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|  **UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ** |
| **Course Unit Descriptor** | **Faculty** | **Faculty of Philosophy** |
| **GENERAL INFORMATION** |
| Study program  |  |
| Study Module (if applicable) |  |
| Course title | Systemic Functional Linguistics |
| Level of study |  Bachelor Master’s x Doctoral |
| Type of course |  Obligatory xElective |
| Semester  | X Autumn Spring |
| Year of study  | II |
| Number of ECTS allocated | 8 |
| Name of lecturer/lecturers | Violeta Stojičić |
| Teaching mode | X Lectures ☐Group tutorials ☐ Individual tutorials☐Laboratory work ☐ Project work ☐ Seminar☐Distance learning ☐ Blended learning ☐ Other |
| **PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)** |
| Introduce the systemic-functional approach to the study of language, which is interested in the interface of structure and meaning in communication. Describe the lexical, grammatical and cohesive structures of the text in light of Systemic Functional Linguistics and Text Linguistics. Explain the concepts of register, genre, metafunction, transitivity, themes and lexicogrammar. |
| **SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)** |
| Systemic-functional theory. Metafunctions of language. Text linguistics. Halliday’s semiotics. Text as a process. Text as a product. The grammar of text. The semantics of text. Types of text. Criteria of textuality. Theme and Rheme. Genre. Register. |
| **LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION** |
| ☐Serbian (complete course) x English (complete course) ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (complete course)☐Serbian with English mentoring ☐Serbian with other mentoring \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA** |
| **Pre exam duties** | **Points 40** | **Final exam**  | **Points 60** |
| **Activity during lectures** |  | **Written examination** |  |
| **Practical teaching** |  | **Oral examination** |  |
| **Teaching colloquia** |  | **OVERALL SUM** | **100** |
| **\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents** |