



### **Aims and Learning Outcomes:**

The goal of the course is to provide in-depth knowledge on the legal issues related to the EU's policy on Area of freedom security and justice. Students will be acquainted with the current developments of EU law and policy in the spheres impacting EU's home affairs, judicial cooperation, free movement of persons, asylum and migration policy, law enforcement cooperation in the EU.

**Form of studies: seminar**

**Mode of Studies: Full-time**

**Module level: first-cycle studies**

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### **Learning Criteria:**

Metoda podawcza, studia przypadku, dyskusja

### **Assessment Methods Criteria:**

Discussion - 30% presentation - 70%

### **Module description:**

1. History of the Area of Freedom Security and Justice
2. EU Institutions' roles within the Area of Freedom Security and Justice
3. EU Strategies and programmes governing EU's home affairs and judicial cooperation between Member States
4. EU border control policy - Schengen zone, internal and external borders management, visa and asylum policy, EU migration policy
5. Police cooperation in the EU- Europol
6. Fight with organized crime and human trafficking within EU
7. EU Policy on drugs and illicit substances - drug trafficking, exchange of information, Member States' policies on drug use and abuse.
8. EU's anti-terrorism policy and measures.
9. Financial crimes within the EU
10. Judicial cooperation in criminal matters in the EU - EAW, extradition rules, mutual recognition rules
11. COVID-19 and the functioning of the Area of Freedom Security and Justice
12. Current threats to the Area of Freedom Security and Justice - hybrid threats, disinformation, cybersecurity

### **Basic literature:**

- ♦ **The European Union as an Area of Freedom, Security and Justice**  
Maria Fletcher, Ester Herlin-Karnell, Claudio Matera; 2017, Routledge