Fire University of Warsaw, Poland Faculty of Security Engineering and Civil Protection Syllabus 2018 -

Crisis communication

profile	general academics
degree	first degree
programme	ERASMUS
semester	1
part time / full time	full time
ECTS	1
coordinator	st. bryg. dr hab. Izabella Grabowska-Lepczak

form of the activity: exercise

hours	15
prerequisites	no requirements
objectives	Social communication within the institution. Interpersonal communication in the work of a superior. Social communication as an important element of the relationship between an official and a client. The image of the institution in society. Public administration and the mass media. Developing skills: communicating with the external and internal environment; creating and transmitting information and selecting tools, means and techniques appropriate for the process of interpersonal and crisis communication, cooperation with the mass media.
methods	lecture, discussion
own work	literature analysis
basic literature	Crisis Communication in Organizations, http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/9781118955567.wbieoc050
supplementary literature	vol. 84(4)/2024, pp. 101–114 DOI:10.15804/athena.2024.84.06 I.Grabowska, J. Kielin, J. Grubicka, ANALYSIS OF IMPERFECTIONS IN RISK ASSESSMENT IN THE POLISH CRISIS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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