

Security and Legal Protection of Persons and Property

MASTER'S STUDY PROGRAMME

Name of the study programme: Security and Legal Protection of Persons and Property - conversion

Field of study: 9205T00 Safety and security sciences

Degree of study: 2nd

Form of study: part-time

Standard duration of study: 4 academic years

Number of credits to graduate: 183 credits

Academic degree awarded upon completion of the study: Master (Mgr.)

Guarantor of the study programme:

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Description of the graduate's profile

General characteristics

The graduate in the study programme

- has got extensive knowledge of theory and application of law in performance of tasks in the field of protection of persons and property.
- has mastered the system and methodology of creation of conceptions of security services activities, and has the knowledge about creation of organisational structures, methods and forms of work corresponding with the prognoses of security situation.
- is able, based on their acquired knowledge, practical skills and intellectual capabilities, to independently suggest and implement comprehensive measures for setting up systems aimed at ensuring protection of persons and property.
- can analyse the security situation and independently bring forward conception proposals for the appropriate response, can manage teams of officers, promote cooperation and coordinate activities with other entities, command security operations and take on the responsibility for the rightness of response to the particular security situation. They can apply their knowledge in the field of international cooperation.

The graduate will acquire the theoretical knowledge and skills which allow them to continue their study at the third level of university education.

Theoretical knowledge

The graduate in the study programme

- will accumulate comprehensive knowledge of application of legal norms in the management of activities related to detection, recording and investigation of illegal activities,
- will adopt scientific and theoretical approaches of independent, creative and comprehensive interpretation of phenomena and processes in the field of protection of persons and property necessary for carrying out the analysis of issues, creation and implementation of policy objectives and projects of security services activities, and will acquire the knowledge enabling them to establish internal standards,
- will embrace the scientific approaches which are applied in the analysis of crime, in revealing of its causes and conditions, the personality of a perpetrator and the victims, as well as in taking preventive measures,
- will gain the knowledge of effective management of activities of individuals, expert teams and systems.

Practical skills and abilities

The graduate in the study programme will acquire the ability

- to analyse and understand the phenomena and processes affecting the activity of security systems and services and specify, to come up with and implement comprehensive solutions of security and legal protection of persons and property,
- to focus their attention on critical tasks, crisis management, to identify, analyse and assess the associated security risks and threats,
- to predict events, regulate their own behaviour and actions in conditions of stressful situations, and manage the processes of changes in security systems,
- to approach the work with information, its gathering, processing and analysis systematically while using modern information technologies.

Additional knowledge, abilities and skills

The graduate in the study programme can

- work independently in professional, specialised teams at the middle and higher levels of management and to manage the team effectively,
- organize cooperation with authorities of state administration, self-government and other entities, present specialised issues in order to ensure the protection of persons and property effectively,
- carry out their professional activity in compliance with legal and ethical standards and ensure their consistent adherence to the working environment,
- notice trends in their field of expertise, put them into practice creatively, broaden their knowledge and develop their expertise.

Prospects of the graduate

A senior officer at the middle and higher level of management in state and non-state security services and organizations which perform specialized security activities in the field of protection of persons and property. An independent officer - a specialist in comprehensive assessment of systems of protection of persons and property within the police and security services.

