

DOCTORAL SUBJECT SUB-UNIT

Subject name	Field of study (branch) code	Faculty	Department
Historical Regions of Europe and Lithuania	History and Archaeology H 005	Faculty of History	Department of Theory of History and History of Culture

Mode of study	Number of credits ECTS	Mode of study	Number of credits ECTS
lectures		consultations	2
individual	3	seminars	2,5

Total 7,5

Subject annotation
<p><i>Historical Regions of Europe and Lithuania</i> course introduces classical and contemporary concepts of European regional studies and analyses the perspectives of regional studies in Lithuanian historiography. A regional research approach based on a comparative research method could, on the one hand, provide a more integral (in the sense of context) view of Lithuanian history, and, on the other hand, would help to renew the historiography itself, allowing it to go beyond the format of national research. The course discusses the key concepts and theories used to construct spatial and temporal models of European regions. Among the European regions, the focus is on the concepts of Central Europe as a peripheral part of Western Europe and its eastern part (Central Eastern Europe). In this context, Lithuania's search for a regional identity is also analyzed. The specificity of Lithuania is explained by its peripheral position. Research on the historical regions of Europe is a fertile area for interdisciplinary dialogue, which could become another impulse for the methodological and thematic renewal of Lithuanian historiography.</p> <p>The course discusses the key concepts and theories used to construct spatial and temporal models of European regions. Among the European regions, the focus is on the concepts of Central Europe as a peripheral part of Western Europe and its Eastern part (Central Eastern Europe). In this context, the course also discusses Lithuania's search for a regional identity. The specificity of Lithuania is explained by its peripheral position. Research on the historical regions of Europe is a fertile area for interdisciplinary dialogue, which could become another impulse for the methodological and thematic renewal of Lithuanian historiography.</p>
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Supervising lecturers' names and surnames	Academic degree	Major works in the field (branch) published in the recent 5 years
Alfredas Bumblauskas	Dr. (HP), Professor	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Alma Mater Vilnensis: Vilniaus universiteto turtai istorijos skersvėjuose (XVI-XXI amžiai)</i>: kolektyvinė monografija Vytautas Bronius Pšibilskis (atsakomasis redaktorius). Vilnius: VU 1-kla, 2016. 883p. 2. <i>Būtovės slėpiniai</i>. [T.] 2: <i>Užmiršta Lietuva</i> / Alfredas Bumblauskas, Edvardas Gudavičius; sudarė Aurimas Švedas. – Vilnius: Alma littera, 2016. 560 p. 3. <i>Būtovės slėpiniai</i>. [T.] 3, <i>Lietuvos vartai į jūrą</i> / Alfredas Bumblauskas, Edvardas Gudavičius; sudarė Aurimas Švedas; fotografijų autorius Algimantas Aleksandravičius. – Vilnius: Alma littera, 2017. 359 p. 4. <i>Lietuvos istorija: paaugusių žmonių knyga</i>. I dalis / Alfredas Bumblauskas, Mangirdas Bumblauskas. – Vilnius: "Baltų lankų" vadovėliai, 2017. 280 p., II dalis, ibid., 2020, 223 p. 5. <i>Lietuvos istorija kiekvienam</i> / A. Bumblauskas, A. Eidintas, A. Kulakauskas, M. Tamošaitis.; sudarytojas ir dalykinis redaktorius Alfonsas Eidintas. – Vilnius: Mokslo ir enciklopedijų leidybos centras,

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