Course name	History of art and culture
Entity running the course	Institute of History of Art, Philosophy and Sport
Entity for which the course has been prepared	
Course type	Compulsory course, core course.
Year of study/semester; Type of studies	Year I, sem. 1 and 2; full time bachelor's degree studies
ECTS credits	2
Academic tutor	Senior lecturer Aleksandra Maksymiak
Aim of the course	The aim of the course is to familiarize the student with the history of art of the period ranging from prehistoric times to the Middle Ages, inclusively. The attempt to connect the phenomena from the range of the history of art with a wider humanistic knowledge depicting civilizational and cultural transformations of the days and space discussed.
Prerequisites	General knowledge of history and humanities at secondary school level.
Learning outcomes:	
- knowledge	The student has an extended knowledge of the history of art, not only in a historical meaning, but they are also able to extract phenomena characteristic of particular periods and recognize them in a broader context of the history of philosophy.
- skills	The student has the skills of logical thinking and associating phenomena. They can analyze and compare the achievements of particular periods in art, as well as of individual artists. They have philosophical knowledge in the scope of the history of aesthetics referring to the periods discussed.
- personal and social competence	The student is able to reason logically and present their view. They see the need to analyze schemes and are able to raise and solve a problem.
Course content	The history of art from the Paleolithic to the Middle Ages, covering the following issues: prehistory, Egypt, Mesopotamia and Anatolia, Aegean art, Greece, Rome, the art of early Christianity and also Byzantine, Carolingian, Romanesque and Gothic art. Virtual trips to particular epochs in the forum of the Academy of Art and Design, execution of exhibits for the "Museum of Ancient Art" intended to be organized in semester II.
Course form and number of course hours	Lectures, seminars. 2 hours a week, 60 hours a semester
Assessment methods and criteria	25% active participation in classes 25% active participation in virtual trips 25% preparation and description of a museum exhibit 25% individual speeches in the form of a presentation
Assessment type	Semester 1- graded pass. Semester 2- graded pass.
Literature	Jan Białostocki "Sztuka cenniejsza niż złoto", /Art more precious than gold/ Władysław Tatarkiewicz "Historia estetyki", /The history of Aesthetics/ The remaining literature by arrangements and needs.
Teaching aids	Lectures with the use of audiovisual equipment. Classes in museums, churches and on other premises where the remains of the periods discussed can be found.
Language of instruction	Polish