## **Abstract**

The theme of this bachelor's thesis is the issue of joint custody in a context of problems of families with a history of domestic violence. The theoretical part describes the main characteristics of joint custody, the conditions for its court order and the basic legislative frameworks on which it's based. Attention is also paid to the proponents or opponents of this form of child care in the post-divorce period. The reader is introduced to the specifics of domestic violence, its dynamics and impact on a child in a family. In the end of the theoretical part are described some of the forms of possible solutions that the existence of domestice violence in conjuction with the joint custody requires.

The practical part deals with case studies of families with a history of domestic violence in which was applied the joint custody on the basis of a court decision.