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***Katedra psychológie / Department of Psychology***

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**Course/ Názov predmetu: Developmental psychology I/ Vývinová psychológia I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdVyvPI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 6

**Anotation:**

Students gain knowledge of ontogenesis of the psychological development in the period from conception to adolescence. They become familiar with the basic terms of developmental psychology, the most influential theories of psychology in history and also in contemporary current trends. In addition to a healthy (normal) development the basic developmental disorders are presented.

Students acquire the ability to apply knowledge in the field of professional practice, to use knowledge to solve practical tasks and problems; they also acquire skills and knowledge for the performance of a future profession in the field of work with children and youth in counseling, educational, and clinical environments.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Psychometrics/ Psychometrika**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPsymet/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring/winter

**ECTS credits:** 5

**Anotation:**

Students will acquire notions from the field of psychometric characteristics of the test, standardization of tests and psychometric testing.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: General psychology II/ Všeobecná psychológia II**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdVsPsII/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 6

### **Anotation:**

Students gain knowledge of ontogenesis of the psychological development in the period from adolescence to death. They become familiar with the basic terms of developmental psychology in this period, the most influential theories of psychology and also in contemporary current trends. In addition to a healthy (normal) development the basic developmental disorders typical for adulthood and the old age are presented.

Students acquire the ability to apply knowledge in the field of professional practice, to use knowledge to solve practical tasks and problems; they also acquire skills and knowledge for the performance of a future profession in the field of work with children and youth in counseling, educational, and clinical environments.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Individual psychology II/ Psychológia osobnosti**

**II**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPsOsII/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 6

**Anotation:**

Gain knowledge about the most important theories of personality. To understand the emergence of the various approaches in a broader social and cultural context. Dismantle research that came out of each theory and indicate its importance for contemporary psychological theory and practice. To be able to compare and critically evaluate various theories of personality on its own, with supporting arguments knowledge.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Psychodiagnostics I./ Psychodiagnostika I.**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSYC/bcdPsDiagI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

**Anotation:**

The aim of the course is to acquaint students with ways of knowing the human psyche, to get an overview of psycho-diagnostic methods, to repeat the principles of test construction and their psychometric properties, theoretical and practical mastery of methods - their administration, evaluation and interpretation. They will acquire knowledge about the process of psychological examination, diagnostics of abilities, personality, emotional experience and so on.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Developmental psychology II/ Výchovná  
psychológia II**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdVyvPII/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

**Anotation:**

Students gain knowledge of ontogenesis of the psyche in the period from adolescence to death. They become acquainted with the up-to-date theories of psychological development in adulthood as well as the results of actual research in this area. They gain insight into the problems of the most important developmental tasks of adulthood, including coping with aging and death.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Social psychology I/ Sociálna psychológia I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdScPsI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

### **Anotation:**

To make students understand the social psychology as a psychological discipline providing knowledge about the social context of personality. To understand the social essence psychological regulation of behavior and were able to use this information for the study of applied psychological disciplines, focusing on specific social activity carried out in the special social environment in which man acts as an object of research in these disciplines.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: General psychology I/ Všeobecná psychológia I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdVsPsI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

**Anotation:**

The students gain basic theoretical information about the cognitive processes of feeling, perception, memory, and attention.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Psychobiology/ Psychobiológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPsybio/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

### **Anotation:**

The course focuses students' attention to the problems of psychobiology. Graduates will become familiar with a basic definition of psychobiology, methods and techniques that are used in it. These issues are closely related to developmental psychology, clinical psychology and cognitive psychology.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Individual psychology I/ Psychológia osobnosti I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPsOsI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

### **Anotation:**

To gain basic knowledge of psychology, to include the issue in the whole system of psychological sciences. Orientation in basic terms, history of psychology, analysis personality structure. The most important methodological issues and methods of psychological research personality. Sorting and classification systems for psychological theories of personality.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Basics of statistics I/ Základy štatistiky I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdZakStaI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 6

### **Anotation:**

Basics of Statistics is oriented on providing the basic knowledge of psychological research, use of statistical analysis in research, competence in the understanding of statistical analysis in psychological research studies. Students are able to do basic statistical analysis of collected data.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: History of psychology/ História psychológie**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdHisPsy/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

Students will obtain an overview of the historical development of important psychological ideas in philosophy and about the conditions that led to the emergence of psychology as scientific discipline. They obtain basic orientation in the fields of psychology - their fundamental conceptual base, key personalities, and meaning. The learning outcomes are: the knowledge of the historical specificities of psychology in the local geographic area and the most important personalities of Slovak psychology.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Experimental psychology/ Experimentálna psychológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdExpPsy/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 5

**Anotation:**

Students will gain an overview of the history and significance of experimental psychology, knowledge of the experimental method, its realization and master the most significant experiments in the field of general, social psychology and personality psychology.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Basics of Methodology I./Základy metodológie I.**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdZakMetI/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter/spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

The student understands the nature of psychology as a science and knows the basic methodological terminology. He knows the importance of empirical research for the verification or falsification of theories in psychology, masters the principles of using methods of acquiring empirical knowledge or psychological practice.

