### COURSES IN SUMMER SEMESTER 2017/2018

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| 1. | Актуальные проблемы конституционного права (20 hrs)  
- Language: Russian  
- ECTS: 4  
- Contents:  
  1. Topics discussed during the course concern the most current constitutional problems in Poland and are agreed upon with participating students who indicate relevant issues of their interest.  
  2. All students may extend their language skills with specialized terminology in the field of constitutional law. Moreover, foreign students will also get to know Polish constitutional arrangements. | Prof zw. Dr hab. Krzysztof Skotnicki  
e-mail: kskotnicki@wpia.uni.lodz.pl |
| 2. | Allgemeines Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch (ABGB) aus dem Jahre 1811 (20 hrs)  
- Language: German  
- ECTS: 4  
- Contents:  
  1. Die Einführung im ABGB  
  2. Die Vorstellung von der wichtigsten allgemeinen Begriffe des Bürgerlichen Rechtes,  
  3. Das Familienrecht,  
  4. Das Schuldrecht,  
  5. Das Entebrcht,  
  6. Die Vorstellung von der weiteren Entwicklung. | Dr Joanna Machut-Kowalczyk  
e-mail: JIMachut-Kowalczyk@wpia.uni.lodz.pl |
| 3. | American civil procedure (20 hrs)  
- Language: English  
- ECTS: 4  
- Contents:  
  1. General Considerations  
    a. The General Description (Structure) of the American Court System  
    b. Civil Procedure Defined  
    c. The Adversary System  
    d. The Federal Rules of Civil Procedure  
    e. The Law of Civil Procedure  
  2. Authority to Adjudicate  
    a. Overview  
    b. Subject-Matter Jurisdiction  
    c. Removal Jurisdiction  
    d. Venue  
    e. Personal Jurisdiction  
  3. Due Process  
    a. Due Process – Definition  
    b. Due Process Requirements  
    c. Service of Process Requirements and Limits  
  4. Challenges to Jurisdiction  
    a. Challenging Jurisdiction – An Introduction  
    b. Methods of Challenging Jurisdiction  
  5. Choice Between State and Federal Law  
  6. Stages of Litigation: Pre-trial and Trial  
  7. Pre-trial Phase  
    a. Modern Pleading  
    b. Discovery: Scope and Mechanics of Discovery, Purposes of Discovery, Discovery of Expert Testimony  
    c. Pre-trial Conference  
    d. Settlement Procedures  
  8. Comparison of the Structure (Sequence) of Litigation in American Procedure with Civil Law First-Instance Proceedings  
  9. The Trial  
    a. General Description  
    b. Right to Jury Trial  
    c. Composition and Selection of a Jury  
    d. Admissibility of Evidence and Sufficiency of Evidence  
    e. Problems Dealt with the Rules of Evidence:  
      - Relevance  
      - Competence  
      - Privilege  
      - and Prejudicial and Cumulative Evidence | Dr Robert Kulski  
e-mail: rkulski@wpia.uni.lodz.pl |
| 4. | Anti-Discrimination Law (20 hrs)  
- Language: English  
- ECTS: 4  
- Contents:  
  1. The lecture aim is to familiarize students with problems of anti-discrimination law , with particular emphasis on regulations relating to the prohibition of discrimination in employment. Within the monographic lecture students, focus both on substantive and procedural law. They learn in a straightforward, practical way what legal regulations (both in Polish and European law) relate to the issues in question, what is the subjective and objective scope of non-discrimination, which claims are beneficial for people who are discriminated and to whom they can report, what responsibility rests on those who are responsible for compliance with the prohibition of discrimination. | Dr Monika Smusz-Kulesza  
e-mail: msmusz@go2.pl |
| 5. | Classical Republican and Liberal Traditions in the System of Polish Public Law (20hrs)  
- Language: English  
- ECTS: 4  
- Contents:  
  1. The outline of Polish constitutional tradition with its doctrinal sources.  
  2. The influence of Classical Republican thought on the institutions, rights and values of Polish constitutional law.  
  3. The influence of Liberal thought on the institutions, rights and values of Polish constitutional law.  
  4. The influence of Liberal tradition on Polish criminal law.  
  5. The influence of Republican and Liberal traditions on the selected institutions and values of Polish commercial law.  
  6. The influence of Republican and Liberal traditions on Polish educational law. | Dr Marek Tracz-Tryniecki  
e-mail: cmppadt-mtt@wp.pl |
**Completion Law and State Aid (20 hrs)**
- **Language:** English
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  1. The relationship between the industrial and competition policies of the EU
  2. Overview of the EU Competition Rules
  2.1. Competition law objectives
  2.2. The rules addressed to undertakings
     a. Prohibition of anti-competitive agreements, decisions & concerted practices (Article 101)
     b. The criteria the Article 101(3)
     c. Abuse of dominant position (Article 102)
     d. Competition law in particular sectors
  2.3. The rules addressed to a states
     a. State aid
  6. The Internal Market is based on fair competition for they will be member states will be thoroughly analysed.

