

# UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

# GUIDE FOR FUTURE STUDENTS

OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO

2018/2019

# FIRST AND SECOND

study cycle degree programme



# PUBLIC COMPETITION

for enrolement of students for 2018/2019 academic year will be announced

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in June 2018

# A WORD FROM THE DEAN

Depletion and disintegration of reality through continuous destruction of all the fundamental humanistic values that are being represented as a mere burden or unwanted baggage ruthlessly continue. The pluralism derived from monistic particularism, homogenisation of the particular, all the way to homogenisation and abdication of the very thought, sharpens the feeling that reality has lost any kind of direction/sense. The world that needs us only as functions reduced to the level of resources, wasted to the global labour flea market has its practical managers who would want to extrude the basic principles of humanities out of the historical horizon; yet they fail to see that the old questions what to do with humankind? and how to intellectually encompass such a dispersed reality? will befall us. Clearly, the answer can only come from the zone of humanities and social science, and arts.

Professor Muhamed Dželilović, PhD Dean of the Faculty of Philosophy



# HISTORY OF THE FACULTY

# 1950

# 6 departments

The Faculty of Philosophy was founded on 11 November 1950, pursuant to the Decree on the Faculty of Philosophy in Sarajevo, promulgated by the Government of the People's Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina on 14 February 1950

Sarajevo Canton assumed the right of the founder of the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo.

The Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, is a place for the meeting of different cultures, various opinions, the creative exchange of mature scholarship and new and innovative energies. Through academic openness, initiative and participation in public events, the faculty strives to be the centre of lifelong learning and the education of responsible and socially active citizens.

The teaching process forms future teachers, experts and scientists in the field of humanities and social sciences, ready to face the career challenges of the 21st century.

Academically diverse, the Faculty initiates and develops intercultural dialogue and opens horizons of understanding, accepting and respecting individuals in their uniqueness and diversity.

Apart from its main educational activities, the Faculty of Philosophy has from its foundation been a place of intense scientific and research engagement and numerous activities related to the development and promotion of philosophy, sociology, history of art, archaeology, pedagogy, psychology, philology, linguistics, applied linguistics, teaching methodology, literary history and librarianship.

Moreover, the faculty remains an institution of education and professional development and pedagogical education, as well as an institution for the recognition of diplomas, placement examination for first and foreign language testing, additional exams, translation, proofreading and publishing and for expert and consultancy services.

13 departments2018 2 chairs

# **MISSION**

Through its teaching process and scientific activities, the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, strives to educate creative and internationally competent experts in all fields of proficiency that are of interest throughout Bosnia and Herzegovina; experts able to undertake the demanding tasks of the modern economy in the European and global political, social, humanistic and cultural context.

Educating capable, creative and internationally competent experts in all areas of interest for the entire Bosnia and Herzegovina

# **VISION**

Research, innovation and academic excellence

Educate the leaders of development of Bosnia and Herzegovina

The Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, will, through a teaching process based on research, innovation and academic excellence, educate the leaders of development in Bosnia and Herzegovina and will, through scientific research, initiate new solutions and creative ideas, thus acting as a backbone for sustainable development in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

# **STUDYING**

# in accordance with the Bologna Principles

In the academic year 2005/2006, the Faculty of Philosophy started implementing studies in accordance with the Bologna principles (3+2), meaning that the ECTS (EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER SYSTEM) grading system was introduced.

That has enabled recognition and comparison of the study programmes with distinguished European universities, as well as student mobility.

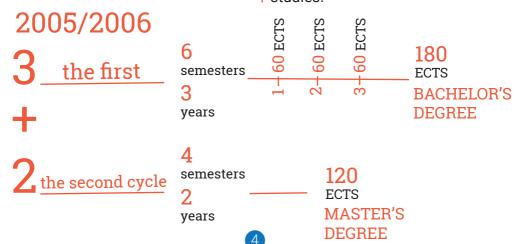
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# WHY STUDY

# at the Faculty of Philosophy

By studying at this higher education institution, students acquire extensive knowledge in humanities and social sciences.

The Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, is the oldest higher education institution in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Studying at this institution of education and science enables successful applicants to gain profound knowledge in the field of humanities and social sciences. specifically: philosophy, sociology, history, history of art, archaeology, pedagogy, psychology, Bosnian, Croatian and Serb language, the literatures of the peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina, English, German, Arabic, Turkish, Persian, Russian, French, Italian, Spanish, Latin, Greek, comparative literature and librarianship. Students can expand knowledge by taking elective courses in Czech and Swedish languages, defined within the study programmes, as well as in Slovenian, Polish and Japanese.

