**SOVEREIGNTY – THEORY AND PRACTISE SILLABUS**

**I. Information about the head of the course program, and the lectures of the course professors**

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| **Name and Surname**  Gordana Siljanovska-Davkova  Renata Deskoska  Jelena Trajkovska - Hristovska | **Scientific degree, and academic title:**  PhD, Full Professor  PhD, Full Professor  PhD, Assistant Professor |

**II. Information about collaborators and other lecturers of the subject program**

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| **Name and Surname of Colaborator:** | **Scientific degree, and academic title of the collaborator:** |
| **Other lecturers (experts from the field):** | |

**III. Basic data of the subject program**

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| **Name of the subject program:** Sovereignty –theory and practice | |
| **Code of the Subject Program:** | **ECTS: 3** |
| **Total Hours Per Course: 24** | **Number of Pages for Mandatory Reading: 210** |
| **Academic year in which the subject program is studied**: | **Semester in which the subject program is studied:** |

**IV. Description of the subject program, and key words (terms)**

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| **Description of the subject program** |
| The Course is designed to examine and elaborate numerous questions and issues, as: the notion of sovereignty; theories of sovereignty (theocratic theory, the theory of national sovereignty, the theory of popular sovereignty); contesting sovereignty (Digi, Kelzen, Laski); elements of sovereignty; sovereignty and right of self-determination; the differences between political and legal sovereignty; subject-holder of the sovereignty; sovereignty as a constitutional category; forms of exercising sovereignty (comparative and the Republic of Macedonia); external and internal sovereignty; "conditional state sovereignty", i.e sovereignty conditioned by respect of the human rights and the rules of democracy, and globalization and sovereignty, ect. |
| **Key words (terms)** |
| Political system, politics, sovereignty, EU, globalization |

**V. Goals and outcomes**

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| **Goals and outcomes to be achieved** |
| **The subject’ goals are** primary, to equip students with the profound knowledge about:   * complex and contradictory nature of the sovereignty, * the genesis and historical evolution of the sovereignty, * the classical doctrine of sovereignty, * the contemporary meaning of sovereignty, * the forms of its realization and its modern developments, in terms of European integration processes and globalization. |

**VI. Teaching methodology**

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| **Teaching methodology** |
| Socrate`s method in feature of interactive lectures, seminars, debates, essays, comparative analysis, clinical program for the forms of the exercise of sovereignty, ect. |

**VII. Detail Curriculum Structure**

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| **Week 1** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **Topic:**  The notion, definition and meaning of the sovereignty | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  - Definition of sovereignty - Classical notion of sovereignty - Liberal notion of sovereignty | |
| **Week 2**  Theories of sovereignty | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  - Theses, theories and conceptions of sovereignty (Boden, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau,) - The anarchist conceptions of sovereignty (Proudhon, Bakunin, Kropotkin) | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:** | |
| **Week 3** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  Political and legal sovereignty | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  Theses, theories and conceptions of sovereignty (Brice, Dicey and Schmidt) | |
| **Week 4** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  Forms of exercising sovereignty of the citizens | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  Indirect vs. direct forms of exercising sovereignty of the citizens | |
| **Week 5** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  The Constitutions and sovereignty | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  The Constitution of USA 1787, The Constitution of France 1793, contemporary constitutions- source and the holder (subject) of sovereignty | |
| **Week 6** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  The sovereignty and Constitutional Documents- the Constitutions of Macedonia | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  Constitution for the future state organization of Macedonia from 1880; - Documents of ASNOM; - Constitution of the NRM-1946; - Constitutional Law -1953; - Constitution of the SRM - 1963; - Constitution of the SRM 1974 | |
| **Week 7** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  Sovereignty and the Constitution of the Republic of Macedonia -1991 (I part) | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  The Constitution of the Republic of Macedonia -1991 | |
| **Week 8** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  Sovereignty and the Constitution of the Republic of Macedonia - 1991 (II part) | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  The Ohrid Framework Agreement and the amendments of the Constitution 2001 | |
| **Week 9** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  EU and contradictory nature of sovereignty (I part) | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  - Internal and external sovereignty; - Limited and portable sovereignty. | |
| **Week 10** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  EU and contradictory nature of sovereignty  (II part) | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  - The impact of EU accession on the sovereignty of the Member States; - Changes that have to be made in the constitutional provisions about sovereignty; - Changes that need to be made ​​in the Constitution of the Republic of Macedonia in the EU accession process | |
| **Week 11** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  The "Conditional sovereignty", and human rights and democracy as its conditions. | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:** | |
| **Week 12** | **Number of Classes:** |
| **topic:**  The Sovereignty, globalization and international interventions | **Mandatory literature:**  Reader |
| **Detailed structure of the thematic unit:**  - The impact of globalization on sovereignty, - Sovereignty VS interventionalizm, - Cosmopolitan sovereignty | |

**VIII. Activities of external institutions**

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**IX. Literature**

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| **Mandatory Literature** |
| Reader composed of:   1. Русо, Ж. Ж. Општествениот договор, Мисла, Скопје, 1978 2. Hinsley F. H., Suverenitet, August Cesarec, Zagreb, 1992 3. Minoque, K., Does National Sovereignty Have a Future? 1996 htpp//www.freedomsite.net/sovern.htm 4. MacCormick N., Questioning Sovereignty, Law, State and Nation in the European Commonwealth, Oxford University Press, 1999 5. Шкариќ, С и Силјановска – Давкова Г., Уставно право, Култура, 2009 6. Laski H., The Foundation of Sovereignty, London, 1931 |
| **Additional Literature** |
| 1. Monteskje, O duhu zakona, Beograd, 1989 2. Jouvenel, Sovereignty: An Inquire into the Political Good, Chicago, 1957 3. Hudson A, Beyond the Borders: Globalization, Soveregnty and Extra- Territoriality and Post- Modernity, Franc Cass, London, 1999 4. Димевски С., Поповски В., Апостолски М., Македонскта лига и Уставот за државно уредување на Македонија 1880, Мисла, Скопје, 1985 5. MacCormick. N., Liberalism, Nationalism and the Post- Sovereign State, in Constitutionalism in Transformation: European and Theorethical Perspectives, (ed) Bellamy R. and Castiglione D, Blackwell Pub, 1996, Oxford 6. Marsall, Parliamentary Sovereignty of the later Middle Ages, Cambridge, 1963 |