

**Faculty of Political Science / POLITICOLOGY / Politics and Religion**

<b>Course:</b>	Politics and Religion			
<b>Course ID</b>	<b>Course status</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>ECTS credits</b>	<b>Lessons</b> (Lessons+Exercises+Laboratory)
4269	Mandatory	4	6	2+1+0
<b>Programs</b>	POLITICOLOGY			
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites required			
<b>Aims</b>	The aim of this course is to train students for understanding the relation which exists between religion and political ideas.			
<b>Learning outcomes</b>	After passing the exam, students will be able to: • Explain the concept, structure and typology of religions, as well as the relationship between religion and politics; • Learn about historical religions and their functions in society; • Analyze the relationships that are established between the religious organization (church) and the state; • Distinguish religion from religious ideology and particularly the relationship between religions and ethnicities; • Distinguish cognitive from political influence of religion in social and political life.			
<b>Lecturer / Teaching assistant</b>	Vladimir Bakrač, PhD; mr Almedina Vukić, teaching assistant			
<b>Methodology</b>	Lectures, consultations and debates			
<b>Plan and program of work</b>				
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester			
I week lectures	The concept of religion			
I week exercises	Introductory lesson.			
II week lectures	The concept of politics			
II week exercises	Defining the term "religion"			
III week lectures	Relation of church and state			
III week exercises	Explaining the definition of religion. Typology of religions.			
IV week lectures	The founders of the great religions (and political community)			
IV week exercises	Cognitive and communication function of religion			
V week lectures	Functions of political myths, rituals and symbols			
V week exercises	Identity and identification function			
VI week lectures	Religious dialogue and tolerance			
VI week exercises	Test I			
VII week lectures	Religion and culture			
VII week exercises	Correctional test I			
VIII week lectures	Religion and science			
VIII week exercises	Integrative and orienting function			
IX week lectures	Utopia and Utopianism			
IX week exercises	Adaptation and compensation function			
X week lectures	Religion and Globalization			
X week exercises	Legitimization and regulative function			
XI week lectures	The open society or democratic society			
XI week exercises	Prophet and ideological function			
XII week lectures	Political cultures - authoritarian and democratic			
XII week exercises	Schism in Christianity, Religion and Violence			
XIII week lectures	Religious ideology and crowd manipulation			
XIII week exercises	Test II			
XIV week lectures	History, tradition and traditionalism			

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XIV week exercises	Correctional test II					
XV week lectures	Final Exam					
XV week exercises	Final consultations					
<b>Student workload</b>	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)					
<b>Per week</b>			<b>Per semester</b>			
<b>6 credits x 40/30=8 hours and 0 minuts</b> 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 1 excercises <b>5 hour(s) i 0 minuts</b> of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: <b>8 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 16 =128 hour(s) i 0 minuts</b> Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): <b>8 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 2 =16 hour(s) i 0 minuts</b> Total workload for the subject: <b>6 x 30=180 hour(s)</b> 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) <b>36 hour(s) i 0 minuts</b> Workload structure: <b>128 hour(s) i 0 minuts (cources), 16 hour(s) i 0 minuts (preparation), 36 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)</b>			
<b>Student obligations</b>			Students must attend lessons and do both tests.			
<b>Consultations</b>			Consultations will be held in agreement with professor and teaching assistant			
<b>Literature</b>			Šušnjić, Đuro, Religija I, Beograd, Čigoja štampa, 1998. Stanovčić, Vojislav, Političke ideje i religija 1 i 2, Beograd, Čigoja štampa, Politea, 2003.			
<b>Examination methods</b>			Test (written/oral) – 40 points Activity – 10 points Final exam - 50 points			
<b>Special remarks</b>			At the beginning of semester, literature and syllabus can be adjusted in accordance with students' needs and their future occupation.			
<b>Comment</b>			Additional information on this course can be obtained during consultations			
<b>Grade:</b>	F	E	D	C	B	A
<b>Number of points</b>	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