



STUDY SUBJECT DESCRIPTION
GENERAL AND LAW PSYCHOLOGY

Title of Study Programme and Code	Type (compulsory/optional)	Cycle	Year of study when the component is delivered (if applicable)
Law	Obligatory	1 st	1 st
Semester/trimester when the component is delivered	Number of ECTS credits allocated	Language of instruction	Mode of delivery (face-to-face/e-learning/...)
	3 ECTS	LT, ENG, RU	Face - to - face, e-learning
Learning outcomes		Study methods	Assessment methods
After completion of the study subject, a student will be able:		Lecture, demonstration Literature study Situation analysis	Practical work Project work Public speaking
LO 1	To describe the factors that promote the application of psychology in law;		
LO 2	To explain the common patterns of various mental processes;	Reflections	Examination
LO 3	To analyse the influence of the situation and personality on individual behaviour;	Group work Individual and group work	
LO 4	To explain the factors influencing individual behaviour;	Experiential learning	
LO5	To understand the circumstances in which the court and other participants in the proceedings require special psychology knowledge;	Consultations	
LO6	To know the psychological aspects of perjury.		
Prerequisites(these courses must have successfully completed before s/he can take this course)			
Professional ethics, Fundamentals of legal theory			
Course content			
1. The science of psychology. The interaction between law and psychology in the study of problems of law application. 2. General patterns of mental activity. 3. Concept of personality. Psychological knowledge of personality. Psychology of personality traits. 4. Concept of the psychological trait of personality. 5. Stress. Psychological components and factors of stress. 6. Psychology of the witness. State of the art and problems in psychological research on eyewitness testimony. 7. Psychology of the jurors. 8. Application of specialised knowledge in establishing facts relevant to the case. 9. The impact of psychology and its application in law.			

Recommended or required reading and other learning resources/tools
1. N . Mc Willaims Psichoanalitinė psichodiagnostika. (2014). Vaistų žinios. 2. V. Legkauskas Socialinė psichologija. (2008) VAGA. 3. Jusienė R. Laurinavičius A. Psichologija. (2007). Vilnius. 4. Justickis V. Bendroji ir teisės psichologija. (2004). Vilnius. Mykolo Romerio universitetas. 5. Myers G.David. Socialinė psichologija.(2007) Kaunas: Poligrafija ir informatika. 6. Myers G.David. Psichologija. (2000). Kaunas: Poligrafija ir informatika. 7. Curt R. Bartol; Anne M. Bartol (2018) Psychology and Law. Research and Practice