

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: Security Policy of the EU

Course unit code: SEC 1067

Type of course: elective

Level of course unit: Bachelor

Year of study: fourth

Semester when the course unit is delivered: eighth

Number of ECTS credits allocated: 6

8. Name of lecturer(s): Assoc. Prof. Dragomir Krastev, PhD

9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: This lecture course aims to reveal the nature and stages of the policy pursued by the EU in security and in particular in the field of justice and home affairs.

10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face

11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: Integration in the internal affairs is a logical continuation of the unification in the economy in the European Community. Illegal immigration, acts of crime, terrorism and other crimes with a high degree of public danger are objective factors that require study of the efforts of the EU and its member states to adopt effective measures and mechanisms for combating crime.

12. Course contents: introduces the main concepts, terms and state of affairs.

13. Recommended or required reading:

Йончев, Д. *Равнища на сигурност. София 2008*

Йотов, Д. *Европейският съюз в борбата срещу организираната престъпност. София, 2003*

Йотов Д. *Евроинтеграция в областта на вътрешните работи. София, 2004*

Кръстев, Д. *Политика на ЕС в областта на сигурността. София, 2010*

Кръстев, Д. *Контрол на незаконната миграция към ЕС. Варна, 2011*

Мюнклер, Х. *Новите войни, София 2006*

Рачев, В., Милина, В., Бахчеванов, Г., Карамфилов, Г., Баев, Й., Велкова, Л., Манев, М., Бекярова, Н., Воденичарски, С., Мичев, С., Семерджиев, Цв. *Национална и международна сигурност, София, 2005*

Стефанов, Г. *Теория на международната сигурност. София, 2005*

14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: The course is taught through lecture presentation of the main points of the material and organizing thematic discussions and presentations.

15. Assessment methods and criteria: a test on two questions is envisaged at the end of each section of the course. At the end of the semester students must submit a coursework thesis on a topic close to the syllabus. The final form of assessment is a written test. The final grade will be based on test results and course work (half of the assessment), and the rounded average score of the tests (half of the assessment).

16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian.

17. Work placement(s): inapplicable.