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## EMPLOYMENT OPTIONS

Students who have graduated from the Faculty of Philosophy are now renowned academics, university professors, primary and secondary school teachers, experts in their fields, as well as cultural workers and public figures, internationally acclaimed artists, writers, journalists and diplomats

Owing to competences and skills acquired at the Faculty of Philosophy, upon graduation our students are able to work at primary schools and high schools, libraries, museums, archives, various institutes, institutes for the protection of monuments, documentation centres. Also, as technical assistants, they are able to participate in the work of pre-schools and primary schools, cultural institutions, publishing houses, the media, health and social care institutions, state administration, as well as in public and private institutions.

Students who complete the teaching lines of study can be employed as teachers in secondary and primary schools.

Students who complete other lines of study can pass additional exams in pedagogical education and thus fulfil necessary conditions for work in secondary and primary schools.

# **DEPARTMENTS AND CHAIRS**

| Department of<br>English<br>Language<br>and Literature                             | Department of<br>Bosnian,<br>Croatian and<br>Serbian<br>Language | Department of<br>Philosophy   |
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| Department of<br>German<br>Language<br>and Literature                              | Department of<br>History   | Chair of<br>History of Art  |
|  |  | Chair of<br>Archaeology   |
| Department of<br>the Literatures<br>of the Peoples<br>of Bosnia and<br>Herzegovina | Department of<br>Comparative<br>Literature and<br>Librarianship  | Department of<br>Oriental<br>Philology  |
| Department of Pedagogy   | Department of<br>Psychology                                      | Department of<br>Romance<br>Languages<br>and Literature   |
| Department of Slavic Languages and Literature                                      | Department of<br>Sociology                                       | The scientific and teaching process is conducted through single and combined study programmes that can be single and double major.  With the introduction of the Bologna system of studies, appropriate lines of study have also been introduced. |

## STUDY PROGRAMMES

#### FIRST CYCLE

It is possible to enrol for the first cycle study programmes at the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, as a full-time (government-funded), full-time (self-funded) or part-time student. The first cycle of studies takes three years, that is, 6 semesters (180 ECTS credits) and the title obtained is Bachelor of Arts.

**FULL TIME** (GOVERNMENT FUNDED)

**FULL-TIME** (SELF-FUNDED)

- PART-TIME\*

# 6 SECOND CYCLE

3
years

1 - 60 ECTS

2 - 60 ECTS

3 - 60 ECTS

180

120

**ECTS** 

**DEGREE** 

BACHELOR'S

It is possible to enrol for the second cycle study programmes following the completion of the first cycle as a full-time (government-funded), full-time (self-funded) or part-time\* student. The study cycle lasts for two years, that is, 4 semesters (120 ECTS credits) and the title obtained is Master of Arts.

\* Psychology can only be studied full-time and full-time self-funded.

MASTER'S

**DEGREE** 

# First Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

#### Single major

English Language and Literature

#### Double major

English Language and Literature and another study programme

Another study programme and English Language and Literature

# DEPARTMENT OF BOSNIAN, CROATIAN AND SERBIAN LANGUAGE Double major

Bosnian, Croatian, Serbian Language and Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina - line of study: teaching

Bosnian, Croatian, Serbian Language and another study programme

#### **DEPARTMENT FOR PHILOSOPHY**

#### Single major

Philosophy

#### **Double major**

Philosophy and Sociology

Philosophy and another study programme

#### **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY**

#### Single major

Sociology

#### Double major

Sociology and another study programme

Sociology and Ethnology

# First Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF GERMAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

Single major | Double major

German Language and Literature

German Language and Literature

and another study programme

**DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY** 

Single major | Double major

History History and another study programme

**Chair of History of Art** 

Double major

History of Art and another study programme

Another study programme and History of Art

**Chair of Archaeology** 

Single major Double major

Archaeology Archaeology and another study programme

# DEPARTMENT OF LITERATURES OF THE PEOPLES OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

#### **Double major**

Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Bosnian, Croatian, Serbian Language - line of study: teaching

Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina and another study programme



