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| **UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ** | | | | | | |
| **Course Unit Descriptor** | | **Faculty** | | | **Faculty of Philosophy** | |
| **GENERAL INFORMATION** | | | | | | |
| Study program | | | | **Sociology** | | |
| Study Module (if applicable) | | | |  | | |
| Course title | | | | Sociology of Mass-Communications | | |
| Level of study | | | | Bachelor  Master’s  Doctoral | | |
| Type of course | | | | Obligatory  Elective | | |
| Semester | | | | Autumn Spring | | |
| Year of study | | | | 2nd | | |
| Number of ECTS allocated | | | | 10 | | |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | | | | Miloš Jovanović, Assistant Professor, PHD | | |
| Teaching mode | | | | Lectures Group tutorials  Individual tutorials  Laboratory work  Project work  Seminar  Distance learning  Blended learning  Other | | |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** | | | | | | |
| *Introducing students to the relevant theoretical paradigms which operate within sociology of mass-communication and basic problems of the discipline, which are imposed by mediatization of contemporary social life* | | | | | | |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** | | | | | | |
| **Sociology of mass-communication in today's world**  **New temptations of sociology of mass-communication: the invocation of multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary approach to media**  **Theorizing the process of mass communication: different ways of classifying sociological paradigms**  **Media subsystems as elements of global social system**  **The media as an industry: concentration, commercialization, commodification**  **The media against democracy: the concentration (monopolization) of media, economic, political and ideological power**  **Media Technology and Social Change**  **Is there a future for "traditional" media?**  **Internet as a medium of mass communication**  **The right to communication as a basic human right** | | | | | | |
| **LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION** | | | | | | |
| Serbian (complete course)  English (complete course)  Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (complete course)  Serbian with English mentoring Serbian with other mentoring \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | | | | | |
| **ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA** | | | | | | |
| **Pre exam duties** | **Points** | | **Final exam** | | | **points** |
| **Activity during lectures** | **20** | | **Written examination** | | | **30** |
| **Practical teaching** |  | | **Oral examination** | | | **30** |
| **Teaching colloquia** | **20** | | **OVERALL SUM** | | | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** | | | | | | |