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SYLLABUS

COURSE NAME	CODE	SEMESTER	COURSE LOAD	ECTS
INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	PSY1001	I	180	6

Prerequisite(s)	None
Course Language	Macedonian, Turkish, English
Course Type	Required
Course Level	First Cycle
Course Lecturer	
Course Assistants	
Classroom	
Extra-Curricular	Meeting:
Office Hours and	Consultancy:
Location	
Course Objectives	To gain basic knowledge in the field of psychology that will help students to more successfully follow the content of other psychological subjects and to acquire knowledge that will help them better explain the phenomena studied within this study program. Introduction to the basic concepts, principles and topics in psychology in preparation for following the modules that offer in-depth knowledge in specific psychological disciplines.
Course Contents	Fundamentals of Evolutionary Psychology as a Scientific Study of Human Nature and Psychic Life. Natural selection, adaptation, genetic changes, the will of mankind and its consequences. Modularity in mental functioning, Evolution, emotions and cognition. Evolution, friendship, cooperation and conflict. Evolutionary mechanisms underlying partner selection and reproduction. Evolutionary mechanisms underlying empathy, altruism, and morality. Evolution and aesthetics. Evolution and culture.

WEEKLY SUBJECTS AND RELATED PREPARATION STUDIES

Week	Subjects	Related Preparation
1	Introduction	Related Chapters of Course Sources
2	What Is Psychology Science?	Related Chapters of Course Sources
3	Psychology Currents	Related Chapters of Course Sources
4	Basic Principles Of Psychology	Related Chapters of Course Sources
5	What is Sense?	Related Chapters of Course Sources
6	What is Mind?	Related Chapters of Course Sources
7	Mid-term Exam	Related Chapters of Course Sources
8	What is Learning?	Related Chapters of Course Sources
9	Motives and Behavior	Related Chapters of Course Sources
10	Motivation And Thinking	Related Chapters of Course Sources
11	What is Mental	Related Chapters of Course Sources
12	Stress and Health	Related Chapters of Course Sources
13	What is Emotion And Effects To Life Of These	Related Chapters of Course Sources
14	General discussion	All Chapters of Course Sources
15	Final Exam	

ECTS / WORKLOAD TABLE

Presentation / Seminar			
Hours for off-the-classroom study (Pre-study,	14	3	42
practice)	14	3	72
Midterm Exam	1	12	12
Exam	1	14	14
Total Work Load			
ECTS	6		

GENERAL PRINCIPLE RELATED WITH COURSE

Dear students,

In order to be included, learn and achieve full success that you deserve in the courses you need to come well prepared by reading the basic and secondary textbooks. We are expecting from you carefully to obey to the course hours, not to interrupt the lessons unless is very indispensable, to be an active participant on the courses, easily to communicate with the other professor and classmates, and to be interactive by participating to the class discussions. In case of unethical behavior both in courses or on exams, will be acting in framework of the relevant regulations. The attendance of the students will be checked in the beginning, in the middle or at the end of the lessons. Throughout the semester the students who attend to all lectures will be given 15 activity-attendance points in addition to their exam grades.

LITERATURE

	COMPULSORY LITERATURE				
No	Author's Name	Name of the book	Publishing House	Publication Year	
1	Serpil Aytaç	Psikolojiye Giriş	Dora	2020	
2	Ачковска Лешковска, Е.	Вовед во психологијата	Скрипта за интерна употреба	2011	
3	Rod Plotnik	Introduction to Psychology	Cenage Learning	2018	

	ADDITIONAL LITERATURE				
No	Author's Name	Name of the book	Publishing House	Publication Year	
1	Kemal Sayar	Psikolojiye Giriş	Dem yayınları	2021	
2	Џарвис, М.	Теоретски пристапи во психологијата	Арс студио,	2014	
3	Colman, A.M.	What is Psychology?	Routledge	2000	

EVALUATION SYSTEM

Underlying the Assessment Studies	NUMBER	PERCENTAGE OF GRADE
Attendance/Participation	15	%20
Project / Event	1	%10
Mid-Term Exam	1	%35
Exam	1	%35
TOTAL	17	%100

ETHICAL CODE OF THE UNIVERSITY

In case of the students are cheating or attempt to cheat on exams, and in the case of not to reference the sources used in seminar studies, assignments, projects and presentations, in accordance to the legislations of the Ministry of Education and Science of Republic of Macedonia and International Vision University, will be applied the relevant disciplinary rules. International Vision University students are expected never to attempt to this kind of behavior.