

EXEGETICAL BASES: GOSPEL ON THE PERIPHERY

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| Course Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Gergely Hanula | Contact Hours per Semester: 60 | Credit Point Value: 6 | Prerequisites: | |
| Name of Instructor: Prof. Dr. Péter Balla Dr. habil. Ottó Pecsuk | Classification: compulsory | Course's Semester 2023/2024. II. | Language of instruction: English | Type of Course: lecture |
| | | | Recommended Semester: IV. | Method of evaluation: 1. Class attendance and participation in discussions, 2. oral exam, 3. Research paper at the end of the semester. 4. Exam |

Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes:

This course will review the Biblical narratives about migrants, outcasts, homeless and foreigners in the Bible. We will study these narrative from an exegetical point of view. It is our aim to realize where these narratives reflect today's issues and what are the basic differences between the migration of the world of the Bible and today.

Knowledge, skills and competences students are expected to acquire:**a) Knowledge:**

Students will know how to relate Biblically to the issue of migration. They will have a perspective on the various individuals and groups involved in migration of some sort in either the Old or the New Testaments.

b) Skills and competences:

Students will be able to engage in dialogue with different opinion makers on the issue of contemporary migration. They will be able to handle the ethical and practical implications in the next courses within the area "Gospel on the Periphery".

Required literature:

- D. Carroll, *Christians at the Border: Immigration, the Church and the Bible*. Baker Publishing Group, 2008.
- V. T. Nguyen and J. M. Prior, *God's People on the Move: Biblical and Global Perspectives on Migration and Mission*. Eugene, Or: Pickwick Publications, 2014.