Department	Department of Religious Sciences, University of Zadar								
	Graduate Double-Major Theological and Catechetical Program								
Description of the courses offered in a foreign language in the academic year 2021/2022									
Name of the course	Jesus of Nazareth by Benedict XVI								
Name of the teacher	Asst. Prof. Elvis Ražov, PhD								
Number of ECTS credits	2		Semester		X autumn/winter		spring	□ spring/summer	
Teaching will be organized as	Lectures	□ ye	s	□ no	Consultations		yes	□ no	
The courses will	Lectures			Seminars			Exercises		
be organized as	X yes			□ yes □ no			□ yes □ no		
Description of the	The objectives of the course are to familiarize students with Ratzinger's								
course	personal understanding of Jesus of Nazareth through interpretation of the								
	Bible in the context of the faith of the Church.								
Learning outcomes	After the completion of the requirements, students will be able to do the								
of the course	following: - recognize the contribution of the historically critical method but								
	also its limitations in the interpretation of the texts of the New								
	Testament; - present "canonical exegesis" as a method that interprets the Gospel in the light of the whole Holy Scripture in which Jesus Christ is its hermeneutical key;								
	- understand that Jesus can only be properly understood through his								
	relationship with the Heavenly Father;								
	- interpret Jesus as the "new" Moses, who, as the only son, stands								
	before the face of the Father, and in him the Father communicates to mankind;								
	- expose the secret of the Kingdom of God, which is fully revealed								
	in the person and work of Jesus Christ, and which does not								
	impose the policy of violence but instead the free acceptance of								
	Jesus in the world; - identify the main purpose of the parable in the discovery of Jesus'								
	divine Sonship, in which Jesus shows that only he "knows" the								
	Father and wants to bring his Kingdom to the world;								

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	 understand Ratzinger's concept of inspiration, which includes the author, apostolic community and the Holy Spirit. 					
The course is offered to	Incoming students who choose the above department as a home department	X yes □ no				
	All the incoming students	X yes □ no				
	Students of the University of Zadar enrolled at the above department as an elective course	X yes □ no				
	All the students of the University of Zadar as an elective course	□ yes □ no				