Study programme: Bachelor with honours in Geography

Coursle title: Historical Demography

Teacher(s): dr Daniela Arsenović

Status: elective

ECTS: 6

Requirements: none

# Learning objectives

Main objective of the course is to make familiar student with historical data source, big theories of population, demographic transition theory: mortality and fertility, nuptiality and divorciality, as well as family and household structure in pre-industry society.

#### Learning outcomes

Outcomes of the course for students is to learn main historical data source related with population: defteri, chrysobulls (origin-hrisovulje, monastery records), libri status animarum, as well as parish register of marriages, birth and death

# **Syllabus**

### *Theoretical part:*

Theoretical approach to historical development of human Homo, development of big theories of population, historical data source about population and demographic transition of fertility, mortality, nuptiality, divorciality and family and houshold structure.

#### Practical part:

Practical instruction is realized through the analysis one of the historical data source. Students are obliged to do field work and gather and process data about from defteri, chrysobulls (origin-hrisovulje, monastery records), libri status animarum or parish register of marriages, birth and death.

#### Literature

Practical skills

Arsenović D., Đurđev B., Pajtić B., Marinković D., Ivanović Bibić Lj. (2015). Seasonality of Marriages in the Sajkaska Region (North Serbia), 1869 to 2011. Journal of Family History, 40 (4), 485-497.

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Đurđev S. B., Katić, V., Zarkov, D., (1992). Prevalence of the formal zadruga in the village of Vilovo, Vojvodina, Serbia. Journal of Family History 17, (3). 319-329.

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Weekly teaching load 3 (45)	Lectures 2	Exercises 1
Methods of Teaching		

# Grading method (maximu 100 points)

Lectures, Illustration and Demonstration

Pre-examination assignments	points	Final examination	points
Activities during lectures	0-5	Written examination	
Activities during exercises	0-5	Oral examination	30-45
Colloquia	20-40		
Seminar paper	0-5		