**Environmental Protection Law and Politics (20hrs)**
- **Language:** English
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  - The main objective of the course is to provide knowledge about the law and environmental policy. During the course they will be presented issues of international legal solutions in the field of policy and environmental law on a global basis and the implementing regulations of the European Union and individual selected countries. The program includes the presentation of the fundamental issues relating to the subject and the principles of environmental protection as a whole and its individual components, in particular biodiversity, landscape and climate.
  - Ecological Policy of the State. Regional and local strategies and programs for the protection of the environment.
  - Principles and methods of forecasting in environmental protection. Administrative tools and market axis. Public participation in the implementation of environmental policy objectives. Conditions for effective protection of the environment, its barriers and restrictions in different countries and regions of the world. The conflict between ecology and economy, the opposition between environmental protection and the needs of society and business.
  - The transnational nature of environmental problems and environmental law.
  7. The concept and role of international law and international negotiations on the environment, history of law and environmental policy.
  - Principles of environmental law (detailed presentation of the principles of prevention, precaution, polluter pays), the concept of sustainable development (idea, history, different spheres of interest, different meanings, implementation in practice, problems, etc.).
  - Atmosphere and climate protection: United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and the Kyoto Protocol (negotiations, the parties, the principles, the objectives, the instruments, including economic instruments, mechanisms). Climate protection in the EU (the system of allowances, the stakeholders, the main ideas and principles chapter, auctions etc.) climate protection in selected countries. Other aspects of the air and climate protection: the Geneva Convention on cross-border transmission of air pollutants over long distances and related protocols.
  - Protection of the biosphere: biodiversity conservation reasons, the specific problems in this area, the development of policy and international legal solutions in the field of policy and environmental law.

**European Constitutional Law – Focus on EU External Relations (20 hrs)**
- **Language:** English
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  - CLUSTER I – EU in the International Legal System
    Session 1: Fundamentals of the law of EU external relations
      1. Particularity of the EU as an international actor
      2. Basics of International Law
      3. Legal Personality of the EU
      4. Policy Objectives
      5. Policy Coherence
      6. Actors
    Session 2: The Competence of the EU in its external dealings
      7. Instruments
  - CLUSTER II – The EU External Relations Toolbox
    Session 3: International Agreements
    Session 4: Other instruments
    Session 5: Case Study: Trans-Atlantic Trade and Investment Treaty with the US
  - CLUSTER III – The Effects of International Law in EU internal legal order
    Session 6: The effects of international law in the EU internal legal order
    Session 7: Case study: the Kadi saga
    Session 8: Case study: the EU accession to the ECHR
  - CLUSTER IV – The Policies
    Session 9: The European Neighbourhood Policy
    Session 10: The External Dimension of the AFSJ

**European Labour Law (20 hrs)**
- **Language:** English
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  - Content of the proposed course
    1. Scope and legislative procedure of European Labour Law
    2. Free movement of persons (incl. employees),
    3. Anti-discrimination law in the labour relations,
    4. employee involvement in management (European company, European works councils, information and consultation on national level),
    5. atypical employment

**Europäisches Wirtschaftsrecht (20 hrs)**
- **Language:** German
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  - The emphasis is on the economic aspects of legal integration. The policies dealt with will include i.a. the free movement of goods, persons, services and payments, common customs tariff, agriculture, transport, competition, social policy, labour law, equality, environment, state aid. The course aims to familiarise the student with the main EC substantive regulations of its economic policies.

**European Law**
- **Language:** English
- **ECTS:** 4
- **Contents:**
  - CLUSTER I: Legal personality of the EU
    Session 1: Basics of International Law
    Session 2: Legal Personality of the EU
    Session 3: International Agreements
  - CLUSTER II: Atypical employment
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1. | Completion Law and State Aid (20 hrs) | Prof zw. Dr hab. Maria Król
2. | European Labour Law (20 hrs) | Dr hab. Dagmara Skupień
3. | Environmental Protection Law and Politics (20hrs) | Dr Monika Król
4. | European Constitutional Law – Focus on EU External Relations (20 hrs) | Prof zw. Dr hab. Anna Wyrozum ska
5. | Europäisches Wirtschaftsrecht (20 hrs) | Prof nadzw. Dr hab Monika Namysłowska
6. | European Law | Prof zw. Dr hab. Maria Król
7. | European Law | Dr hab. Dagmara Skupień
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<td>L'histoire de la propriete (10 hrs)</td>
<td>Prof zw. Dr hab. Anna Pikulska-Radomska e-mail: <a href="mailto:apikulska@wpia.uni.lodz.pl">apikulska@wpia.uni.lodz.pl</a></td>
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### International Labour Law (20 hrs)
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- Contents:
  - The course contains a description of origins, structure and functioning of the ILO as well as its legal instruments shaping employment, industrial relations and social policy in the contemporary world. All these issues are presented on the political, economic and social background determining historical and current tendencies in labour relations and social policy with special regard to the EU policy.

