**The name of the academic discipline:**

**“Religions and Freedom of Conscience in Modern Belarus”**

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| **Specialty code and name** | 6-05-0321-01 Journalism  |
| **Year of study** | 2 |
| **Semester of study** | 4  |
| **Number of in-class academic hours:** | 36 |
| **Lectures****Seminar classes** **Practical classes****Laboratory classes** | 18 |
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| **Form of the current assessment (*credit/ graded credit /exam*)** | graded credit |
| **Number of credit points** | 2 |
| **Competences** | Possess the ability to analyze the processes and phenomena of national and world culture, establish interpersonal interactions taking into account socio-cultural characteristics, ethnic and religious differences, analyze the role and significance of religions in society and the state |
| **Summary of the academic discipline:**Religious renaissance and religiosity of the population in the Republic of Belarus. Typology of religions in the Republic of Belarus. Freedom of conscience and legislative support for the activities of religious organizations in the Republic of Belarus. Features and trends of confessional processes in the Republic of Belarus. Orthodoxy in the Republic of Belarus. Catholicism and Protestantism in the Republic of Belarus. Non-Christian religions in the Republic of Belarus. Religious situation in the Mogilev region. |