## SPECIALIZED STUDIES

### MUSIC THEORY

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### Entry requirements

Completed undergraduate studies with bachelor (240 ECTS) and master's (60 ECTS) academic degrees and an approved entrance exam.

### Objectives

Objectives of specialized studies program in Music Theory derive from its aims, designed for qualifying professionals who could successfully put the knowledge acquired at the previous study cycles to practice in particular problem area of a specific field of interest, who have high ability for making and correlating research- and analysis-based knowledge and insights. Through lectures, individual and supervised work students gain knowledge from a specific field of music theory and pedagogy of music theory, along with competencies for solving complex problems in these disciplines. The objectives of the study program confer to the main aims and objectives of Faculty of music, defined under the longstanding tradition in music theory education.
Structure

Specialized Studies Program in Music Theory pertains to the humanities, field of music and music research, and it contains all the elements defined by the Law.

Specialized Studies in Music Theory are designed to enable in depth knowledge and understanding of this field of research, thus empowering students with heightened capability of interlinking knowledge in solving complex problems, as well as heightened creativity and freedom in research. This study program can enter candidates with a master's degree (300 ECTS) with 8 as a minimum average grade and at least 9 at the final thesis or corresponding undergraduate studies valid until the Law on Higher Education, with the average grade of least 8 and 9 on the final graduate thesis. More on the application process is defined by the Faculty of Music’s Statute, as well as by Policies and Regulations on the entrance exam and ranking.

Transfer to this study program from specialized studies in related study fields in course of one academic year is not allowed. Transfer from the same study program from different faculty is not allowed.

The aim of specialized studies program in Music Theory is strengthen and upgrade personal competencies in individual research, as well as competencies for teaching in music-oriented schools at secondary educational level.

Duration of the specialized study program in Music Theory is one year (2 semesters) structured in the scope of 60 ECTS. All courses (compulsory and elective) last one semester with individually defined credit value in accordance with the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS), with 1 credit approximately amounting to 30 work hours of overall student activity. In compliance with positive practice in specialized studies in arts in Europe, approximately 50% of credits acquired through the studies pertain to the major. Program requirements of the major are strictly defined, with individual work programs openly formed in accordance with interests and previous results of each students, making it significantly different from the master's study in form and content.

Study program courses are grouped in research-vocational (48 ECTS) and theoretical-methodological (12 ECTS) oriented. The electives and individual research load 20 ECTS (33,33%) each.

The specialized study program in Music Theory offers two modules with 4 electives in each and total of 20 ECTS (33,33%), with the freedom of choice also reflected in freedom of choice in subject matter of the final specialist thesis. In compliance with positive practice in specialized studies in Europe, about 50% of credits pertain to the vocational-oriented courses (Individual research and Specialist thesis).

The final part of specialized study program in Music Theory is the defence of the final specialist thesis upon which candidates obtain the title Specialist in Arts (Sp.A) – Music Theory.

Upon completion of the specialized study program in Music Theory student gains competencies for individual research, pedagogical work in music and general high schools, culture institutions, as well as possibility for continuation of studies at the third study cycle – doctoral studies. By one-year specialized study program students are also competent, through putting to practice knowledge and skills, for working in the field of pedagogy as well as music research. With this study program the Faculty encourages increasing number of candidates wishing for additional enhancing and profiling through life-long continual education.

Aims

Upon completion of the specialized study program in Music Theory student gains competencies for individual research, pedagogical work in music and general high schools, culture institutions, as well as possibility for continuation of studies at the third study cycle – doctoral studies. Outcomes include developed competencies in enhancement, research and professional fulfilment in the chosen problem area in music theory.
Program objectives derive from the aim and are, therefore directed to the formation of the professionals who would knowledge acquired at previous levels of studies successfully put to practice in particular problem area and who will have high capacities in interlinking knowledge and conclusions based on the research and analysis. Through lectures, supervised and individual work students gain knowledge, depending on the chosen module, from a particular field of music theory, along with competencies for complex problem solving in the stated field.

