



# UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ

**Course Unit Descriptor**

**Faculty**

**Faculty of Law**

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Study program	Undergraduate Academic Law Study Program (LL.B. degree-240 ECTS)
Study Module (if applicable)	
Course title	<b>Constitutional History of Serbia</b>
Level of study	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> Doctoral
Type of course	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Obligatory <input type="checkbox"/> Elective
Semester	<input type="checkbox"/> Autumn <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spring
Year of study	1 <sup>st</sup> year of undergraduate studies
Number of ECTS allocated	7
Name of lecturer/lecturers	Prof. dr Dragan Nikolić; Prof. dr Nebojša Ranđelović; Doc. dr Aleksandar Djordjević, Asst. Miljana Todorović
Teaching mode	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lectures <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Group tutorials <input type="checkbox"/> Individual tutorials <input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Project work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seminar <input type="checkbox"/> Distance learning <input type="checkbox"/> Blended learning <input type="checkbox"/> Other

## PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)

Aims: to advance the scientific knowledge acquired in the course of History of Law; to understand the genesis of Serbian statehood, creation and development of law; to apply the comparative method to study the historical development of Serbian state and constitutions; to critically analyze the relations, rules and dynamism of statehood development by examining the Serbian constitutional legal history.

## SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)

Constitutional questions prior to the First Serbian Uprising. Constitutional acts in the First Serbian Uprising. Serbia from factual to formal autonomy. The Sretenje Constitution. The 1838 Constitution of the Principality of Serbia. The role of the 1858 Assembly in the constitutional development of Serbia. Constitutional acts of Prince Mihailo. The Constitution of 1869 and the organic legislation of 1870. The role of the political parties in further constitutional development of Serbia. The Constitution of 1901. The Constitution of 1903. The Vidovdan Constitution. The 6th January 1929 dictatorship. The Constitution of 1931.

## LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

Serbian (complete course)       English (complete course)       Other \_\_\_\_\_ (complete course)

Serbian with English mentoring       Serbian with other mentoring \_\_\_\_\_

#### ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Pre exam duties	Points	Final exam	points
Activity during lectures	0-10	Written examination	
Practical teaching	0-15	Oral examination	67
Teaching colloquia	0-8	OVERALL SUM	100

\*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents