

## **“HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT”**

Module VII, 14.01-29.01.2006

### **UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO**

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The module is composed of six parts: Humanitarian Affairs and Complex Emergencies, International Humanitarian Law, Regional Aspects of Crisis in the Balkans, Management of Humanitarian Crisis, Post Crisis Interventions and From Emergency Assistance to Sustainable Development. The most relevant issues of humanitarian affairs and crisis management in an interdisciplinary approach are in depth presented and discussed. Teaching methods include lectures, workshops and work groups.

#### **14 January 2006**

##### **HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS AND COMPLEX EMERGENCIES**

- 9.00 Presentation of the Module VII (dr. Ž. Papić - Module Co-ordinator of the University of Sarajevo)
- 10.00 Legal approach to Humanitarian Assistance (Ahmed Žilić, Center for Euro-Atlantic Integrations, Sarajevo)
- 12.00 International support policies-Case: BiH- (dr. Žarko Papić )
- 13.00-14:00 Discussion

#### **15 January 2006**

##### **INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW**

*The international humanitarian law is the main instrument that countries have at their disposal to protect the victims of a war and their fundamental rights, the rights and duties of aid organisations and their personnel. A whole series of special rights and duties (i.e. the Geneva Conventions and Protocols) has evolved and legitimated in relation to the humanitarian interventions.*

- 9.30 International law and cross-border humanitarian intervention (M.A. M.Tokaca, Commission for Gathering of Facts on War Crimes - BiH)
- 11.30 Human rights in crisis situations (S.Dizdarevic, Helsinki Committee for Human Rights - BiH)
- 12.30-14.00 Civil Society in Post War Recovery (Sevima Sali-Terzić, Sarajevo, Constitutional Court BiH)

#### **20 January 2006**

##### **REGIONAL ASPECTS OF CRISIS AND COOPERATION IN THE BALKANS**

*Regional cooperation, especially in the Balkans is of a great importance for overcoming the crisis in any country in the region. In this context, topics that will be considered are civil-military cooperation in the Balkans, the role of foreign policy and the role of Italy in the region and especially EU and enlargement in the Balkans.*

- 17.00 Students' presentations  
18.00 European Union and Enlargement in the Balkans – (Ambassador Michael Humphreys-Head of the Delegation of the European Commission in Sarajevo)  
19.00-20.00 Students' presentations

## **21 January 2006**

### **MANAGEMENT OF HUMANITARIAN CRISIS**

*This part briefly presents issues and debates about some basic subjects related to the management of humanitarian crises: social impact, project planning and management, monitoring and evaluation of humanitarian aids, logistic system management, security and the role of peace forces in contemporary humanitarian disaster situations, management of different field actors.*

9.00 -14.00 - Crisis Management-prof. dr. Hasan Muratović

## **27 January 2006**

### **FROM EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

*This part is related to the process of the normalization of the situation after crisis, the role of different international and local actors in that. BiH will be the specific case-study for the transition from crisis situation in to the state of sustainable development and includes Euro-Atlantic integration. Special attention should be devoted on the BiH Constitution reform, economic situation and development and civil society development.*

17.00 -18.00 – Foreign Policy and role of Italy in the Balkan (Alessandro Fallavollita, Ambassador of Italy in BiH)

18.00-21.00 – From Emergency Assistance to Sustainable Development (Žarko Papić, Module Coordinator, University of Sarajevo)

## **28 January 2006**

### **POST CRISIS INTERVENTIONS**

*This part concerns some important aspects of the post crisis interventions: context evaluation and the impact of relief actions; reconstruction of social, economic and political structures; transition between relief work and development; role of the different actors on the field, such as Universities, peace forces*

*etc. The experience of BiH is really useful, in particular in South Eastern Europe countries, and it could be used as an example.*

9.00 Post-war US assistance to BiH (Howard j. Sumka, PHD Mission Director of USAID/BiH)

11.00 The role of OSCE in post-war reconstruction (Valery Perry, Head of Research and Evaluation, OSCE)

13.00-14.00 Discussion

**29 January 2006**

## **MANAGEMENT OF HUMANITARIAN CRISIS**

9.00 Management of Humanitarian Operations and State Institutions (BiH Case)-prof. dr Aziz Šunje, Faculty of Economics, Sarajevo

13.00-14.00 Module VII closing discussion