Specialized studies are the most practically orientated level of studies, focused on the problems and situations especially relevant for the music theory teachers’ practice, compared to the intentionally research-oriented doctoral studies. Thus, competencies acquired through specialized studies represent significant contribution to the professional enhancement of teaching staff, also responding to the societal needs. At the same time, academic-theoretical component of the specialized study program offers knowledge that could represent an important basis for the further research at the doctoral level of studies.

Specialized study program in Music Theory incorporates in depth knowledge and understanding of music theory, connecting and putting to practice knowledge from various pedagogical fields, solving problems in teaching practices by application of innovative research methods and techniques, development of skills and competencies in practical application of music theory and music pedagogy knowledge, competencies in structuring music theory classes and curriculum.

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Competencies

- Mastering research methods, practices and processes in teaching.
- In depth knowledge and understanding of music theory connecting and putting to practice knowledge from various pedagogical fields, solving problems in teaching practices by application of innovative research methods and techniques, development of skills and competencies in practical application of music theory and music pedagogy knowledge, competencies in structuring music theory classes and curriculum.
– Generic competencies in development of critical and self-critical thinking and putting to practice acquired knowledge.
– Candidates at the Music Theory study program acquire knowledge and competencies for educational work in preschools, elementary and high general and music schools.

**Curriculum**

Curriculum of Specialized Study Program in Music Theory is created to comply with the specific objectives. The structure of the study program loads about 30% ECTS of elective courses. Electiveness is also expressed by the choice of subject of the specialist thesis.

In compliance with positive practice in specialized studies in arts in Europe, approximately 50% of credits acquired through the studies pertain to the courses grouped as research-oriented and vocational. Curriculum incorporates specialist thesis.

All courses load individually defined credit value in accordance with the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS), with 1 credit approximately amounting to 30 work hours of overall student activity. Curriculum is formed so that knowledge necessary for further courses in obtained on the previous ones.

Each of the courses is defined in curriculum by its name, type, year and semester of study, number of ECTS credits, teacher, aims and objectives, knowledge and competences, prerequisites, content, recommended literature, teaching methods, evaluation and grading system and other.

Study program confers to the European standards related to the entry requirements, study length, transfer to the subsequent year of study, obtaining of the degree and type of study.

Classes of the major are held in groups, but with highly emphasized individual approach to each student.

**List of courses**

**Theoretical-methodological courses**
Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 1
Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 2
Musical development – a backbone of analysis of music symmetry 1
Musical development – a backbone of analysis of music symmetry 2
Strategies of musical style 1
Strategies of musical style 2

**Music research and vocational courses**
Analysis of atonal music 1
Analysis of atonal music 2
Applied music aesthetics 2
Applied music aesthetics1
Individual research
Specialist thesis
Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 1
Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 2

**Elective courses**
Analysis of atonal music 1
Musical development – a backbone of analysis of music symmetry 1
Strategies of musical style 1
Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 1
Applied music aesthetics 1
Analysis of atonal music 2
Musical development – a backbone of analysis of music symmetry 2
Strategies of musical style 2
Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 2
Applied music aesthetics 2

**Outline**

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**Number of classes and ECTS on the study program in total**

* S- Semester
Active training classes: L – Lectures, P – Practice, AC – Additional classes, IW – Individual work
Status: RV – Music research and vocational, TM - Theoretical-methodological
Types: C – Compulsory, E – Elective, GC – compulsory classes in groups

**Admission**

Call for admission to the Specialized study program in Music Theory is of a public and lawful character, with the entrance exam managed by Entrance Exam Committee, named by the Faculty of Music Academic Council.

Admission requirements:

- Completed Bachelor and Master’s studies in Music Theory with 300 ECTS and average grade of at least 8 (eight) on the studies and at least 9 (nine) in final (master) thesis; or
- Completed undergraduate studies upon the Law on Higher Education valid until September 10th 2005, with at least 8 (eight) on the studies and at least 9 (nine) in final/graduation thesis
- Approved entrance exam in compliance with Faculty of music’s Policies and Regulations for entrance exams and ranking.

