# Information sheet for the course Current sub-cultures of Youth

University: Alexander Dubček University of Trenčín

**Faculty:** Department of Political Science

Course unit code: *PLTV14* Course unit title: *Current sub-cultures of Youth* 

**Type of course unit:** optional

## Planned types, learning activities and teaching methods:

Lecture: none

Seminar: 2 hours weekly/26 hours per semester of study; face to face

Number of credits: 2

**Recommended semester:** the  $4^{th}$  semester in the  $2^{nd}$  year (full-time)

the 6<sup>th</sup> semester in the 2<sup>nd</sup> year (part-time)

**Degree of study:** *II. (Master's)* 

**Course prerequisites:** none

#### **Assessment methods:**

A student gains assessment for fulfillment of partial tasks assigned by a supervisor of a final paper. He obligatorily attends lectures that are devoted to various themes pertinent to creating a final paper.

Assessments:

"A": 100-93 points; "B": 92-84 p; "C": 83-75 p; "D": 74-65 p; "E": 64-56 p; "FX": 55 p. and less.

## Learning outcomes of the course unit:

Students are familiar with actual subcultures of youth, their ideas, background, political behaving or verbal and non-verbal demonstrations. By completing the course a student is able to identify basic subcultures in the society and to anticipate their behavior in political actions.

#### **Course contents:**

- 1. Introduction to the course
- 2. Determining the concepts
- 3. Punk
- 4. Squat
- 5. Techno and dance subculture
- 6. Skinhead
- 7. Graphiti
- 8. Metal
- 9. Football hooliganism
- 10. Gothic and Emo
- 11. Hardcore
- 12. Colloquialism
- 13. Assessing the course

### **Recommended of required reading:**

HALL, S. – JEFFERSON, T.: Resistance Through Rituals: Youth Subcultures in Post-War Britain (Cultural Studies Birmingham) Paperback – December 17, 2006

GREENBERG A.: Youth Subcultures: Exploring Underground America (A Longman Topics

Reader) Paperback – October 30, 2006

FELDMAN, CH. J.: We are the Mods»: A Transnational History of a Youth Subculture (Mediated Youth) Paperback – August 29, 2009

HEBDIGE, D.: Subculture: The Meaning of Style (New Accents) Paperback – 1979

 $MUGGLETON,\,D.-WEINZIERL\colon\ The\ Post-Subcultures\ Reader.\ Bloomsbury\ Academic,\,2003$ 

GELDER, K. – THORNTON, S. (Eds.): The Subcultures Reader. London: Routledge. 1997.

CHERRY, E. (Ed.): Youth Subcultures: additional readings. 2005.

NILAN, P. AND FEIXA, C.: Global Youth? Hybrid Identities, Plural Worlds. 2006.

MAIRA and SOEP (Eds.): Youthscapes: The Popular, the National, the Global.

Language: English, Slovak

**Remarks:** The course is provided only in the case it is chosen by at least 16 students.

**Evaluation history:** 

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	A	В	С	D	E	FX	
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**Lecturers:** *PhDr. Marcel Lincényi, PhD., Mgr. Pavol Struhár* 

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