Course specification

Study program: Special education and rehabilitation, module Prevention and treatment of behavioral disorders

Type and level of studies: Master academic studies

Title of the subject: Formal and informal social control

Lecturer: Danica V. Vasiljević-Prodanović

Course status: Elective

ECTS: 6

Prerequisites: No prerequisites

Aim: The aim of the course is to contextualize informal and formal forms of social control into the current characteristics of contemporary society and the institutional reaction of society to crime and other forms of behavioral disorders.

Outcomes: Acquiring knowledge about forms of social reactions to crime and other forms of social deviations. Students will be able to use knowledge about different forms of social reactions to deviance in the development of various development projects, programs and measures of prevention and overcoming social deviations at the local level. Mastering the scientific, theoretical, methodological and applicative knowledge will also provide students with a basis for further studying.

Content

Lectures:

The concept, forms and characteristics of social control. Theoretical frameworks of social control. Social controls, crises and social control. Criminal law as a form of social control. Alternative forms of punishment as a means of social control. Restorative justice processes as a means of social control. Forms of social reaction to juvenile delinquency. Social control of peer violence. Forms of social response to domestic violence. Forms of violence at work and social control. Stigmatization and social control. Religion as a mechanism of social control of behavioral disorders. Media and social control.

Practical work:

A critical overview of topics covered in the lectures.

Literature

- 1. Vasiljević-Prodanović, D. (2012). Reintegrativno posramljivanje: Neformalno sredstvo formalne socijalne kontrole kriminaliteta. *Specijalna edukacija i rehabilitacija*, 11(3), 483-502. ISSN 1452-7367
- 2. Vasiljević-Prodanović, D. (2010). Restorativna pravda u krivičnopravnom sistemu. *Temida*, *13*(3), 57-68. ISSN 1450-6637,
- 3. Jugović, A. (2008). Moralna panika i društvene devijacije na selu. *Socijalna misao*, 15(3), 41-57. ISSN 0354-401X
- 4. Nikolić-Ristanović, V. (2002). Porodično nasilje u Srbiji. Beograd: Prometej. ISBN 86-82363-26-7
- 5. Milosavljević, M. (2003). Devijacije i društvo. Beograd: Draganić. ISBN 86-441-0523X

Number of active classes per week:

Lecture: 2

Practical work: 2

Teaching methods:

Oral lectures, presentations, discussions, consultations, mentoring, video materials, guest experts, student presentations, field visits.

Evaluation of knowledge (maximum score 100)				
Pre obligations	Score	Final exam	Score	
activites during the lectures	10	written exam		
practical teaching	10	oral exam	50	
midterm(s)	20			
seminars	10			