Entrance exam requirements:

- Submitted dissertation complying in scope and content to the final thesis at Master study program in Music Theory, or graduation dissertation in music theory obtained at the (former) Department for general music pedagogy
- Written essay on the set theoretical-analytical topic.
- Interview with the candidate incorporating defence of the written essay, questions regarding the submitted dissertation, evaluation of basic knowledge in Tendencies and methods in music theory
and analysis from undergraduate study programs in Music Theory and interview with the candidate regarding his interests and plans for future research.

Specialized studies are open to all graduate students of Faculty of music under the same conditions.

Specialized studies are open to graduate students of other music academies and faculties under the same conditions, provided that their curriculum complies with that of the Faculty of music in at least 80%. On the contrary, Entrance Committee can set the additional entry requirements.

**Entrance exam**

Terms & Conditions for entering the Doctoral studies are set by the Law on Higher Education, University of Arts in Belgrade and Faculty of Music Statutes, along with the Rules & Regulations for entrance exams and ranking.

*Entrance exams to the study program of Composition is consisted of the following:*

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- Written essay on the set theoretical-analytical topic;
- Interview with the candidate incorporating defence of the written essay, questions regarding the submitted dissertation, and candidate's interests and plans for future research;
- Evaluation of basic knowledge in Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis from undergraduate study programs in Music Theory.

**Student evaluation and progress**

The final grade achieved at each of the program courses is formed by continual following of student's work and achievements through the academic year as well as at the final examination. A student masters the study program by passing the exams thus acquiring the compulsory number of ECTS précised by the study program. Each course of the program amounts to the certain number of credits the student acquires by successfully passing the exam.

The number of credits is defined by the course workload. Student progress is followed continually throughout the course and quantified by number of points. The maximum number of points per course is 100. Points can be acquired by active participation in classes, completion of exam prerequisites and the exam itself. Minimum number of points a student can get by completion of exam prerequisites in classes is 30, and maximum 70. Each course of the study program has its clear and coherent procedure for credit/points acquirement, which includes the number of credits/points acquired based on the each particular activity during the course or by exam prerequisites and passing the exam itself. The overall successfulness is expressed by grade ranging from 5 (failure) to 10 (excellent). The grade is based on the total of points a student acquired by exam prerequisites and the exam itself, according to the quality of obtained knowledge and skills.

The evaluation system at the Faculty of Music is defined by Policies and regulations for examination and grading procedures.
List of courses

1. SHAA1 Analysis of atonal music 1
2. SHAA2 Analysis of atonal music 2
3. SGPS1 Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 1
4. SGPS2 Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 2
5. SGPE1 Applied music aesthetics 1
6. SGPE2 Applied music aesthetics 2
7. SHIS1 Musical flow as the basis of symmetry analysis 1
8. SHIS2 Musical flow as the basis of symmetry analysis 2
9. SHSI1 Research study 1
10. SHSI2 Research study 2
11. SHSR1 Specialist thesis
12. SHAS1 Strategies of musical style 1
13. SHAS2 Strategies of musical style 2
14. SHPM1 Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 1
15. SHPM2 Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 2
Study program: Specialized academic studies, Music Theory

Course title: MUHAA1 - Analysis of atonal music 1, SHAA1 - Analysis of atonal music 1, SUHAA1 - Analysis of atonal music 1, DHAA1 - Analysis of atonal music 1, DUHAA1 - Analysis of atonal music 1

Teachers: Zatkalik J. Miloš, full professor

Assistants: ---

Course status: elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Requirements: None

Course objectives:
Mastering strategies of analysis of atonal music, especially in the domain of organization of tonal heights.

Course outcomes:
At the end of the course students should:
• Master the techniques of the theory of sets
• Being able to logically and musically apply the theory of sets in the given compositions
• Understand the relationship between the music surface and the depth structure
• Develop the ability to critically assess the range of the analytical method

Course content:
Issues of organizing musical flow in conditions of weakening and disappearing functional tonality. Motivational relations as a generator of melodic and harmonic movements
The concept of deep structure in tonal and atonal music.
The theory of sets. Purpose and reasons of origin.
Formal implications. Connected form.
Further development of the theory of sets (set genera)
Domains and limitations of the theory of sets. Possibilities of combining analysis of sets with other methods.
Attempts to spread the application of theory of sets on the domain of rhythm, metric, melodic contours.

