

SECURITY AND LEGAL SERVICES IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

DOCTORAL STUDY

Study programme:	Security and Legal Services in Public Administration
Field of study:	Security Sciences
Degree of study:	3rd
Form of study:	Part-time
Length of study:	Four academic years
Number of credits to graduate:	180 credits
Academic degree:	philosophiae doctor (PhD.)

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DESCRIPTION OF THE GRADUATE'S PROFILE

General characteristics

Graduates of the study programme have extensive, complex knowledge for independent scientific and creative activity in the field of legal and security services in public administration. Graduates shall be able to apply scientific research methods, formulate scientific problems and present the results of their research in the field of security and legal services in public administration.

They obtain new scientific knowledge and can apply new multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary complex approaches to addressing issues of legal and administrative process within the protection of persons and property. In relation to the current security needs, they are able to individually conduct a complex security research of the administrative and security situation and propose optimal methods to address the detected negative phenomena.

They are able to apply effectively a systemic approach when applying the results of theoretical and empirical research methods in administrative and security theory and in the professional activity of the public and administrative entities.

Based on the methods of scientific knowledge, they can analyse the security and administrative

situation and propose conceptual measures to ensure optimally the legal and administrative protection of persons and property. Graduates are characterised by critical and independent thinking.

Theoretical knowledge

The graduate of the study programme:

- applies the methods of scientific work, its legal, professional and ethical principles when addressing the issues in the field of security and legal services in public administration,
- has sufficient scientific knowledge with a focus on research into administrative and security situations, causes and conditions of such situations, control of crises and the application of the results in the field of administrative and security protection of persons and property,
- can correctly apply the methods of system analysis, operational planning and specific information systems for the management of entities of security public administration services.
- has a practical grasp of research methods for the evaluation of the current administrative and security situation, the state of crises and the forecasts of their development,
- can choose new working procedures for the development of legislative standards for the establishment and determination of the scope of specific organizational structures in the system of security public administration services as well as in the concepts of their development in the Slovak Republic, while respecting the requirements of their compatibility with foreign security services.

Practical skills and abilities

The graduate of the study programme:

- can formulate scientific problems and hypotheses and implement specific research methods and techniques, conduct empirical research and manage the activities of a research team focused on research in the field of administrative and security situation,
- can implement new working procedures, specify, propose and apply complex solutions in the system of legal, security and administrative services on the basis of the conclusions from the research activity,
- has a practical grasp of research methods and uses these methods to seek new complex solutions in the field of security and administrative protection of persons and property.

Competence

The graduate of the study programme:

- is able to determine the focus of the research and coordinate the team applying modern procedures, psychological and social procedures, technologically qualitative and economically efficient management practices,
- can individually present the results of the research in the field of processes and activities within the system of security and public administration services in an

international context and propose measures to harmonize the legal standards of the Slovak Republic with international legislation.

Additional knowledge, abilities and skills

The graduate of the study programme:

- independently develops research projects in the field of processes and activities implemented by the entities of security and legal services in public administration,
- is employed in the education and examination of professional competence for the performance of work in the field of security and legal services in public administration.

EMPLOYABILITY OF GRADUATES

Managerial staff at the level of central and local state government and local self-government and specialised departments, specifically in the fire protection, civil protection, defence and crisis management sections. Research or analytical and conceptual officer in the field of security and legal services operating in public administration. University teacher in the study field of Security Sciences or related fields.