

Study Programme: Cultural studies
Course Unit Title: Sociology of Intercultural Communication
Course Unit Code: 20KLM002
Name of Lecturer(s): Žolt Lazar
Type and Level of Studies: Bachelor
Course Status (compulsory/elective): Elective
Semester (winter/summer): Winter
Language of instruction: English
Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): Face-to-face
Number of ECTS Allocated: 3
Prerequisites: None
<p>Course Aims:</p> <p>Introduction to major approaches to intercultural relations, their theoretical achievements and constraints; consideration of the main problems of multicultural societies; understanding of contemporary intercultural contacts and communication processes.</p>
<p>Learning Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Acquiring knowledge and mastering scientific and categorial apparatus for multicultural societies and intercultural contacts research. - Developing critical thinking, tolerance, and sensitivity for cultural diversity.
<p>Syllabus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The concept and theory of intercultural relations. ● Multiculturalism and interculturalism. ● Cultural relativism, cultural contacts, and the problems of cultural assimilation. ● Ethnocentrism and cultural imperialism. ● Problems of collective identity and cultural politics. ● Intercultural education. ● Intercultural contacts, globalization, and modern communication media. ● Tolerance and intercultural dialogue.
<p>Required Reading:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ahrndt Shannon, Intercultural Communication, University of Missouri (St Louis), 2020 2. Đordano Kristijan (Giordano Christian), Ogledi o interkulturalnoj komunikaciji (Essays in Intercultural Communication), XX vek (Beograd), 2001 3. Martin Judith and Thomas Nakayama, Intercultural Communication in Contexts, McGraw Hill (Boston), 2010 4. Meinhof Ulrike and Anna Triandafyllidou, Transcultural Europe, Palgrave Macmillan, 2006

Weekly Contact Hours:	Lectures: 2	Practical work:	
Teaching Methods:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Lectures ● Study of theories and researches ● Seminar paper: description and analysis of intercultural contact (process) ● Discussions and consultations 			
Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):			
Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points
Active class participation	10	written exam	/
Seminar paper	30	oral exam	60
Preliminary exam(s)	/	/	
Seminar(s)	/	/	/
The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam, oral exam, project presentation, seminars, etc.			