Examination: analysis (excerpt) of the composition of the nonserial atonal repertoire using the theory of sets. The answer to the theoretical question.

Literature:

No. of active teaching classes:
Lectures: 2  Practice: 0

Teaching methods:
Lectures, individul work, discussions.
Lectures: collective teaching, group size up to 300

Grading (max. no. of points 100):
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Study program: Specialized academic studies, Music Theory

Course title: MUHAA2 - Analysis of atonal music 2, SHAA2 - Analysis of atonal music 2, SUHAA2 - Analysis of atonal music 2, DHAA2 - Analysis of atonal music 2, DUHAA2 - Analysis of atonal music 2

Teachers: Zatkalik J. Miloš, full professor

Assistants: --

Course status: elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Requirements: None

Course objectives:
Introduction to more complex strategies of analysis of atonal music, especially in the field of tonal heights organization

Course outcomes:
At the end of the course students should:
• Master concepts and techniques of prolongation
• Being able to logically and musically apply prolongation analysis in the given compositions
• Improve the ability to critically assess the scope of the analytical method and the possibility of combining different analytical approaches.
• Get an idea of the historical, psychological and ideological basis of prolongation analysis.

Course content:
The concept of structural layers and prolongation. Repetitium of Schenker's theory. Post-Schenkerian tendencies.
Joseph Stross and conditions of prolongation.
Prolongation analysis by Edward Pearsall and Charles Morrison.
Prolongation theory of Oli Väisälä.
Exam: discussion of analytical and theoretical aspects processed in the seminar work.

Literature:

No. of active teaching classes:
Lectures:2
Practice:0

Teaching methods:
Lectures, individual work, discussions.
Lectures: collective teaching, group size up to 300

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Study program: Specialized academic studies, Music Theory

Course: SGPS1 – Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 1, SUGPS1 – Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 1

Teachers: Nikolić D. Sanela, Assistant Professor

Assistants: ---

Course status: elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Prerequisites: No special prerequisites

Course objective:
The objective of the course is to introduce Ph.D. and Specialized students with research work on analysis, interpretation and discussion of disciplinary and interdisciplinary aesthetic, poetic and stylistic approaches to contemporary music.

Course outcomes:
Student acquire knowledge and methods of analyzing the discourse of aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music.

Course content:
1) About the concept of contemporary music and contemporary art;
2) Possible approaches to contemporary music: aesthetics, poetics, and stylistic;
3) Ontology of music: the problem of defining a work of music (Roman Ingarden, Vladimir Jankélévitch, and Ivan Fohrt);
4-5) Analytic aesthetics, pragmatism and music (Roger Scruton, Peter Kivy, Stephen Davies, Jenifer Robinson);
6-7) Structuralism, Poststructuralism and music (Claude Lévi-Strauss, Umberto Eco, Jan-Jacques Nattiez);
8) Postsemiology and music; theories of body (Roland Barthes);
9) Psychoanalysis, politics and music (Jacques Lacan, Slavoj Žižek, Mladen Dolar);
10) Theories of event, affect and music (Gilles Deleuze, Félix Guattari, Brian Massumi);
11-12) Poetic questions about music (Éric Satie, John Cage, Karlheinz Stockhausen, Pierre Boulez);
14) Homework – presentation of written critical and theoretical text on relevant topics
15) Colloquium – a written test of 10 questions related to the previously discussed topics
Final exam – oral test of knowledge: presentation and argumentation of text written during the course

Literature:

No. of active teaching classes: Lectures: 2 Practical work: 0

Teaching methods:
Lectures, text analysis and research with homework assignments.
Lectures: collective teaching, group size up to 50

Grading (max. no. of points 100):

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Specialized academic studies, Music Theory

### Course:
**SGPS2 – Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 2.**
**SUGPS2 – Aesthetics, poetics and stylistics of contemporary music 2**

### Teachers:
Nikolić D. Sanela, assistant professor

### Assistsants:
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### Course status:
elective

### Number of ECTS:
5

### Prerequisites:
None

### Course objective:
The objective of the course is interdisciplinary studying of the relation between theoretical, scientific and philosophical discussions on modern, postmodern and contemporary music.

