

Study program: Law				
Type and level of studies: Doctoral academic studies				
Course unit: JUVENILE CRIMINAL LAW: SELECTED TOPICS				
Teachers in charge: Veljko Turanjanin				
Language of instruction: English language				
ECTS: 10				
Prerequisites: No				
Semester: Summer Semester				
Course unit objective Acquiring theoretical knowledge about criminal law issues, juvenile delinquency and training students for adequate practical application of positive juvenile criminal legislation.				
Learning outcomes of Course unit Understanding criminal law institutes in the field of juvenile criminal law and their adequate application. A student should be capable of solving daily problems in functioning of the juvenile criminal procedure mechanism.				
Course unit contents <i>Theoretical classes</i> These classes should offer explanations for the all basic legal concepts in contemporary national and international juvenile criminal justice. These concepts include legal norms involving: fundamentals of juvenile criminal law, organization of the courts, competence, substantive criminal law and criminal procedure from the initial phases, criminal charge, trial, legal remedies for juvenile offenders. The space for seminar papers will be provided during the classes. <i>Practical classes</i> With the help of professor students should get familiar with the examples of national and international case-law and main judgments concerning juvenile justice. Students should also learn how to write certain legal documents from the area of this part of law. Comparative criminal procedure law thinking will be also encouraged. Within the practical classes there will be two tests where the students could check their current level of knowledge.				
Literature Snežana Soković, Veljko Turanjanin, Juvenile Criminal Law, Kragujevac, 2023 Stuti Kokkalera, In defence of juveniles sentence to death, Routledge, 2022 David Hudson, Juvenile Justice, 2010 Peter Kratcoski, Juvenile Justice Administration: Processes and Issues, Springer, 2023 Barry Feld, The evolution of the juvenile court, NYU Press, 2019 Barry Goldson, Juvenile Justice in Europe, Routledge, 2019				
Number of active teaching hours				Other classes
Lectures: 60	Practice: 30	Other forms of classes: mentoring system, consultation	Independent work:	
Teaching methods Lectures are followed by video presentation in ppt format, and some lectures will be held by judges or case-law experts.				
Examination methods (maximum 100 points)				

Exam prerequisites	No. of points:	Final exam	No. of points:
Student's activity during lectures	15	oral examination	50
practical classes/tests	15+20	written examination	

Seminars/homework	5	
Project			
Other			
Grading system			
Grade	No. of points	Description	
10	91-100	Excellent	
9	81-90	Exceptionally good	
8	71-80	Very good	
7	61-70	Good	
6	51-60	Passing	
5	less than 51	Failing	

(Table 5.2) Course unit description