

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Study program	Theological-catechetical program			
Module				
Type and level of studies	<i>Basic studies</i>			
Course name	Patrology 2			
Teacher (lectures)	Dr. Maxim Vasiljević			
Teacher/Associate (exercises)	Dr. Andrej Jeftić			
Teacher/Associate (additional forms of classes, research work)				
ECTS	6	Course status (obligatory/elective)	Obligatory	
Attendance	Enrolled in the seventh semester of basic studies			
Course objectives	Acquisition of theoretical knowledge of patrological problems beginning with the Council of Chalcedon (451) up to the present, mastery of the conceptual and categorical structure and methodology of the Fathers, familiarization with the hermeneutics of theology, as well as the enabling of competent independent work in patristics and further independent study.			
Learning outcomes	Development of basic scholarly and professional academic competencies in patrology and the accompanying applicative skills in analysis of patristic texts with the help of objective research methods and techniques.			
Course content				
Lectures	1. Patristic themes and problems after Chalcedon. 2. Introduction to the Christology of the 5th and 6th centuries. 3. The Origenist crisis in the 6th century. 4. Dionysius the Areopagite. 5. John of the Ladder. 7. Leontius of Byzantine and Leontius of Jerusalem. 7. Maximus the Confessor. 8. Theology in the period of the iconoclastic crisis. 9. The Seventh Ecumenical Council. 10. John Damascene and Theodore the Studite. 11. Photius the Great. 12. Symeon the New Theologian. 13. The beginnings of Serbian theology; Saint Sava. 14. Nicholas Cabasilas. 15. Gregory Palamas and the Hesychastic controversy. 16. Mark of Ephesus. 17. Patristics in late Byzantium.			
Practical classes (exercises, additional forms of classes, research work)	The same themes in are analyzed in their applied forms (analysis of relevant texts and their didactic transposition). Due to the specific nature of the Faculty, instruction consists of two separate forms of teaching in the same program, pastoral-catechetical and practical-liturgical praxis.			
Literature				
	1	Georges Florovsky, Istočni Oci V-VIII veka, Hilandar, 1998.		
	2	John Meyendorff, Hristos u Istočno-hrišćanskoj misli, Hilandar, 1994.		
	3	Bishop Atanasije (trans. and ed.): Sveti Maksim Ispovednik: Život i inboor iz Dela (sa uvodnim sholijama i studijama). Vrnjci-Trebinje-Los Angeles, 2012.		
	4	Maxim Vasiljević (ed.), Sveti Grigorije Palama u istoriji i sadašnjosti, Srbinje-Ostrog-Trebinje, 2001.		
	5	Nicholas Cabasilas, Tumačenje Svete Liturgije, Beseda, Novi Sad, 2002.		
Number of hours per week				
Lectures	Exercises	Additional forms of classes	Research work	Other classes
2	1			2
Coursework methods	Verbal-textual, textual, demonstrative, and experimental.			
Knowledge evaluation (maximum number of points 100)				
Pre-exam requirements	Points	Final exam		Points
Class activity	5	Written exam		70
Practical classes	5	Oral exam		

Colloquia	20		
Seminars			