### Course outcomes:
Students acquire knowledge and learn the methods of interpreting modern, postmodern and contemporary music, based on philosophy, aesthetics, humanities and art sciences.

### Course content:
1) Modern aesthetics of music (analytical and synthetic knowledge of music);

2-3) Phenomenology, ontology and hermeneutics of music;

4-5) Aesthetics of music and Marxism (realism, the philosophy of hope, critical theory, ideology and political economy);

6-7) Analytic aesthetics and music (conceptual analysis, theories of meaning, performative, 'the art world', institutional theory);

8-9) Structuralism and music (structural analysis, theory of communication, mythology, rhetoric, semiotics, semiology);

10-12) Poststructuralism and music (postsemiology, discursive analysis, intertextuality, deconstruction, theoretical psychoanalysis);

13-15) Music and new materialism (Deleuze and Guattari about music, phenomenology of the new media, biopolitics, new materialism);

Homework – presentation of written critical and theoretical text on relevant topics

Colloquium – a written test of 10 questions related to the previously discussed topics

Final exam – oral test of knowledge: presentation and argumentation of text written during the course

### Literature:

2. Miško Šuvaković, Aleš Erjavec (eds), Figure u pokretu – Savremena zapadna estetika, filozofija i teorija umetnosti, Atoča, Beograd, 2009.


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### Teaching methods:
Lectures, text analysis and research with homework assignments.

Lectures: collective teaching, group size up to 50

### Grading (max. no. of points 100):

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**Study program:** Specialized academic studies, Music Theory

**Course:** SGPE1 – **Applied Aesthetics 1**, DGPE1 – Applied Aesthetics 1, DUGPE1 – Applied Aesthetics 1

**Teachers:** Šuvaković P. Miodrag, full professor; Dedić R. Nikola, associate professor; Nikolić D. Sanela, assistant professor

**Assistants:** ---

**Course status:** compulsory, elective

**Number of ECTS:** 5

**Prerequisites:** No special conditions

**Course objective:**
The objective of the course is to introduce Ph.D. students with research work on analysis, interpretation and discussion of disciplinary, interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary studies of art through comparative research of general theory of art, applied aesthetics, philosophy of art and art sciences.

**Course outcomes:**
Students acquire knowledge and learn about methods of disciplinary, interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary studies of art.

**Course content:**
1) Theories of art and culture;
2) Theories about creation of art;
3-4) Poetic theories about presentation, expression, performance, production, post-production and research in arts;
5-6) Theories about modern, postmodern, and contemporary art;
7) Interdisciplinarity and transdisciplinarity of contemporary art;
8) The role of the media in the arts: media, multimedia and post-media art;
9) Formalism, phenomenology and arts;
10-11) Critical theory, culture and art;
12) Relations between art and science;
13) Relations between art and politics;
14) Homework – presentation of written critical and theoretical text on relevant topics
15) Colloquium – a written test of 10 questions related to the previously discussed topics

**Final exam** – oral test of knowledge: presentation and argumentation of text written during the course

**Literature:**
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**No. of active teaching classes:**

| Lectures 2 | Practical work: 0 |

**Teaching methods:**
Lectures, text analysis and research with homework assignments.
Lectures: collective teaching, group size up to 300

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Assistants: ---

Course status: compulsory, elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Prerequisites: No special conditions

Course objective:
The objective of the course is to introduce Ph.D. students with research work on analysis, interpretation and discussion of disciplinary, interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary relations of music, other arts, and culture.

