

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: History of Political and Legal Thought
2. Course unit code: POL1184
3. Type of course unit: 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: 4.5
8. Name of lecturer: Prof. Valkan Nedelchev Valkanov, PhD
9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: law students gain knowledge on the matter, it enriches their legal and historical literacy and competence
10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face
11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: similar courses are History of the Bulgarian State and Law and Study of the State.
12. Course contents: The course aims to familiarize law students with basic political and legal ideologies since antiquity to the present day, with their creators and apologists, doctrinaires and propagandists. By doing the course, students add to and shape their knowledge in this area and learn to analyze and evaluate legal and ideological postulates of the past and today - milestones in the ages-old historical ways of humanity.
13. Recommended or required reading:
 1. Августин А. За природата на доброто. За благодатта и свободата на волята. С., 1992.
 2. Аквински Т. Сума теология. С., 1994.
 3. Аквински Т. За съществуването на света. За вечността на света. С., 1992.
 4. Аристотел. Атинската политика. С., 1993.
 5. Аристотел. Политика. С., 1995.
 6. Бейкън Фр. Нов Органон. С., 1968.
 7. Библия. С., 2004.
 9. Дачев Л. История на политическите и правни учения. С., 1999.
 10. Дуоркин Р. Да се отнасяме към правата сериозно. С., 2004.
 11. Кампанела Т. Градът на Слънцето. С., 1984.
 12. Кант, И, Избрани съчинения, С, 1981,
 13. Колектив. История на политическите и правни учения. В., 1999.
 14. Лутер М. За свободата на християнина. С., 1984.
 15. Макиавели Н. Владетелят. С., 1985.
 16. Монеv Т. История на политическите и правни учения. В., 2001.
 17. Монтескьо, Ш, За духа на законите, С, 1978
 18. Мор Т. Утопия. С., 1984.
 19. Платон. Държавата. С., 1975.
 20. Роулс Дж. Теория на справедливостта. С., 2002.
 21. Ротердамски Еразъм, Философски произведения, С, 1977,

22. Русо Ж. Общественият договор, С., 1934.
23. Херцог Р. Държавата през ранните времена. С., 1997.
24. Цицерон М. Т. За държавата. За законите. С., 1994.
25. Шатле Фр., Дюамел О., Пизие Е. История на политическите идеи. С., 1998.

14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods:

15. Assessment methods and criteria: total final grade depends on the fulfilment of the student's responsibilities during their entire training in the course including the final form of control. This includes participation in the colloquium and the final form of control which has two parts - a written test and oral answer. Examination procedure, formalities and deadline - The last form of examination procedure involves doing a specialized test with questions and a following oral examination with comments on the topic. Students wishing to retake the exam are subject to the general conditions under the Rules of VFU. Forms of assessment / relative weight of each element of the evaluation / respectively: a) a written examination - 50% of the final grade; b) oral examination - 40% c) course assignment - 5% d) colloquium - 5%.

16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian

17. Work placement: