

Humanitarian aid

profile	general academics
degree	first degree
programme	ERASMUS
semester	1
part time / full time	full time
ECTS	2
coordinator	kpt. dr hab. (UFU) Oksana Telak

form of the activity: exercise

hours	15
prerequisites	General knowledge in the field of European integration as well as theories of security and domestic and EU internal security.
objectives	Understanding the substantive foundations of security theory; knowledge of the origins of European security and the history of its development; description and interpretation of phenomena accompanying national and European security, particularly regarding its conditions; familiarization with the analysis and assessment of causal processes occurring in the area of European security; understanding the role and importance of European and global organizations, as well as major powers, in maintaining world peace and security; perceiving optimal forms and methods of action for the development and maintenance of national and European security.
methods	Lecture with elements of discussion; exercises: expanding knowledge from lectures, case studies, academic discussion, presentation.
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Humanitarian aid organization in the European Union: Structures responsible for humanitarian aid in the European Commission Funding of humanitarian aid: Mechanisms for raising funds, consolidated humanitarian appeal process, 'flash appeals', Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF); Humanitarian actors: UN agencies and programs, non-governmental organizations in humanitarian aid.	6
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