Course outcomes:
Students acquire knowledge and learn about methods of analyzing the relations between music and other arts.

Course content:
1) Disciplines, genres and modalities of art;
2) Relations between art and music in ancient and medieval culture;
3) Relations between art and music the Renaissance and Baroque;
4) Relations between art and music in the period of Enlightenment;
5 ) Relations between art and music in the period of romanticism;
6 ) Relations between art and music in the modern and modernisms;
7-8 ) Relations between art and music in the avant-gardes and neo avant-gardes;
9 ) Relations between art and music in the period of postmodernism;
10) Relations between art and music within the ‘high’, mass and popular culture;
11-12) Relations between art and music in global culture;
13-14) Relations between art and music in contemporary culture;
15) Colloquium – a written test of 10 questions related to the previously discussed topics

Final exam – oral test of knowledge: presentation and argumentation of text written during the course

Literature:
8. Miško Šuvaković, Aleš Erjavec (eds), Figure u pokretu – Savremena zapadna estetika, filozofija i teorija umetnosti, Atoča, Beograd, 2009.

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Study program: Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

Course: SHIS1 – Musical flow as the basis of symmetry analysis 1

Teachers: Sabo B. Anica, full professor

Course status: elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Prerequisites: None.

Course objective:
Extending knowledge on the musical flow phenomenon. Fostering analytical capacities. Establishing the significance of the phenomenon for understanding the symmetry display in musical form.

Course outcomes:
Training for independent research in the field of analysis and interpretation of the musical flow phenomenon as a backbone in the process of musical form analysis.

Course content:
* Introduction to the course content, objective and outcome 1.
* Defining the musical flow phenomenon 2.
* Musical plans 3.
* Components of musical expression and their elements 4-5.
* Instructions for seminar paper, initial choice of topic 6.
* Musical flow segmentation and defining the types of borders 7-8.
* Colloquium 9.
* Elementary musical flow units 10-11.
* Musical flow analysis – the basis of musical form analysis 12.
* Work on seminar paper 13-14.
* Recapitulation of the material and preparation for the exam.

Colloquium: two theoretical question
Exam: discussion on the theoretical propositions for seminar paper.

Literature:
6. Асафьев, Борис, Музыкальная форма, как процесс, Государственное музыкальное издательство, Ленинград, 1963

No. of active teaching classes:

| Lectures: 2 | Practical: 0 |

Teaching methods:
Lectures, discussions, consultations.
Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50

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**Study program:** Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

**Course:** SHIS2 – **Musical flow as the basis of symmetry analysis 2**

**Teachers:** Sabo B. Anica, full professor

**Assistants:** ---

**Course status:** elective

**Number of ECTS:** 5

**Prerequisites:** Exam prerequisites of the course Musical flow as the basis of symmetry analysis 1 (SHIS1) completed.

**Course objective:** Extending knowledge on the musical flow phenomenon. Establishing the significance of the phenomenon for understanding the symmetry display in musical form. The interrelation of musical flow phenomenon and symmetry.

**Course outcomes:** Training for independent research in the field of analysis and interpretation of the music flow phenomenon as a backbone in the process of musical form analysis.

**Course content:**
- *Introduction to the course content, objective and outcome 1.*
- *Recapitulation of the previous knowledge on emergence of musical flow phenomenon and determination of theoretical postulates 2-3.*
- *Basic postulates of symmetry display 4-5.*
- *Musical flow as the basis of the emergence of symmetry in a musical form 6-7.*
- *Work on the presentational version of seminar paper 8-10.*
- *Seminar papers presentation 11-12.*
- *Coursework recapitulation 13-14.*
- *Preparation for the exam.*

**Exam:** Discussion on the analytical and theoretical aspects treated in the seminar paper.

**Literature:**

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**Teaching methods:**
- Lectures, discussions, consultations.
- Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50

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**Study program:** Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

**Course:** SHSI1 – **Research study 1**

**Teachers:** ---

**Assistants:** ---

**Course status:** compulsory

**Number of ECTS:** 10

**Prerequisites:** None.

**Course objective:**
Research study is a part of specialization thesis in the field of Music theory. Its role is to direct and guide students in applying the acquired knowledge (historiographical, analytical, methodological, pedagogical) with an aim to individual: - improvement and self-realization in a specific narrow field of music theory; - research of problem solving possibilities and methods with the aid of literature or good research practice; - problem research and conclusions on possible solutions based on the conducted research and analysis; - preparations, planning and self-organization for the specialization thesis writing, presentation and defense.

