

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

<b>Study program</b>		Theological-catechetical program		
<b>Module</b>				
<b>Type and level of studies</b>		<i>Academic studies- Basic studies</i>		
<b>Course name</b>		Introduction to Theology		
<b>Teacher (lectures)</b>		Dr. Predrag Petrović		
<b>Teacher/Associate (exercises)</b>		Vukašin Milićević		
<b>Teacher/Associate (additional forms of c</b>				
<b>ECTS</b>	6	<b>Course status (obligatory/elective)</b>		Obligatory
<b>Attendance</b>	Enrolled in the first semester of academic studies in the theological-catechetical program			
<b>Course objectives</b>	Acquisition of a theoretical knowledge of Introduction to Theology and its conceptual and categorical systems and methodology. Mastery of the skill of analyzing theological texts and their application in theological research. Doing skilled, independent work in theology. Acquiring the skills needed for further study in theology.			
<b>Learning outcomes</b>	Development of basic general academic and theoretical-methodological academic competencies in theology using the applicative skills of analysis of theological concepts with the help of objective research methods and techniques.			
<b>Course content</b>				
<b>Lectures</b>	1. Theology as a scholarly discipline: concepts, topics, connections with other disciplines, the methodology of theological research. 2. The development of theology in antiquity. 3. The development of New Testament theology and the Patristic era. 4. The Development of theology in the Middle Ages. 5. Movements in and the development of contemporary theology. 6. The development of theological disciplines. 7. The methodology of theology and the language of theology. Apophaticism and cataphaticism. Theology and divine economy. Exegetic and hermeneutic methods: analogy, metaphor, accommodation. 8. The sources and domains of theology. 9. The relationship between theology and philosophy. 10. Theology and the Eucharist. 11. Theological foundations of the study of creation. 12. Theological foundations of the study of the Trinity. 13. Theological foundations of hamartiology 14. Theological foundations of Christology and pneumatology 15. Theological foundations of ecclesiology and eschatology. 16. Theological foundations of ontology and ethics. 17. Theological foundations of canon law. 18. Theology and society.			
<b>Practical classes (exercises, additional forms of classes, research work)</b>	The same thematic units in their applied forms (with an emphasis on qualified analysis of relevant sources, synchronous, diachronous, and confrontative observation and generalization of theologically-related linguistic concepts and elements along with an active and productive usage of primary sources and secondary theological literature).			
<b>Literature</b>				
1	R. Bigović, Pravoslavna teologija, Zbornik članaka i studija, Belgrade, 1995.			
2	H. Janaras, Azbučnik vere, Novi Sad, 2004.			
3	J. Brija, Rečnik pravoslavne teologije, Belgrade, 1999.			
4	P. Hristu, Tajna Boga- tajna čoveka, Belgrade, 1997.			
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<b>Number of hours per week</b>				
<b>Lectures</b>	<b>Exercises</b>	<b>Additional forms of classes</b>	<b>Research work</b>	<b>Other classes</b>
2	2			
<b>Coursework methods</b>	Verbal-textual, textual, demonstrative			
<b>Knowledge evaluation (maximum number of points 100)</b>				
<b>Pre-exam requirements</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Final exam</b>	<b>Points</b>	

<b>Class activity</b>	10	<b>Written exam</b>	70
<b>Practical classes</b>	10	<b>Oral exam</b>	
<b>Colloquia</b>			
<b>Seminars</b>	10		