

## **Course Description**

**Faculty of Educational Sciences**

**Study program: Bachelor in Psychology**

**Course Title: Developmental Psychology 2**

**Course Credits: 4 ECTS**

**Language of Instruction: Albanian**

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The purpose of this course is to examine development from adolescence to late adulthood. The course analyzes the changes that occur in different age groups (physiological differences, changes in thinking, and changes in social interactions), the context in which these changes occur (in family, peers, school, work, and community settings) and the psychosocial areas where development occurs (achievement, autonomy, identity, intimacy).

**Course Goals:** At the end of this course, students are expected to: 1. Understand the psychological perspective of human development from adolescence to death. 2. To understand how the scientific method is used within the context of developmental psychology. 3. To understand the basic theories and research practices of developmental psychology. 4. To be able to make critical evaluations of research in developmental psychology which can also be applied to other disciplines. 5. To know the physical, psychosocial and cognitive changes that occur in humans from adolescence to old age.

**Course Requirements:** To complete the course students will be required to (1) take one midterm exam, (2) take one final exam, (3) present paper.

**Grading:** Presentation 20 points; Midterm 20 points; Final Exam 60 points

**Course Schedule:** 2 hours lectures & 1 hour seminar /week. Total=15 weeks