

Faculty of Political Science / INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS / Contemporary IR Theories

Course:	Contemporary IR Theories								
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exe cises+Laboratory)					
12520	Mandatory	2	7	2+2+0					
Programs	INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS								
Prerequisites	There are no requirements for registering and hearing the case								
Aims	Familiarity with the theoretical perspectives of contemporary international relations, with magisterial works of contemporary scientific thought in the field of international relations and the application of theoretical postulates to concrete issues from world politics.								
Learning outcomes	Familiarity with the theoretical perspectives of contemporary international relations, with magisterial works of contemporary scientific thought in the field of international relations and the application of theoretical postulates to concrete issues from world politics.								
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Professor Boris Vukićević PhD, MSc Todor Lakić								
Methodology	lectures, thematic debates and discussions, simulations, solving case studies, writing essays and term papers, consultations, screening of feature films and documentaries								
Plan and program of work									
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester								
I week lectures	Introductory lecture.								
I week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
II week lectures	Theoretical perspectives of international relations								
II week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
III week lectures	Samuel Huntington and the critique of post-Cold War idealism								
III week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
IV week lectures	Huntington: Clash of Civilizations								
IV week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
V week lectures	Huntington: Clash of Civilizations								
V week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
VI week lectures	l test								
VI week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
VII week lectures	The neo-Marxism of Immanuel Wallerstein								
VII week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
VIII week lectures	Wallerstein: An Introduction to World System Analysis								
VIII week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
IX week lectures	II test								
IX week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
X week lectures	Neoliberalism of Joseph Nye								
X week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
XI week lectures	Nye: The Future of Power								
XI week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
XII week lectures	III test								
XII week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
XIII week lectures	Make-up tests								
XIII week exercises	Presentation of research papers								
XIV week lectures	Realism - offensive and defensive. John Mearsheimers Offensive Realism. Mearsheimer: The Tragedy of Great Power Politics								



XIV week ex	ercises	Presentation of research papers								
XV week lec	tures	Mearsheimer: The Tragedy of Great Power Politics								
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Student w	orkload									
Per week			Per semester							
7 credits x 40/30=9 hours and 20 minuts 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 2 excercises 5 hour(s) i 20 minuts of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: 9 hour(s) i 20 minuts x 16 =149 hour(s) i 20 minuts Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): 9 hour(s) i 20 minuts x 2 =18 hour(s) i 40 minuts Total workload for the subject: 7 x 30=210 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) 42 hour(s) i 0 minuts Workload structure: 149 hour(s) i 20 minuts (cources), 18 hour(s) i 40 minuts (preparation), 42 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)							
Student obligations				Attending lectures, taking tests and the final exam						
Consultations				During the lectures.						
Literature			Radovan Vukadinovič, Teorije međunarodnih odnosa, Zagreb, 2005; Semjuel Hantington, Sukob civilizacija i preoblikovanje svetskog poretka, Podgorica, Banja Luka, 2000; Imanuel Volerstin, Uvod u analizu svjetskog sistema, Cetinje, 2005; Džozef Naj, Budućnost moći, Beograd, 2012; Džon Miršajmer, Tragedija politike velikih sila, Beograd, 2017.							
Examination methods			Test - 20+20+20 points (Vukadinović, Huntington, Wallerstein, Nye) Work on the exercises – 10 points Final exam – 30 points (Mearsheimer, questions are subtitles of the book) The exam is passed when the student accumulates at least 50 points							
Special remarks										
Comment										
Grade:	F	E	E	D	С	В	А			
Number of points	less than 50 points	e	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			