

FIELD OF STUDY: NATIONAL SECURITY

first level – bachelor’s degree (3 – year) studies, full time and extramural

THE CONCEPT OF EDUCATION

The curriculum content, number of hours and ECTS points comply with ministerial standards and the specialization offered. The program of studies also provides for information technology courses, foreign language courses with particular focus on English, as well as internships. Internships will be held in entities related to national security. The studies end with students’ defence of their diploma (bachelor’s) theses, written as part of the diploma seminars under the supervision of senior academic staff members and doctors with academic and teaching achievements in the field of security.

COMPETENCES OF THE GRADUATE

Graduates of the field of National Security should have general interdisciplinary knowledge in the area of social sciences and skills to use this knowledge in professional work and life while observing the principles of ethics. They should acquire structured theoretical and practical knowledge of national security and the ability to perform efficiently under conditions of real threats and understand and be able to analyse and to apply legal principles and the procedures of safety and crisis management on a global, national and local scale. They should know the nature of safety and its conditions and know the principles of the operation security services. They should be able to solve professional problems, to gather process and share information with the use of modern technologies, modern IT technologies and multimedia. They will acquire the skill of negotiating and decision making in crisis situations and should know a foreign language at the B2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages developed by the Council of Europe and be able to use a specialist language necessary to pursue his profession. A graduate should be prepared to work in public administration structures, organizations responsible for security of citizens and business entities and in crisis response teams. Graduates should be prepared to take second level degree studies and should also acquire skills and principles of dealing with secret information and methods of securing it.

EMPLOYMENT AREAS FOR GRADUATES

Graduates will be professionally prepared to work in municipal response teams, district and provincial Crisis Management Centres and in appropriate organizational units of crisis management in enterprises, companies, public utility institutions, public order and safety establishments and civil defence education. In particular, graduates will be prepared to work as civil employees of the Armed Forces, including central institutions where professional knowledge and qualifications are needed, as well as employees of diplomacy departments in this area where military qualification are required, as well as in special administration. With systematized knowledge in the field of national security, a graduate can be an administrative employee of the Crisis Management Department of the Provincial, City or District Government, a coordinator of operations of the Municipal Management Centre. A graduate can also obtain educational qualifications in the area of national security (including holding the function of the headteacher assistant for security and crisis management issues).

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