### International Tax Law (20 hrs)
- Language: English
- ECTS: 4
- Contents:
  - The course is designed to show the international dimension of tax law, with references to general international tax law and bilateral international tax agreements. The course is designed to familiarise the student with international tax regulations and their effects in the domestic tax systems.
  - I. Concept of international law.
  - II. International Tax Law:
    - 1. Tax jurisdiction
    - 2. Residence principle, principle of source and territorial principle as principle governing taxpayer’s tax liability in different tax jurisdiction (unlimited tax liability and limited tax liability).
    - 3. Double taxation in juridical sense versus double taxation in Economic sense.
    - 5. Bilateral double taxation Convention (DTC) – the role of the OECD Model Tax Convention and the UN Model Tax Convention.
    - 7. The avoidance of double taxation in case of different types of income and capital – based on the OECD Model.
    - 8. Polish treaty practice – differences and similarities between Model Conventions (OECD and UN) and bilateral DTC concluded by Poland.

### Introduction to Private Law (20 hrs)
- Language: English
- ECTS: 4
- Contents:
  - Basics of Private International Law (Conflicts of Law)
  - Legal foundation of Private International Law (conflicts of law) – general principles
  - The law applicable to a specific legal relationship (private international law)
  - Contentious proceedings in Private International Law
  - The role of the OECD Model Tax Convention and the UN Model Tax Convention.

### Law of the Internet (20 hrs)
- Language: English
- ECTS: 4
- Contents:
  - The course is dedicated to key issues of international Internet law (IIL) - international law framework for Internet Governance.
  - Internet Governance is an interdisciplinary area of research and practice. Its main goal is to provide for a uniform, multi-stakeholder regime applicable to cyberspace and all its “netizens”. It encompasses a number of issues, ranging from sociology, through philosophy, corporate management and economy, all leading up to crucial and difficult legal questions. Most controversial areas of various national legislations are indicated during the lecture (including copyright, privacy protection, regulation of converging media, cybercrime and cyberterrorism and legal status of domain names), key problems are identified and some solutions are offered for debate. A detailed curriculum of the lecture may be found at: http://www.wpia.uni.lodz.pl/mpi/lecture.html
The course comprises the basics of Polish civil procedure and also introduces to the basic EU regulations in this field and their impact on the Polish legal order.

1. Basic information on the organization of the Polish administration of justice
   a) the structure of common courts
   b) the Supreme Court
   c) the Chief Administrative Court
   d) the Constitutional Tribunal
   e) the Tribunal of State
2. Principles of the Polish Civil Procedure
3. Parties, their statutory agents and attorneys
4. Formal requirements of procedural acts
5. The trial and evidence
6. Appeals
7. The non-litigious proceedings
8. The enforcement proceedings
9. Other types of civil proceedings
10. European Union Regulations on Civil Procedure
COURSES IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES
at the Faculty of Law and Administration

NOTICE:

- Courses are available for incoming foreign students and for Polish students. The ECTS number indicated below concerns only the incoming foreign students participating in exchange programs (e.g. Erasmus).
- All students, including foreign students, have to register for the courses of their choice. If the foreign Erasmus students are not able to do it via the on-line registration system (USOS), they should just inform either the Faculty International Office, the Faculty Erasmus Coordinator or the ECTS Coordinator about their choice of courses (by most convenience means, e.g. e-mail), and we will assist with their registration. However, they always have to have their (changes to) Learning Agreement signed by the Faculty Erasmus Coordinator in any case.
- To start a course in form of a lecture a group of at least 6 students is required; otherwise the course may be given just for 2-3 foreign students in form of a tutorial (with the same ECTS value, under particular conditions set by the lecturer in cooperation with the Faculty Erasmus Coordinator).
- Additional ECTS credits may be awarded after completion of additional requirements (e.g. writing an essay on a topic within the scope of the course) – possible to be set out on individual basis, depending on the student’s needs and interests. Please contact International Office for further details.
- In case of any questions or doubts please contact either the Faculty International Office, the Faculty Erasmus Coordinator or the ECTS Coordinator.

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