History of Ethnical Diaspora of Ukraine

Time of Delivery: Fall 2017

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Course Level: undergraduate, second year of study

Type of Course: Lectures+Seminars

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Office Hours: 32 hours of lectures, 16 hours of seminars, 72 hours of individual work.

Course Description: "History of Ethnic Diaspora of Ukraine" is one of the special disciplines for students of the specialty "History", the purpose of which is to formulate scientific ideas about the nature and essence of migrations and diaspora formed as a result of them. The objective of the course is to master students with concepts that reveal the essence of modern interethnic interactions in Ukrainian territories. In addition, students should get a systematic idea of the place of ethnic diaspora in Ukraine, in the socio-political, economic and cultural life of the state.

Course Objectives:

As a result of studying the discipline, the expert should know: 1. the basic concepts that reveal the essence of migration processes and interethnic interactions, 2. have systemic notions about the ethno-national composition of the population of Ukraine, 3. the main historical milestones in the formation of the most numerous ethnic diaspora of the state, 4. modern points of contact and conflicts in the framework of interethnic relations, 5. public and cultural activities of ethnic communities.

Required Readings:


**Recommended Readings:**


2. Магочій П. Р., Петровський-Штерн Й. Євреї та українці: тисячоліття співіснування. - Ужгород, 2016. - с. 311. (Magochiy P.R., Petrovsky-Stern J. Jews and Ukrainians: Millennium of Co-existence)


5. Щупак І. Євреї в Україні. Вопросы истории и религии с древнейших времен до Холокоста. - Д., 2015. - 151 с. (Shchupak I. Jews in Ukraine. Questions of history and religion from the earliest times to the Holocaust)

**Weekly Topics:**

- **Week#1-2:** Introduction. The purpose and objectives of the course, determining its place in the system of historical knowledge. – 4 hours

- **Week#3-4:** The concept of "migration". Classification of Migrations. The most massive resettlement in Ukraine and in the world. – 4 hours

- **Week#5-6:** Approaches to the definition of the term "diaspora". Classification of Diaspora. Diaspora as an intermediary in the relationship between the exit country and the host country. – 4 hours

- **Week#7:** Ethnonational composition of Ukraine. The main milestones in its formation. – 2 hours

- **Week #8:** Modern ethnic phobias and their manifestations on the territory of Ukraine. Antisemitism. Rumophobia. – 2 hours

- **Week#9:** Bulgarian diaspora in Ukraine. – 2 hours
Week#10: Armenian Diaspora in Ukraine. Georgian Diaspora in Ukraine. – 2 hours
Week#11: Jews and Ukrainians - 2000 years of cohabitation. – 2 hours
Week# 12: Jewish diaspora of the city of Dnipro. – 2 hours
Week# 13: Crimean Tatars in Ukraine. – 2 hours
Week#14: German Diaspora in Ukraine. – 2 hours
Week#15: Poles in Ukraine and in our region: the history of diaspora formation. – 2 hours
Week#16: Roma World and Ukraine. – 2 hours

Topics for Seminars:
1. Ethno-stereotypes and their nature.- 2 hours
2. Identities and values in the modern world. - 2 hours
3. Jewish national holidays. - 2 hours
4. Babi Yar tragedy: perception in the Ukrainian and Jewish community. - 2 hours
5. German Studies at Dnipropetrovsk National University. - 2 hours
6. Deportation of the Crimean Tatar people May 18, 1944: event and its reception. - 2 hours
7. Polish sights of our region. - 2 hours
8. Roma community of Ukraine: stereotypes and their deconstruction. - 2 hours

Topics for Individual Work:
Analysis of ethnic composition of the population of Ukraine in the 2001 census – 24 hours
Ethnic communities of the city of Dnipro – 48 hours

Assessment and Evaluation:
Type of Control: Exam
Admission to the Exam: 60%  
- 8 seminars*5 % = 40%  
- Test on the topics for individual work = 20%
Final Exam Work: 40 %

Statement of Relevant University Policy:
Students can get admission for exam only if they visited 60% of lectures and passed 60% of seminars.

Students must get 60% mark to get credits for this subject.

They have 3 attempts to pass final exam work.

**Professor’s Policy:**

Students have penalties for late passing of test and seminars: - 1% for one week late without a valid reason.