# First Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMPARATIVE LITERATURE AND LIBRARIANSHIP

Single major

Comparative Literature

Double major

Comparative Literature and Librarianship

Comparative Literature and another study programme

Librarianship and another study programme

#### DEPARTMENT OF ORIENTAL PHILOLOGY

Single major

Arabic Language and Literature

Turkish Language and Literature

Persian Language and Literature

Double major

Arabic Language and Literature and another study programme

Turkish Language and Literature and another study programme

Persian Language and Literature and another study programme

#### **DEPARTMENT OF PEDAGOGY**

Single major

Pedagogy

Special Pedagogy

Double major

Pedagogy and another study programme

## First Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Single major

Psychology

#### DEPARTMENT OF ROMANCE LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE

Single major

French Language and Literature

Italian Language and Literature

**Double major** 

French Language and Literature and another study programme

French Language and Literature and Italian Language and Literature

Italian Language and Literature and another study programme

Latin Language and Roman Literature and another study programme

#### DEPARTMENT OF SLAVIC LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE

Single major

Russian Language and Literature

Double major

Russian Language and Literature and another study programme

## Second Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

#### Single major

English Language and Literature - line of study: teaching

English Language and Literature - line of study: translation

English Language and Literature - line of study: literature

English Language and Literature - line of study: linguistics

# DEPARTMENT OF BOSNIAN, CROATIAN AND SERBIAN LANGUAGE Double major

Bosnian, Croatian and Serbian Language and Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina - line of study: teaching

Bosnian, Croatian and Serbian Language and another study programme

#### **DEPARTMENT FOR PHILOSOPHY**

#### Single major

Philosophy - line of study: teaching

Philosophy - line of study: research

#### **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY**

#### Single major

Sociology

#### DEPARTMENT OF GERMAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

#### Single major

German Language and Literature - line of study: teaching

# Second Cycle Study Programmes

#### **DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY**

#### Single major

History - line of study: teaching

#### **Chair of History of Art**

#### Single major

History of Art line of study: teaching

#### **Double major**

History - line of study: teaching and another study programme

#### **Double major**

History of Art – area of study: Art in Bosnia and Herzegovina from 15th century until 1918 line of study: research and another study programme

Another study programme and History of Art – area of study: Art in Bosnia and Herzegovina from 15th century until 1918 – line of study: research

History of Art – area of study: Modern and Contemporary Art – line of study: research and another study programme

Another study programme and History of Art – area of study: Modern and Contemporary Art and another study programme – line of study: research

## Second Cycle Study Programmes

#### Chair of archaeology

Single major

Archaeology

Double major

Archaeology

and another study programme

# DEPARTMENT OF LITERATURES OF THE PEOPLES OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

#### Single major

Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina

#### Double major

Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Bosnian, Croatian and Serbian Language - line of study: teaching

Literatures of the Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina and another study programme

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMPARATIVE LITERATURE AND LIBRARIANSHIP

Single major

Comparative Literature

#### **Double major**

Comparative Literature and Librarianship

Comparative Literature and another study programme

Librarianship and another study programme

# Second Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF ORIENTAL PHILOLOGY

Single major

Arabic Language and Literature

Turkish Language and Literature

Persian Language and Literature

DEPARTMENT OF PEDAGOGY

Single major

Pedagogy - vocational study

Double major

Arabic Language and Literature and another study programme

Turkish Language and Literature and another study programme

Persian Language and Literature and another study programme

Double major

Pedagogy - vocational study and another study programme

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Single major

Psychology

# Second Cycle Study Programmes

#### DEPARTMENT OF ROMANCE LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE

Single major

French Language and Literature

Italian Language and Literature

Double major

French Language and Literature and another study programme

French Language and Literature and Italian Language and Literature

Italian Language and Literature and another study programme

Latin Language and Roman Literature and another study programme

#### **DEPARTMENT OF SLAVIC LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE**

Single major

Russian Language and Literature

Double major

Russian Language and Literature and another study programme

# STUDENT MOBILITY

## student exchange

The Faculty of Philosophy supports student mobility through different programmes:

ERASMUS+, CEEPUS, MEVLANA, DAAD, FULBRIGHT



Apart from being able to gain new experience and establish contacts with their international colleagues, students are also becoming part of the teaching process at foreign universities. These activities are exceptionally important for the development of an individual and the academic community alike.

Similarly, students from other universities have come every year to study at our faculty through study programmes as guest students, and their number continues to increase.

