



## **SOUTHWEST UNIVERSITY "NEOPHYT RILSKI"**

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### **FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH, HEALTH CARE AND SPORTS**

#### **Department of Medical and Social Sciences**

##### **INFORMATION PACKAGE**

**PROFESSIONAL DIRECTION:** 3.4. SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

**EDUCATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC DEGREE:** DOCTOR

**DOCTORAL PROGRAM:** ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

**PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION:** DOCTOR IN ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

**FORM OF TRAINING:** FULL-TIME/PART-TIME/FREE

**LANGUAGE OF TEACHING:** Bulgarian / English

##### **A notation**

The Doctor's program "Organization and Management of Social activities" aims to provide broad interdisciplinary training, combining knowledge, skills and competencies in the field of social activities in accordance with contemporary trends in this field on a European and global scale. In addition, successful graduates this one program will possess knowledge and skills for independent formulation of a research problem, in-depth critical analysis of the relevant literature, conducting theoretical, experimental and applied studies research, for future scientific and academic realization, as well as for practicing the profession in accordance with the latest guidelines and standards in the field.

##### **Areas of professional development:**

In the process of his training and research activity the doctoral student in a professional field 3.4. Social activities are being prepared for:

Independent scientific research activity in the field of contemporary theoretical and practical context of social activities;

Research and teaching work in the higher education institutions where they are carried out research and are preparing specialists in the field of social activities;

Management activity in the social sphere in positions that require the relevant level of professional qualification;

Expert activity in positions involving solving research and practical tasks in the state, non-governmental and private sectors; etc.



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### Curriculum

No.	NAME OF ACTIVITIES	FORM OF RECOGNITION	ECTS CREDITS
<b>I.</b>	<b>EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY</b>		
1 .	Research methodology and methodology	Exam	5.0
2 .	Mandatory discipline on the topic of the dissertation	Exam	5.0
3 .	Project preparation and management	Exam	2.0
4 .	Statistical procedures for social work research	Exam	3.0
5.	English language	Exam	2.0
6.	Elective discipline	Exam	3.0
	<b>TOTAL :</b>		<b>20.0</b>
<b>II.</b>	<b>RESEARCH ACTIVITY</b>		
1.	Defining the research problem and developing a concept for a doctoral dissertation	Consultations and self-study	<b>10.0</b>
2.	Research and referencing of specialized literature	Consultations and self-study	<b>5.0</b>
3.	Development and presentation of a theoretical part	Consultations and self-study	<b>20.0</b>
4.	Presentation of the concept and research tools	Consultations and self-study	<b>20.0</b>
5.	Research activity – preparation and implementation of empirical research	Consultations and self-study	<b>50.0</b>
6.	Attendance and participation in course work (seminars, tutorials, etc.)	Consultations and self-study	<b>10.0</b>
7.	Participation in scientific forums - national and/or international	Consultations and self-study	<b>10.0</b>
8.	Preparation of an article/articles on the topic of the dissertation	Consultations and self-study	<b>15.0</b>
	<b>TOTAL :</b>		<b>140.0</b>
<b>III.</b>	<b>PEDAGOGICAL ACTIVITY</b>		



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		<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<b>IV.</b>	<b>OTHERS</b>		
	Participation in Department councils and activities organized by the Department of Medical Social Sciences		10.0
		<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>10.0</b>
	<b>TOTAL (for the entire duration of the training) :</b>		<b>180.0</b>
<b>V.</b>	<b>ELECTIVE DISCIPLINES</b>		
	Moral and ethical foundations of social work	Exam	<b>3.0</b>
	Supervision in social work	Exam	<b>3.0</b>
	Violence prevention	Exam	<b>3.0</b>
	Comprehensive rehabilitation	Exam	<b>3.0</b>
	Quality and effectiveness of health and social activities in community-based social services	Exam	<b>3.0</b>
	Social work with families	Exam	<b>3.0</b>