Study program:

Business Economics and Entrepreneurship (180 ECTS); Finance banking and insurance (240 ECTS) **Type and level of studies:** Basic academic studies, first level of studies

Course title: SOCIOLOGY

Professor: Pavić Žarko

Course status: obligatory

ECTS Points:7

Condition: Second semester enrolled, lectures delivered and subject to pre-exam obligations

Objective:

Transferring practical skills and knowledge to the student through acquaintance with the socio-humanistic contents and determinants of a modern global society in order to understand basic particular and global social processes, as well as mastering elementary methodological knowledge for collecting relevant social facts.

Outcome:

After passing the exam, the student mastered fundamentally social-humanistic knowledge about contemporary society, as well as initial training for sociometric and survey surveys of public opinion by methods of referrals and interviews.

Contents of the course:

Theory teaching:

Subject of sociology. Methodology of sociological research. Scientific explanation, laws and theories. Sociological schools and directions. Society and individual. Social groups. Reference groups. Family and marriage. Cyber Groups and Virtual Communities. Non-referential groups. Social stratification. Social mobility. Social control. Equality and inequality. Authority, power, authority. Ruling and middle layers. Cyber stratification. Social community. Country. Law, legal order, rule of law. Freedom and human rights. Democracy. The political structure of the society. Civil society. Open Society. The welfare state. Citizen. NGO. Culture. Tradition. Usual. Moral. Mass media, multimedia, media globalization, Internet. Religion. Contemporary typology of global societies. Social values and a look towards the future.

Practical teaching:

Closer clarification of some of the topics that are addressed in lectures. Applying and practicing sociometric methods through student training for surveying and sociometric research. Preparation of colloquium and exams. Evaluation of realized teaching and analysis of its results.

References:

[1]. Pantelić-Vujanić S., (2014), Sociology, Higher School for Business Economics and Entrepreneurship, Belgrade.

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Methods of teaching:

Lectures are auditory, fully supported by video slides and performed in amphitheater with all students. Exercises are carried out by groups of students in classrooms: (1) as auditory, where further lectures are further elaborated and the characteristic cases are analyzed; (2) as instructive, to practice the sociometric method;

Knowledge assessment (maximum number of points 100)				
Pre-exam obligations	Points 50	Final exam	Points 50	
activity during lectures	20	Oral exam	50	
colloquium-first	15			
colloquium-second	15			