Faculty of International Economics and Administration Department of International Economics and Politics

Professional Area: 3.3 Political Science

Major: International relations

Educational-and-qualification degree: Bachelor

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Course unit title: Ethics
Course unit code: PHI 1003
Type of course: elective

4. Level of course unit: Bachelor

5. Year of study: first

- 6. Semester when the course unit is delivered: second
- 7. Number of ECTS credits allocated: 3
- 8. Name of lecturer(s): Assoc.Prof. Boycho Boychev, PhD.
- 9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: After the completion of the course, students are expected to expand their knowledge in the field of Ethics: essence of morality, concepts and institutions of morality, history of ethical ideas and the system of the categories of ethics. The training aims to build students' knowledge, skills and ethical culture, which will promote their career and personal affirmation. Knowledge of ethics will help them acquire the basic disciplines of the specialty field and build a complete picture of human behavior and human relations.
- 10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face
- 11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: The study of philosophy, morality and law, aesthetics, psychology, logic in secondary school. Attitude towards reading books and textbooks in the field of humanities.
- 12. Course contents: The lecture material is presented so as to achieve assimilation and mastery of universal and fundamental knowledge on the history and the system of the ethical teachings and schools, the boundaries of morality and its interactions with religion, politics, law, art, government, military science. It deals with the meaning of life and creativity, purpose of human existence and the concept of freedom in terms of choice and responsibility, ethical categorial thinking. The course sets the general objectives outlined in the context of academic competencies for educational and qualification degree "bachelor".
- 13. Bibliography (recommended or required reading): 36 published sources (books, books, Internet resources, studies, articles), updated as required
 - 14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: Lectures (2 hours a week, 15 weeks), contact consultation hours (3/15), writing a research paper (3/15)
 - 15. Assessment methods and criteria: Written and oral exam: Course work a theme similar to the subjects in the syllabus for the exam or on selected theses from great philosophers. The content compliance with the theme and knowledge of the sources are assessed; the students' own view is defended at the examination..
 - 16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian
- 17. Work placement(s): none.