

**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**

1. Course unit title: European Modernity
2. Course unit code: POL 1050
3. Type of course: optional
4. Level of course unit: Bachelor
5. Year of study: second
6. Semester when the course unit is delivered: third
7. Number of ECTS credits allocated: 3
8. Name of lecturer(s): Assoc. Prof. Lyubka Ivanova
9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: The course aims to acquaint students with the latest modern European practices and trends and opportunities for cultural, the aesthetic criteria, public and interpersonal relations.
10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face.
11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: To possess basic knowledge of "International Economics" "Theory of International Relations", "Foreign Economic Activities in Bulgaria"
12. Course contents (annotation): Nature of new practices and modern European trends. Possibilities and limits of their application in Bulgaria in the field of culture, art, architecture, science and public relations. Problems with perception of European modernity as a cultural phenomenon in Bulgaria.
13. Recommended or required reading:
  - Проблема за мястото на евроинтеграцията в българската история-Г.Димитров – годишник на СУ Европеистика
  - Студии по социология на културата –Манхайм. К.- Златорог-2002г.
  - Модернизъм и модерност-(не)възможност за историзиране – Ирина Генова-„Изкуство“2004г.
  - Fashion and Art – Adam Geczy, Vicki Karaminas – 2011g.
  - Workbook for the Dekade Europa – 2011g.
  - Свободната модерност. Културни измерения на глобализацията – Арджун Ападурай-2011
14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: lectures, discussions and consultations.
15. Assessment methods and criteria: Evaluation of active and regular attendance of lectures and discussions. The main criterion is the oral exam in which students are evaluated on the degree of in-depth understanding of teaching material and its interpretation.
16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian.
17. Work placement(s): none.