905th			
IV week exercises	Montenegro during the rule of prince Danilo I and prince Nikola I. The Congress of Berlin. Constitution of 1905, proclamation of kingdom in 1910			
V week lectures	Abolition of the state of Montenegro - Podgorica Assembly in 1918. Montenegro in the Kingdom of Slovenes, Croats and Serbs / Yugoslavia			
V week exercises	Montenegro during the rule of prince Danilo I and prince Nikola I. The Congress of Berlin. Constitution of 1905, proclamation of kingdom in 1910			
VI week lectures	Montenegro in the FPRY, SFRY, FRY and Serbia and Montenegro			
VI week exercises	Montenegro and Podgorica Assembly 1918. Montenegro as a part of Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenians; Federal Peoples Republic Yugoslavia, Socialist Federative Republic of Yugoslavia, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Serbian and Montenegro Debate: Mo			
VII week lectures	Transition in Montenegro 1990 - 2006 and the restoration of the independent state			
VII week exercises	Montenegro and Podgorica Assembly 1918. Montenegro as a part of Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenians; Federal Peoples Republic Yugoslavia, Socialist Federative Republic of Yugoslavia, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Serbian and Montenegro Debate: Mo			
VIII week lectures	The state and political system of Montenegro under the Constitution of 2007. Human rights and freedoms in the constitutional system of Montenegro			
VIII week exercises	Transition in Montenegro. Independence Referendum 2006. Constitution 2007			
IX week lectures	Test			
IX week exercises	Transition in Montenegro. Independence Referendum 2006. Constitution 2007			
X week lectures	Political parties and party system in Montenegro			
X week exercises	Elections and electoral system/ Parties and party system Essay: Presidential elections in Montenegro 2018			
XI week lectures	Elections and electoral system in Montenegro			

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XII week lectures	Parliamentarism, its institutions and their mutual relations: the legislative power, the Parliament of Montenegro					
XII week exercises	Simulation of discussion as MPs of the Parliament of Montenegro.					
XIII week lectures	Parliamentarism, its institutions and their mutual relations: the executive power, the Government and the President of Montenegro					
XIII week exercises	Simulation of discussion as MPs of the Parliament of Montenegro.					
XIV week lectures	Makeup test					
XIV week exercises	Government of Montenegro - explaining its functions and organization					
XV week lectures	Judicial power and constitutional judiciary					
XV week exercises	Government of Montenegro - explaining its functions and organization					
Student workload	Per week 6 credits x 40/ 30 = 8 hours Structure: 2 hours of lectures 1 hour of exercises 5 hours of individual work Per semester Lectures and final exam (8 hours) x 16 = 128 hours Necessary preparation (administration, enrollment, verification before the beginning of the semester): 2 x (8 hours) = 16 hours Total workload for the course 6x30 = 180 hours Additional work: for preparation of make-up exam and taking make-up exam 0-48 hours Structure of working hours: 128 hours (Lectures)+16 hours (Preparation)+36 hours (Additional work)					
Per week			Per semester			
6 credits x 40/30=8 hours and 0 minuts 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 1 excercises 5 hour(s) i 0 minuts of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: 8 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 16 =128 hour(s) i 0 minuts Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): 8 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 2 =16 hour(s) i 0 minuts Total workload for the subject: 6 x 30=180 hour(s) Additional work for exam preparation in the preparing exam period, including taking the remedial exam from 0 to 30 hours (remaining time from the first two items to the total load for the item) 36 hour(s) i 0 minuts Workload structure: 128 hour(s) i 0 minuts (cources), 16 hour(s) i 0 minuts (preparation), 36 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)			
Student obligations			Students are required to attend lectures, exercises and do the test.			
Consultations			In agreement with the professor and teaching assistant			
Literature			Šuković, Mijat, Skripta za predmet Politički sistem Crne Gore Demokratske performanse parlamenata Srbije, Bosne i Hercegovine i Crne Gore, Beograd, Sarajevo, Podgorica, 2012 (djelovi koji se odnose na Crnu Goru) Pavićević, Veselin, Darmanović, Srđan, Ko			
Examination methods			Test = 30 points Curricular activities = 20 points Final exam (50 points) Student passes the course by collecting at least 51 points.			
Special remarks			None.			
Comment			None.			
Grade:	F	E	D	C	B	A
Number of points	less than 50 points	greater than or equal to 50 points and less than 60 points	greater than or equal to 60 points and less than 70 points	greater than or equal to 70 points and less than 80 points	greater than or equal to 80 points and less than 90 points	greater than or equal to 90 points