

ECTS catalog with learning outcomes University of Montenegro

Faculty of Philology / ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE / British and American Civilization 3

Course:	British and American Civilization 3								
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exer cises+Laboratory)					
10356	Mandatory	3	3	2+0+0					
Programs	ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE								
Prerequisites	None.								
Aims	The aim of this subject is to familiarise students with American culture and the literary tradition of the first half of the 19th century.								
Learning outcomes	After students pass this exam, they will be able to: individually analyse and categorise the most important characteristics of American romanticism; interpret cultural trends in the American "antebellum" period; analyse and illustrate the basic postulates of American transcendentalism; explain the launch and development of the most important magazines and clubs (New York) during the first half of the nineteenth century; define New York vs. New England "publishing industry"; discuss American utopian communities, define and analyse the founding, development and influence of American "psychological" romances in the period of romanticism; individually research material from the period of American romanticism.								
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Saša Simović, Associate Professor								
Methodology	Lectures, consultations, presentations								
Plan and program of work									
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester								
I week lectures	Introduction to the subject								
I week exercises									
II week lectures	General characteristics of American romanticism								
II week exercises									
III week lectures	New England: trends and influences								
III week exercises									
IV week lectures	The New York literary so	The New York literary scene in the first half of the nineteenth century							
IV week exercises									
V week lectures	American transcendental thought: R. W. Emerson; H. D. Thoreau								
V week exercises									
VI week lectures	Margaret Fuller - A reformer and transcendentalist. Woman in the Nineteenth Century, Conversations								
VI week exercises									
VII week lectures	The Brook Farm and utopian communities								
VII week exercises									
VIII week lectures	Mid-term exam								
VIII week exercises									
IX week lectures	Antebellum America and the "open" questions. Students presentations								
IX week exercises									
X week lectures	Puritan heritage. The birth of psychological romance. N. Hawthorne and The Scarlet Letter								
X week exercises									
XI week lectures	Film: The Scarlet Letter								
XI week exercises									
XII week lectures	European heritage vs. American contribution: Antebellum America and the short literary forms								
XII week exercises									
XIII week lectures	American Zoilus . Gothio	tradition and E. A . I	oe						



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XIII week ex	ercises									
XIV week led	ctures	Entertainment in Antebellum America. Students presentations								
XIV week ex	ercises									
XV week lec	tures	General Revision								
XV week exe	ercises									
Student wo	orkload	Weekly:3creditsx40/30.Structure:1.5 hours of lecture,3.8 hours of individual work including consultations and homework								
Per week			Per semester							
3 credits x 40/30=4 hours and 0 minuts 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 0 excercises 2 hour(s) i 0 minuts of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: 4 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 16 =64 hour(s) i 0 minuts Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): 4 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 2 =8 hour(s) i 0 minuts Total workload for the subject: 3 x 30=90 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) 18 hour(s) i 0 minuts Workload structure: 64 hour(s) i 0 minuts (cources), 8 hour(s) i 0 minuts (preparation), 18 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)							
Student obligations			Students are obliged to attend the classes, prepare themselves and participate actively in classes, do homework / presentations							
Consultatio	ons			After each class						
Literature			Nathaniel Hawthorne Review. Special Issue: Transatlanticism and The Blithedale Romance, Vol. 43, No. 1, Spring 2017 (Nathaniel Hawthorne Society); Nathaniel Hawthorne Review, Vol. 41, No. 2, Fall 2015 (Nathaniel Hawthorne Society); Brodhead, Richard H. Cultures of Letters: Scenes of Reading and Writing in Nineteenth-Century America. Chicago and London, The University of Chicago Press, 1993; Coale, Chase Samuel. Mesmerism and Hawthorne: Mediums of American Romance. Tuscaloosa, London, The University of Alabama Press, 1998; Connely, Michael (ed). In the Shadow of the Master. New York, Harper Collins Publishers, 2009; Dekker, George. The American Historical Romance. Cambridge, New York, Cambridge University Press, 2002; Gilmore, Michael T. American Romanticism and the Marketplace, Chicago, London, University of Chicago Press, 1985; Myerson, Joel (ed). A Historical Guide to Ralph Waldo Emerson, Oxford, New York, Oxford University Press, 2000; Hawthorne, Nathaniel. The Scarlet Letter. Berkshire, Cox & Wyman, 1994; Rebecca Codman Butterfield, "Reminiscences of Brook Farm" in Cain, William E, Hawthorne, Nathaniel: The Blithedale Romance. Boston, Bedford Books of St. Martins Press, 1996; Allen, Gay Wilson. Waldo Emerson. Middlesex, Penguin Books, 1982; Matthiessen, F. O. American Renaissance: Art and Expression in the Age of Emerson and Whitman. London, New York, Oxford University Press, 1968; Walker, I. M. (ed). Edgar Allan Poe: The Critical Heritage. London, Routledge & Kegan Paul, 1986.							
Examination methods			mid-term exam - 35 points, attendance - 5 points, presentation - 10 points, final exam - 50 points. A pass mark is obtained by collecting at least 50 points.							
Special remarks		Lectures are taught in English.								
Comment			None.							
Grade:	F		Е	D	С	В	А			
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			