

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Code: 5DBG/HISKTD15**Course title:** Historical context of theology**Field of study:****Guarantor:** prof. ThDr. Ján Šafin, PhD.**Lectured by:** Department of Church history and Byzantine studies

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Semester:

WT, ST

Contact lessons: Lecture**Recommended course load (in lessons):****Weekly:** 2**Per course:** 26**Number of****ECTS credits:**

10

Prerequisite(s):**Course assessment and completion:** Exam**Continuous assessment:****Final assessment:**

The course is completed by an exam. During the exam period, the student takes an verbal exam.

Course objective:

The graduate of the course can:

- define and interpret in their own words the historical cross-section of Orthodox theology
- to orientate oneself in the main milestones of Christian history after the issuance of the Milan Edict after 313
- characterize the main Orthodox theological disciplines
- describe the main representatives of individual theological disciplines
- to discuss the irreplaceable role of Orthodox dogmatics and its historical path.

Course content:

The time of apostolic men. The period after the publication of the Edict of Milan in 313. The School of Antiochia and Alexandria. Formation of Orthodox dogmatics in the time of the seven ecumenical councils. Stabilization of Orthodox terminology and its use in Orthodox dogmatics. Solving various theological problems. Fathers of the Church and defense of Orthodox teaching from heretical currents. The Great Schism in 1054. Byzantine hesychastic theology. Union issues.

Textbooks and references:

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BELEJKANIČ, I., 1999. Unionizmus ako ekleziologický problém. Prešov: PBF PU v Prešove. ISBN 80-88722-83-7

DOSTÁLOVÁ, R., 2003. Byzantská vzdělanost. Praha: Vyšehrad. ISBN 80-7021-409-0.

SMIRNOV, E., 2007. Istorija christijanskoj cerkvi. Sergijev Posad: Svjato- Trojickaja Sergijeva Lavra. ISBN 978-5-90-3102-02-0

ŠAFIN, J., 2012. Spor o dedičstvo. Cyrilometodská misia medzi Východom a Západom. Košice: Menta Media. ISBN 978-80-89392-50-6.

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TALBERG, N., 2008. Istorija christijanskoj cerkvi. Moskva: Izdatel'stvo sretenskogo monastyrya. ISBN 978-5-7533-0164-2

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