

## **Political Science: Conflictological approach**

The aim of the discipline is to form and develop students' knowledge base in political processes, institutions, phenomena, and relations through a prism of the conflict potential. Also, this discipline is aimed to develop an expert evaluation of political processes, analysis, and management ability.

The main tasks of studying the credit module "Political Science: Conflictological approach" are:

- to explore political processes and set up causal relationships;
- to analyze sources, types, forms, phases, and mechanisms of political conflict resolution;
- to understand specifics of the policy and authority as mutually connected phenomena;
- to determine features of the state through the governance form, political system and regime;
- to evaluate the effectiveness of political parties through a prism of mutual the coherence of different social groups' interests;
- to analyze the role of civil society in a constitutional state
- to explore electoral processes as a period of increase of the conflict potential of society;
- to evaluate the role of political elites during the sociopolitical conflicts;
- to determine the leadership models and the basic archetypes of politicians;
- to form the worldview positions based on classical ideologies and their modern reinterpretation;
- to outline the specifics of communication in political conflicts;
- to compare different models of political behavior in conflict conditions;
- to predict the evolving tendencies of the world political processes and foreign policy of Ukraine.