**Course/ Název predmetu: Introduction to Applied psychological disciplines/  
Úvod do aplikovaných psychologických disciplín**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdUvApDi/22

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

Orientation in basic psychological knowledge of applied sciences, sensitization to terminological specifics and motivation of students for further study of psychology. Familiarization with selected applied psychological disciplines, subject of their study. Possibilities of using and applying basic psychological knowledge in various areas.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Introduction to Clinical Psychology and Psychopathology/Úvod do klinickej psychológie a psychopatológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSYbcdÚvKIPa/24

**Study degree:** bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

Patopsychology as a science about the psyche of a disabled individual belongs to the basic range of psychological disciplines that a student of psychology should control. The student finishing of this subject should have a range of knowledge that will enable him to better understand the problems of individuals who suffer from a certain type of deficit or defect.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Cognitive psychology/ Kognitívna psychológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdKogPsy/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring/winter

**ECTS credits:** 3

**Anotation:**

Students will acquire knowledge of cognitive processes and their integration into the wider context of the organism and social environment. After finishing the course, the student will be acquainted with the problems of semantics, semiotics and metacognition and with the application of theories of dynamic systems on the functioning of cognitive processes.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Educational and school psychology/ Edukačná a školská psychológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdEduPsy/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

The student will broaden and deepen the knowledge and concepts used in educational psychology. The educational psychology is crucial border science that participates in the effort to understand human psychological development in theoretical and practical level and trying to understand, explain and influence the area of knowledge and learning in the process of education.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Regression and factor analysis/ Regresná a faktorová analýza**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdReFaAn/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

The course is aimed at acquiring theoretical knowledge and principles of methods of linear regression analysis, binary logistic analysis, multinomial logistic analysis and factor analysis. The student will learn to read and interpret the results of regression and factor analyzes in psychological studies and to perform statistical operations at the mentioned level.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Tanathology/ Tanatológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdTanat/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 2

### **Anotation:**

Students will acquire notions from the field of interdisciplinary nature of thanatology. The aim of the subject is to focus student's attention to the problems of death and dying that are tabooed in our culture. Attendants should get acquainted with the death concept development throughout the life cycle, with the common problems connected with life threatening and lethal illnesses and diagnoses, as well as with the possible ways of handling this situation by dying person, his relatives or wider surroundings.

## **Course/ Názov predmetu: Methodology I/ Metodológia I**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdMetI/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter/spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

### **Anotation:**

Graduate has gained acquaintance about the essential characteristics of scientific knowledge, has a basic overview of research strategies, plans and quantitative methods of obtaining data in psychology. The student also knows the process of validation of quantitative methods, recognises the methodological approach to generating psychological research.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Clinical psychology I./ Klinická psychológia I.**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdKliPsy/22

**Study degree:** II. Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint students with the basics of clinical psychology, with the structure of the field, to provide them the theoretical knowledge on the etiology and syndromology of psychological and psychosomatic disorders, on man in disease and health in the context of prevention and psychotherapy.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Organisational psychology and psychology of work/ Organizačná psychológia a psychológia práce**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdOrgPsy/22

**Study degree:** II. Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

Graduate during the course become acquainted with its overall program content: get basal capacity to cope with organizational tasks in the manufacturing and non-manufacturing organizations from the view of organizational and work psychology.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Actual problems in social psychology**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdAkScPs/22

**Study degree:** Master

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 2

**Anotation:**

The result of education is to make students understand the social psychological nature of selected social phenomena in the current society.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Evolutionary Psychology/ Evolučná psychológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdEvPsych/22

**Study degree:** master

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 3

**Annotation:**

Students gain the basic knowledge of the development of the psyche in the context of phylogeny. The course syllabus includes topics: natural and sexual selection, kinship parental investment and parent-offspring conflict, origin and functions of emotions, modularity of the brain and psychic functions, evolutionary explanations of cooperation and friendship, warfare and aggression, human mate preferences and strategies, moral emotions and motives and evolutionary explanations of aesthetics, culture mental disorders of emotions and cognition (Darwinian medicine).

Course/ Názov predmetu: **Positive psychology/ Pozitívna psychológia**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPozPsych/22

**Study degree:** Bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 3

**Annotation:**

Students gain knowledge of basic concepts, approaches and interventions in positive psychology. The course includes topics such as positive emotions and experiences, psychological/subjective well-being, positive motivation, positive individual, optimism/pessimism as an explanatory style, concept of resilience, the paradox of choice etc. Students gain insight into how basic principles of positive psychology may improve individual psychological states and traits, interpersonal, group relationships and societies as well as provide them with professional and transferable competencies.

**Course/ Názov predmetu: Psychohygiene and Mental Health/ Psychohygiēna a duševné zdravie**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/bcdPsyHyg/22

**Study degree:** Bachelor

**Semester of study (taught in):** winter

**ECTS credits:** 3

**Annotation:**

The aim of this course is to understand the causes that lead to mental health disorders, gain knowledge of factors that improve mental health and prevention, analysis of risk factors and individual factors of health promotion and mental illness in area of personality, behavior, coping, survival. Students gain insight into the bio-psycho-social context of mental health as well as gain professional and transferable skills. The course includes topics such as introduction into the subject, issues of psychological hygiene from a biodimensional point of view, adverse physical and mental influences, mental health and environment, psychohygiene in context of various age groups, specific factors of psychohygiene – fatigue, health status etc.

**Course/ Název predmetu: Psychodiagnostics of Children and youth II./**  
**Psychodiagnostika detí a mládeže II.**

**University:** University of SS. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

**Faculty:** Faculty of Arts

**Course code:** KPSY/mdPsDeMIII/22

**Study degree:** master

**Semester of study (taught in):** spring

**ECTS credits:** 4

**Anotation:**

The aim of the course is to acquaint students with ways of knowing the human psyche, to get an overview of psycho-diagnostic methods used in period of childhood and adolescence, to repeat the principles of test construction and their psychometric properties, theoretical and practical mastery of methods - their administration, evaluation and interpretation. They will acquire knowledge about the process of psychological examination, diagnostics of abilities, personality, emotional experience and so on.