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# RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

The Faculty of Philosophy has always been a driver of social and cultural processes, successfully implementing research activities for almost seven decades

The Faculty is host to various domestic and international conferences, seminars, roundtables and workshops. Students are an inseparable part of that strong chain of activities, contributing, as volunteers or through direct participation, to the development of science in our academic community, showing dedication and desire to share the knowledge they acquire during the course of their studies with their colleagues at all academic levels. Such student activities are opening new research perspectives in almost all disciplines of humanities and social sciences.

Visiting lectures by domestic and international experts, promotions of books and journals are also part of research activities at the Faculty. The Slovo and Desetka newsletters are an important result of young researchers' efforts at the Faculty, and many new perspectives are on the horizon.

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### TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAMME

The Programme is designed for all candidates who have completed their doctoral or master's thesis, BA degree, college or post-secondary vocational education in any area of craftsmanship, science, engineering, art, service or commerce, and who teach or would like to teach vocational subjects at primary and secondary schools

The Department of Pedagogy of the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo, conducts the Teacher Education Programme for all candidates who have completed their doctoral or master's thesis, BA degree, college or post-secondary vocational education in any area of craftsmanship, science, engineering, art, service or commerce, and who teach or would like to teach vocational subjects at primary and secondary schools. Upon completion of all the activities included in the curriculum, the candidates are awarded with certificates allowing them to work as teachers within the area of their respective vocational training. The programme is designed for the purpose of enabling experts in various fields to work in the teaching process, more specifically, to teach classes, to be homeroom teachers, and to successfully communicate with all participants of the educational process in schools (students, teachers, colleagues, management, etc.), but it does not provide competences for becoming a school counsellor, librarian, school principal, and the like.

### LIBRARY

# of the Faculty of Philosphy

#### User comes first

Students, teaching staff and users from other faculties, universities and scientific institutions from Bosnia and Herzegovina and other countries use our services.

#### **OUR COLLECTIONS**

According to the 2017 index, the Library contains 232,219 volumes of monographs and serials.

#### Important works:

A collection of doctoral dissertations published at the Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy

A collection of master's and specialist thesis published at the Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy

An audio-visual collection.

The Faculty of
Philosophy Library
was established in
1950 and is thereby
one of the oldest
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# What services do we provide to our users?

- · information services
- e-services
- borrowing publications
- · search of electronic databases
- · interlibrary loan
- user education

### LIBRARY

# of the Faculty of Philosphy

#### **ONLINE DATABASES**

The Library has access to: EBSCOhost, Web of Science and Scopus. Visit our webpage or ask our librarian for more information.

#### **NEW TECHNOLOGIES**

The Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy Library develops e-services through a segment of services entitled Ask a Librarian.

The Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy Library is developing social bookmarking, where webpages are marked, Internet content is reviewed and links useful for research are recommended.

The Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy Library encourages the use of digital tools that make your research easier. You can visit our webpage for more information.

If you think you do not know much about the use of digital tools, or if you want to receive training on our services, contact us. The library staff will organise training for you. The Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy library is keeping pace with contemporary approaches to knowledge organisation and is trying to apply them in its work.

# HOW TO ACCESS OUR COLLECTIONS?

Information on the library collection is available through the OPAC, as well as in the card catalogue at the Sarajevo Faculty of Philosophy Library Catalogue (Room 11).

Our library staff is available for all questions you may have regarding the search and use of our collection.

The part of the library collection that cannot to be taken out of the library facilities can be used in our reading room, where you can bring your own laptop and use free Wi-Fi

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# OFFICE FOR SUPPORT

# for Students with Special Needs

The primary activity of the Office is aimed at improving the availability of education, creating conditions for the fulfilment of needs, as well as the improvement of the experience of students with special needs

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In addition to the coordinator, volunteers also work in the office and their activities are closely connected to the activities of the faculty's Student Office.

# THE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

# of the Faculty of Philosophy

The Student Association of the Faculty of Philosophy (STAFF) represents the interests of all students and has different areas of activities

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Several clubs and sections exist within the association: Debate Club, Club of Translators, Club of Librarians, Philosophy Students' Club, Chair of Archaeology Students' Club, Club of Photography Enthusiasts, Chess Club, Filmophile and Drama Section.

The Student Association of the Faculty of Philosophy publishes the Slovo and the Desetka newsletters and the association is also an active organiser of various humanitarian activities.

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