

COURSE INFORMATION LETTER

University: P. J. Šafárik University in Košice	
Faculty: Faculty of Arts	
Course ID: KFaDF/ FIAJ/15	Course name: Philosophical Anthropology
Course type, scope and the method: Course type: Lecture / Practice Recommended course-load (hours): Per week: 2 / 1 Per study period: 28 / 14 Course method: present	
Number of ECTS credits: 5	
Recommended semester/trimester of the course: 1.	
Course level: II.	
Prerequisites:	
Conditions for course completion: Conditions for course completion: during the semester a student is continuously checked and assessed according to his/her activity. To be awarded the credits for the semester, a student must pass the test from basic knowledge obtained during seminars. Students must pass the test to be allowed to take a final written exam.	
Learning outcomes: Getting familiar with basic issues and terms of philosophical anthropology. Examination of main historical and contemporary philosophical and anthropological models. Critical analysis of the texts produced by the most important philosophers who dealt with the issues of philosophical anthropology.	
Brief outline of the course: 1. Philosophical anthropology. 2. What is a man? Who is a man? 3. Naturalism (nature) of a man as philosophical issue. 4. Freedom of a man as a way of human existence. 5. Life and death – fulfilment of human existence. 6. Love as an endless desire. 7. Principle of responsibility and man. 8. Dignity and human respect. 9. Suffering as a way of human existence. 10. Happiness of a man and methods of its searching. 11. The meaning of human life and forms of its fulfilment.	
Recommended literature: JASPERS, K.: Malá škola filozofického myslenia. Prel. P. Elexová. Bratislava: Kalligram 2002. CASSIRER, E.: Esej o človeku. Prel. F. Novosád. Bratislava. Pravda 1977. HORYNA, B.: Počátky filozofickej antropologie. Brno: Katedra filozofie FFMU 1999. MALÍK, B.: Úvod do antropológie. Bratislava: Iris 2008.	
Course language: Slovak language	
Notes:	

Course assessment					
Total number of assessed students: 30					
A	B	C	D	E	FX
53.33	20.0	16.67	3.33	6.67	0.0
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