**The name of the academic discipline:**

**“Sociology of Religion”**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Specialty code and name** | 1-23 01 05 Sociology |
| **Year of study** | 4 |
| **Semester of study** | 7, 8 |
| **Number of in-class academic hours:** | 8 |
| **Lectures****Seminar classes** **Practical classes****Laboratory classes** | 4 |
| 4 |
| - |
| - |
| **Form of the current assessment (*credit/ graded credit /exam*)** | credit |
| **Number of credit points** | 3 |
| **Competences** | Mastering the academic discipline “Sociology of Religion” should ensure the formation and development of special competencies: conducting sociological research into the processes of formation and development of personality. |
| **Summary of the academic discipline:**The goal of the academic discipline is to familiarize students with the sociology of religion as a scientific discipline, the main concepts and methodological principles, sociological theories of religion, methods and the most important results of its empirical research. In the course of mastering the discipline, it is planned to study the main sociological concepts that explain the reasons for the emergence and existence of religions and religious practices; master the system of concepts and the ability to apply these concepts in the analysis of specific sociological data on issues of religion as a social phenomenon; study the main directions of sociological research of religion and religious organizations. |