**Course outcomes:**
Building and developing capability for research subject problem orientation, functional construction of large scope scientific text and clear idea formulation, practical mastering of scientific paper methodology and technique on the higher level compared to the master study. Research study objective is reflected in the student's capability for: successful articulation and synthesis of knowledge and understanding, skills and qualities in the creative work context, further research and development; knowledge foundation, application and extension in various contextual frames and situations, in and out of the chosen specific research field; create ideas, concepts, suggestions, solutions and argumentation, individually or in collaboration with others, with an aim of completing individually initiated or given tasks; individual learning and setting objectives, successful work load management and task completion respecting the deadline; search, gather, extrapolate, evaluate, handle and manage information from various sources.

**Course content:**
Formed in accordance with the chosen topic of each individual specialization thesis, its complexity and structure: - includes theoretical and conceptual basis preliminary design of research, concepts, research problem, method and objectives formulation, application of scientific methodology, scientific text formulation and technical preparation.

**Literature:**
1. Formed according to the chosen topic of each individual specialization thesis.

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**Teaching methods:**
Candidate’s individual work with consultations.

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Study program: Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

Course SHSR1 – Specialization thesis

Teachers: Božić D. Svetislav, professor; Zatkalik J. Miloš, professor; Sabo B. Anica, professor; Tošić O. Vladimir, professor; Brkljačić K. Ivan, associate professor; Jovanović S. Dragana, associate professor; Repanić A. Predrag, associate professor; Stefanović M. Ana, associate professor; Stojadinović-Milić M. Milana, associate professor; Božanić Ž. Zoran, assistant professor; Vukšanović I. Ivana, assistant professor; Malaev P. Garun, assistant professor; Medić B. Milena, assistant professor.

Assistants: Jelenković S. Jelena, lecturer; Korać M. Vladimir, lecturer; Pavličić B. Filip, lecturer; Sabo I. Atila, lecturer; Simić M. Stanko, lecturer.

Course status: compulsory

Number of ECTS: 10

Prerequisites: None.

Course objective:
Training students for independent analytical work on a highly complex sample and fostering capability for organization and realization of music theory paper.

Course outcomes:
• Analytical introduction to the chosen compositions; • Building capacity for application of general music theory knowledge and insights to the chosen specific field; • Basic mastering of scientific work methodology and technique; • Introduction to the problem area of a chosen field; • Developing capacity for articulate written and oral formulation of analytical results; • Establishing correlation between research results and specialization research field.

Course content:
1-2. week: students' initial introduction with the work plan; 3-14. week: study of sources and literature, analysis of compositions, 15. week: summary and presentation of results; 16-19. week: formulation of the specialized paper topic; 20-29. week: additional research on the topic, text formulation in collaboration with mentor; 30. week: seminar paper presentation and defense

Literature:

No. of active teaching classes:

| Lectures: 1 | Practical work: 3 |

Teaching methods:
Lectures, practice, debates on the choice of topic. Mentorship.
Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50
Practice: group teaching, group up to 25

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Exam prerequisites: Points - 30
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Homework: 10
Oral report on a given topic: 10
Final exam: Specialization thesis execution: 50
Specialization thesis defense: 20
Study program: Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

Course: SHAS1 – Musical style strategies 1, SUHAS1 – Musical style strategies 1

Teachers: Stefanović M. Ana, associate professor; Stojadinović-Milić M. Milana, associate professor.

Assistants: ---

Course status: elective

Number of ECTS: 5

Prerequisites: None.

Course objective: Widening and extension of the methodological frame of analysis of musical style mastered at the bachelor study level.

