

FACULTY OF LAW

Department: Security and Safety

Professional Area: National Security

Major: Counteraction to Crime and Public Order Protection

Educational-and-qualification Degree: Bachelor

COURSE DESCRIPTION

1. Course unit title: Criminal Procedural Law
2. Course unit code: LAW 2027
3. Type of course unit: compulsory
4. Level of course unit: Bachelor
5. Year of study: fourth
6. Semester when the course unit is delivered: seventh and eighth
7. Number of ECTS credits allocated: 13,5
8. Name of lecturer: Prof. Ivan Salov, PhD
9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: The aim of the course is students to gain knowledge of the Criminal Procedural Law of the Republic of Bulgaria, the regulated by this Law principles, norms, authorities of entities and participants in a criminal process, phases and stages of criminal proceedings.
10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face
11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: Students need to have knowledge of the General Theory of Law, Constitutional Law, Administrative Law and Administrative Process and Criminal Law
12. Course contents: The main problems addressed in the course are related to: the concept, system and general characteristics of the basic principles of the criminal process, execution of justice in criminal cases only in courts, disclosure the objective truth, the right of protection, presumption of innocence, personal immunity, entities, participants and parties involved in a criminal process, evidence, evidentiary means, explanations of the accused, means of proving, questioning, etc.
13. Recommended or required reading:
 1. **Павлов, Ст.** Наказателен процес на Република България. Об.и ос. част, С., 1996
 2. **Кочев, К., М.Чинова.** Учебно ръководство по наказателен процес. С., 1993
 3. **Кочев, К.** Присъдата – същност и постановяване. С., 1989
 4. **Манев, Н.** Наказателен процес. Учебно пособие. С., 2004
 5. **Топалов, П. Г.Георгиев.** Наказателен процес. Обща част и предварително производство
14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: Lectures, group seminars, practice, contact hours, solving cases, individual work with the lecturer.
15. Assessment methods and criteria: Written and oral examinations at the end of the semester.

EXCELLENT: The student shows a thorough and comprehensive knowledge, gives reasonable and accurate answers to the questions, expresses his/her thoughts skillfully, logically and accurately, has practical skills and habits in reporting crisis situations. **VERY GOOD:** The student has complete and thorough knowledge, has practical skills, possesses logical and thorough thought, uses skillfully legal terminology. **GOOD:** The student has complete knowledge, practical skills, possesses thorough thought, uses skillfully legal terminology. **SATISFACTORY:** The student answers the essence of questions with some difficulties, has insufficient practical skills and abilities and does not usually express his thought correctly. The material of proof is presented in understandable but not correctly structured way. **POOR:** The student does not have the necessary knowledge, makes factual mistakes, has difficulties giving their answers, does not know how to explain the nature of the question.
16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian
17. Work placement: none