

Name of university, Name of faculty: Trnava University
Faculty of Law

INFORMATION SHEET OF THE SUBJECT

Code: XNTRb491		Name: Introduction to the Criminology				
Cover: Department of Criminal Law and Criminology						
Type of educational activity: Lecture, Practise Scope of educational activity (in hours): Weekly: 0/2 For term of study: ZS 46/,24 Method of educational activity: Combined				Number of credits: 4	Recommended semester: WT	
					Study grade: Bachelor	
Recommended semester	Study programme					
3.year WT	Law (XDŠBc-PR) Law (XEŠBc-PR-23)					
Underlie subjects:						
Conditions for passing the course: Method of evaluation: Completion by a continuing assessment						
Continuous evaluation: The condition for completing the course is the elaboration of a semester paper on a topic chosen by the student, which must be written in English in the range of 3-5 standard pages and which the student submits in the last week of teaching period. Continuous evaluation: term paper. Final evaluation: Completion by a continuing assessment Finished: By ongoing evaluation.						
Learning outcomes: After completing the course, the student is able to name and describe the basic criminological institutes, as well as the role of criminology in the context of criminal law, all of the above in English. The student is able to identify in English the basic relationships that exist between criminology and criminal law, as well as between other related disciplines. The student is able to describe the most serious types of crime and analyze them from both a criminological and criminal-law points of view. The student is able to analyze specific areas in English such as child trafficking, extremism or sexual crimes. The student will be able to apply English terminology, which is necessarily associated with the above areas of criminology and criminal law.						
Schedule of subject: 1. Definition of the term criminology, its benefits and description of the relations of criminology with legal and non-legal departments. 2. Criminal offender. 3. Victim of an offense. 4. Restorative justice and comparison with retributive justice. 5. Restorative justice in the conditions of the Slovak Republic. 6. Sexually motivated crime I. 7. Sexually motivated crime II. 8. Drug crime. 9. Extremism and its criminological aspects. 10. Terrorism and its criminological aspects. 11. Human trafficking in the conditions of the Slovak Republic. 12. Human trafficking in the conditions of other countries.						
Recommended reading: Basic recommended literature: DIANIŠKA, G. - STRÉMY, T. Introduction to the Criminology. Plzeň : Aleš Čeněk, 2009. 109 p. ISBN 978-80-7380-218-9.						
Language requirements: English						
Notes: Student's workload: 100 hours Combined study (Seminars, Consultations): 24 hours Study for seminars and study of documents in Moodle (individual study): 46 hours Preparation of a seminar paper: 30 hours						
Course evaluation: Assessed students in total: 65						
A	B	C	D	E	FX	
92%	3%	0%	0%	0%	5%	
Lecturers: doc. JUDr. Štefan Zeman, PhD., examiner, instructor doc. JUDr. Eva Szabová, PhD., univ. prof., examiner, instructor prof. JUDr. Ing. Adrián Jalč, PhD., examiner, instructor						

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