

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

<b>Study program</b>		Practical Theology		
<b>Module</b>				
<b>Type and level of studies</b>		Master		
<b>Course name</b>		Theological Epistemology		
<b>Teacher (lectures)</b>		Perić N. Dražen, Perišić P. Vladan		
<b>Teacher/Associate (exercises)</b>				
<b>Teacher/Associate (additional forms of)</b>				
<b>ECTS</b>	8	<b>Course status (obligatory/elective)</b>		obligatory
<b>Attendance</b>	obligatory			
<b>Course objectives</b>	Knowledge of theological argumentation forming; types of theological argumentation; making difference among theological, philosophical, scientific and common sense thinking.			
<b>Learning outcomes</b>	Acquiring of competences for relevant analysing and comprehension of problems of the divine knowledge, problems regarding nature, origin, possibilities, implications and credibility of theological knowledge, as well as fundamental epistemological terms.			
<b>Course content</b>				
<b>Lectures</b>	<p>Knowledge and belief. 8.-10. The concept of truth. 11. a priori and a posteriori 12. Analytic and synthetic. 13. Possibility of self knowledge and knowledge of others. 14. The concept of revelation. 15. Aspects of revelation. 16.-17. The concept of "natural theology". 18. Ontological proof of God's existence. 19. Cosmological proof of God's existence. 20. Teleological proof of God's existence. 21. Moral proof of God's existence. 22. The nature of theological language. 23. Analogy. 24. Metaphor. 25.-26. Theology and scientific method. 27.-28. The nature of theological arguments. 29. Is there "knowledge of God"? 30. Logics of divine knowledge.</p>			
<b>Practical classes (exercises, additional forms of classes, research work)</b>				
<b>Literature</b>				
1	Дионисије Ареопагит "О мистичком богословљу", Отачник 1/1 Београд 1996			
2	Јован Златоуст О непојмљивости и једносуштности Божјој, Видослов Требиње 2005			
3	Ж. Данијелу "Евномије Кизички и платовска егзегеза Кратила", Градац Чачак 1997			
4	А. Е. McGrath Uvod u kršćansku teologiju Ex Libris, Rijeka 2007			
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<b>Number of hours per week</b>				
<b>Lectures</b>	<b>Exercises</b>	<b>forms of</b>	<b>Research work</b>	<b>Other classes</b>
4	4	0	0	0
<b>Coursework methods</b>	Lectures and practical classes.			
<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>		60
<b>Practical classes</b>		<b>Oral exam</b>		
<b>Colloquia</b>	15			
<b>Seminars</b>	15			