

**Faculty of Law**  
**Department: Security and Safety**  
**Professional Area: National Security**  
**Major: National Security Protection**  
**Educational-and-qualification Degree: Bachelor**

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

1. Course unit title: Protection of the Population from Disasters, Emergencies and Catastrophes
2. Course unit code: SEC 1056
3. Type of course unit: compulsory
4. Level of course unit: Bachelor
5. Year of study: third
6. Semester when the course unit is delivered: sixth
7. Number of ECTS credits allocated: 4.5
8. Name of lecturer: Assoc. Prof. Evgeni Gavrilov, PhD, MSc (Eng)
9. Learning outcomes of the course unit: The objective of the course is to give students new knowledge about theoretical conceptions, basic practical skills in organizing, preparing and carrying out mobilization for elimination of consequences of disasters, emergencies and catastrophes on the territory of Bulgaria and in certain regions of its. Students will also acquire skills in using computers to solve various applied tasks at a regional and municipal level in crisis situations.
10. Mode of delivery: face-to-face
11. Prerequisites and co-requisites: The course is structurally and logically related to the other compulsory and elective courses. It provides decision making by the respective persons for the preparation of and carrying out a complex of activities on the protection of the population and national economy in times of crises.
12. Course contents: The course includes issues connected with destabilizing factors and the system of civil protection and their impact on the national security. The second set of issues deals with issues of forecasting, planning, resource provision to protect the population. The third group includes issues dealing with forecasting, planning and training as well as the control over the activity of preparing people to deal with disasters and emergencies.
13. Recommended or required reading:
  - Закон за защита при бедствия – посл изм. бр.80 от 14 Октомври 2011г.
  - Закон за Министерството на вътрешните работи, изм. ДВ. бр. 23 от 22 Март 2011г.
  - Закон за администрацията – посл. изм. ДВ, бр. 69 от 8.09.2011 г.
  - Закон за местното управление и местната администрация – изм. ДВ. бр.57 от 26.07.2011г.
  - Санду, Р., Оцеляване при бедствия и аварии, Издателство Дуо Дизайн ООД, С., 2004.
  - Шутко, А., В. Крапивин, Оперативная диагностика, оценка масштабов и уменьшение последствий стрессовых природных процессов. АИ „М. Дринов”, С., 2011.
14. Planned learning activities and teaching methods: Lectures, contact hours, individual work with a lecturer

15. Assessment methods and criteria: written semester examination and a course assignment design which is assessed on-line.
16. Language of instruction: Bulgarian
17. Work placement: - Reaction to disasters and emergencies;
  - Activities of authorities of control over collective formations on protecting the population and national economy in disasters and emergencies.