

SYLLABUS OF THE COURSE

1.	NAME OF THE COURSE Research Seminar
2.	FIELD OF SCIENCE POLITICAL SCIENCE AND ADMINISTRATION
3.	LANGUAGE OF TUITION ENGLISH
4.	UNIT OFFERING THE COURSE THE CHAIR OF EUROPEAN STUDIES
5.	CODE OF THE COURSE 26-ES-S2-E1-RS
6.	TYPE OF THE COURSE OBLIGATORY
7.	FIELD OF STUDIES (SPECIALISATION) European Studies, (Regional Policy)
8.	TYPE OF STUDIES Master
9.	YEAR OF STUDIES 1 year
10.	SEMESTER Winter
11.	MODE OF STUDIES Classwork 30 Hours
12.	PRELIMINARY REQUIREMENTS The workshop requires students to have a basic idea about the subject of social science and principles of doing scientific research.
13.	AIMS OF THE COURSE: The main goal of the course is to teach students how to prepare a research proposal. The course begins with fundamental to social science ontological and epistemological distinctions to inform students about properties of the social and political entities and to outline the area of social research. In following steps students learn and practice how to ask research question, formulate hypotheses and apply proper strategy, methods and tools to carry out research.
	COURSE CONTENTS 1) Introduction – discussing scientific study of the social realm 2) Ontology and epistemology of subject of the social science 3) Finding a problem 4) Asking research questions 5) Formulating hypotheses 6) Quantitative, qualitative and mixed approaches 7) Choosing paradigm and approach 8) Applying methods and tools

	9) Designing research 10) Summary of the workshop	
15.	<p>Learning outcomes: Student:</p> <p>has detailed knowledge of European studies methodology and its relationship to social science methodology</p> <p>has an extended knowledge of the legal aspects of protection and use of intellectual property</p> <p>edits academic texts with accordance with the principles of scientific hon</p> <p>features and reveals the complexity of the European public space in the operating dimension using the methods and research tools of social sciences</p> <p>develops and prepares written or oral presentation of complex critical approaches to social, political and cultural problems Europe</p> <p>knows the extent of his knowledge possessed abilities, understands the need for continuous training and professional development</p> <p>understand the complexity of the existing social norms, ethical and legal conditions for the use of third party intellectual achievements in the professional and social activity</p>	<p>K_W17; K_W18; K_U01; K_U05; K_U13; K_U15; K_U16; K_K01; K_K07</p>
17.	<p>Methods of evaluation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - every week in-class discussion and exercises; - submission of research proposal; 	

18.	Form and conditions of completion:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Attendance - Contribution to discussion - Reporting progress in work - Submitting research proposal 	
19.	STUDENT WORKLOAD	
	FORM	NUMBER OF HOURS
	CLASSES WITH ACADEMIC TEACHER (teaching hours): - class work: 30 h	30
	INDIVIDUAL - preparation for reporting progress: 25h - Reading of the literature: 25h - Preparing research proposal: 20h	70
	TOTAL HOURS (1 ECTS = 25-30h)	100
	CREDITS	4