Course outcomes: Upon completing the course students are expected to gain specific knowledge on issues of musical styles and to be competent for analytical approach to the most complex stylistic situations.

Course content: Introducing students to the various stylistic “strategies” – procedures; Analysis of borderline and polyvalent stylistic situations and all kinds of stylistic procedures on the selected examples.

Exam requirements: 1. Theoretical question 2. Question from the compulsory literature.

Literature:

No. of active teaching classes:
- Lectures: 2
- Practical work: 0

Teaching methods:
- Lectures, seminar paper, consultations, discussions.
- Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50

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**Study program:** Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

**Course:** SHAS2 – **Musical style strategies 2**, SUHAS2 – Musical style strategies 2

**Teachers:** Stefanović M. Ana, associate professor; Stojadinović-Milić M. Milana, associate professor.

**Assistants:** ---

**Course status:** elective

**Number of ECTS:** 5

**Prerequisites:** Exam prerequisites of the course Musical style strategies 1 completed.

**Course objective:**
Widening and extension of the methodological frame of analysis of musical style mastered at the bachelor study level.

**Course outcomes:**
Upon completing the course students are expected to gain specific knowledge on issues of musical styles and to be competent for analytical approach to the most complex stylistic situations.

**Course content:**
Introducing students to the various stylistic “strategies” – procedures; Analysis of borderline and polyvalent stylistic situations and all kinds of stylistic procedures on the selected examples.

**Exam requirements:**
1. Theoretical question
2. Analysis of the unknown corpus with an emphasis on borderline and polyvalent stylistic situations, as well as on interstylistic relations.

**Literature:**

**No. of active teaching classes:**

| Lectures: 2 | Practical work: 0 |

**Teaching methods:**
Lectures, seminar paper, consultations, discussions.
Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50

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|               | 2. Structuralism in music  
|               | 3. Structural linguistics (De Saussure, Hjelmeslev, Jakobson)  
|               | 4. Syntagmatic and paradigmatic analysis, segmentation and duplication (Nicolas Ruwet)  
|               | 5. Neutral level analysis and tripartite analysis (Jean Molino)  
|               | 6. Two levels of analysis (Jean Jacques Nattiez)  
|               | 7. Generative grammarics (Chomsky)  
|               | 8. Generative analysis (Lerdahl and Jackendoff)  
|               | 9. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus  
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Exam requirements: 1. Theoretical question 2. Analysis – application of the analytical methods on selected examples

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Study program: Specialized academic studies; Music Theory

Course: SHPM2 – Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 2

Teachers: Božić D. Svetislav, professor; Stefanović M. Ana, associate professor

Assistants: ---

Course status: compulsory

Number of ECTS: 5

Prerequisites: Exam prerequisites from Tendencies and methods in music theory and analysis 1 (SHPM1) course completed.

Course objective:
Extending the knowledge acquired during bachelor and master academic studies with an emphasis on tendencies in 20th century music theory and analysis, along with current tendencies.

Course outcomes:
Upon finishing the studies students are expected to be capable for applying and combining analytical methods in approach to a musical piece.

Course content:
Introducing students with essential tendencies in music theory.

Theory
1. Semiology, origin and foundations (Ferdinand de Saussure, Charles Sanders Pierce)
2. Meaning, sign, symbol: classification of signes
3. Structurally oriented music semiology (Nattiez)
4. Referencially oriented music semiology
5. Theory of topoi (Rattner, Agawu, Monelle)
6. Eero Tarasti’s music semiology
7. Music analysis and rhetorics
8. Semistylistics, theory of information
9. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus
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11. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus
12. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus
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14. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus
15. Workshop: application of the acquired methodological knowledge on selected corpus

Exam requirements: 1. Theoretical question 2. Analysis – application of the analytical methods on selected examples

Literature:
### No. of active teaching classes:

| Lectures: 2 | Practical work: 0 |

### Teaching methods:
- Lectures, discussions, consultations.
- Lectures: collective teaching, group up to 50

### Grading (max. no. of points 100):

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