

Faculty of Political Science / SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL WORK / International Social Policy

Course:	International Social Policy			
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exercises+Laboratory)
12595	Mandatory	1	6	2+2+0
Programs	SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL WORK			
Prerequisites	None			
Aims	The aim of studying the subject is to get acquainted with the forms of international cooperation in the field of social policy, the bearers of that cooperation, the forms of regulation, the effects of globalisation on the social level, and universal social policy.			
Learning outcomes	After successfully passing the course, the student will: gain knowledge about international cooperation in the field of social policy; know the functioning of governmental and non-governmental organizations that also have social and political content within the framework of their activities; acquire knowledge about the ways of functioning of international organizations and their influence on social policies; understand the local, regional and international and supranational dimensions of social policy; develop critical thinking and approach, as well as skills needed to the use of knowledge from the field of international social policy; acquire knowledge about international cooperation on the plan of reducing contemporary social problems.			
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Asst. Dr. Uglješa Janković			
Methodology	Lectures, exercises, papers, consultations, group debates, consultation.			
Plan and program of work				
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester			
I week lectures	Theoretical foundations of the study of international social policy and the development of international social policy			
I week exercises	/			
II week lectures	International organizations and social policy.			
II week exercises	Historical development of international organizations.			
III week lectures	Approaches in the study of international organisations.			
III week exercises	The role of international organizations in the solving of contemporary social problems.			
IV week lectures	Society (League) of Nations.			
IV week exercises	Establishment, basic characteristics, successes and failures.			
V week lectures	United Nations (UN) - establishment.			
V week exercises	Basic principles and goals.			
VI week lectures	The structure of the UN (the main bodies of the UN, the question of membership, the question of representation of members, etc.).			
VI week exercises	Development programs of the UN.			
VII week lectures	International organization: UNHCR.			
VII week exercises	Refugees - problems and challenges in the 21st century.			
VIII week lectures	International organization: UNICEF.			
VIII week exercises	Unaccompanied children and children on the move.			
IX week lectures	International association: Red Cross.			
IX week exercises	Importance of international humanitarian law for social policy.			
X week lectures	International organization: IOM.			
X week exercises	Trends in contemporary migrations.			
XI week lectures	International organisation: ILO.			
XI week exercises	Labour market - contemporary challenges and risks. Improvement of working conditions.			
XII week lectures	International organization: WHO.			
XII week exercises	Goals, problems and challenges.			

XIII week lectures	International cooperation in environmental protection.					
XIII week exercises	UN Environment Program (UNEP)					
XIV week lectures	Socio-demographic trends in the international context.					
XIV week exercises	International cooperation in the field of education, culture and science.					
XV week lectures	UNESCO.					
XV week exercises	International non-governmental organisations and social policy.					
Student workload						
Per week			Per semester			
6 credits x 40/30=8 hours and 0 minuts 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 2 excercises 4 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						
Consultations			Optionally			
Literature			Required readings: Ana Čekerevac, 2005. Međunarodna socijalna politika, LEKOM, Belgrade. Lidija Čehulić, 2016. Uvod u međunarodne organizacije, CID, Podgorica. Benet., L, Oliver, K., 2004. Međunarodne organizacije: Načela i problemi, Politička kultura, Zagreb.			
Examination methods			Analysis of specialty and science articles – 20 points, paper writing and presentation – 20 points, essay – 10 points.			
Special remarks			No.			
Comment			No.			
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