

COURSE OUTLINE

(1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	Social Sciences		
ACADEMIC UNIT	Sociology		
LEVEL OF STUDIES	Postgraduate		
COURSE CODE	183-54-17	SEMESTER	1 st
COURSE TITLE	Introduction to European Law		
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES <i>if credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the whole of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits</i>	WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS	CREDITS	
	3	7,5	
<i>Add rows if necessary. The organisation of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).</i>			
COURSE TYPE <i>general background, special background, specialised general knowledge, skills development</i>	Mandatory /specialised general knowledge		
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	No		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek (English for Erasmus Students)		
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes, through assignments		
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	http://www.soc.aegean.gr/ext-files/pm/mps/ekeo-2017-183-54-17-en.pdf		

(2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcomes

The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.

Consult Appendix A

- *Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area*
- *Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B*
- *Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes*

First in-depth knowledge of the EU institutions, EU decision-making, European governance and the concepts of European identity and European citizenship, primary and secondary law.

The students, through the work they prepare during the semester and attend the course, demonstrate the degree of occupation of the acquired knowledge so that with the evolution and specialization that it will acquire during their postgraduate studies they will be able to use it in professional level or by joining EU employment or research workers in EU-wide projects measuring EU public opinion.

The follow-up of this course will enable them to create a strong knowledge base around the European institutional system as well as EU policies that will be further developed through

follow-up and specialized seminars during the C and D years. As a result, they will be able to interpret all the relevant phenomena in the EU reality and by completing their undergraduate studies they will be able to develop a critical approach to all ethical, scientific and social issues related to European integration and integration.

Skills and competences to be acquired by the students: competences of the institutions, separation of powers within the EU, appeals to the EU Court of Justice, citizens' complaints about breach of EU primary and secondary law, European governance (actors and institutions, influence on the reception system EU decisions), public opinion polls.

General Competences

Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?

<i>Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology</i>	<i>Project planning and management</i>
<i>Adapting to new situations</i>	<i>Respect for difference and multiculturalism</i>
<i>Decision-making</i>	<i>Respect for the natural environment</i>
<i>Working independently</i>	<i>Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues</i>
<i>Team work</i>	<i>Criticism and self-criticism</i>
<i>Working in an international environment</i>	<i>Production of free, creative and inductive thinking</i>
<i>Working in an interdisciplinary environment</i>	<i>.....</i>
<i>Production of new research ideas</i>	<i>Others...</i>
	<i>.....</i>

1. Ability to search, analyse and compare judgments of the EU Court (case law) through the WEU web site,
2. Ability to search for primary EU Law (the Treaty, the TL Charter) and the derived law through EUR-Lex,
3. Adapting the student to the evolving institutional and political data in the EU,
4. Acquiring a capacity to respond to the requirements of a course approaching the operation of institutions, thus enabling knowledge of decision-making systems and procedures in the EU, as well as the theories of European integration, allowing a critical analysis of the course of the European unification process, but also to study any future developments.

(3) SYLLABUS

1. EU legal order - EU primary and secondary law
2. Emphasis on the EU's judicial system
3. European Institutions
4. Theories of European integration
5. European governance
6. Common European policies - Europeanization of internal policies

(4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

DELIVERY <i>Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.</i>	Face-to-face
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY <i>Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students</i>	Use new technologies (ppt, videos) for the best and more direct consolidation of knowledge, since so it is considered that the special ones are more understandable knowledge of the course by the students.

TEACHING METHODS	Activity	Semester workload
<p>The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail. Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice, fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography, tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity, etc.</p> <p>The student's study hours for each learning activity are given as well as the hours of non-directed study according to the principles of the ECTS</p>	Lectures	39hours
	study and analysis of bibliography	43hours
	Assignments	81hours
	Workshops	16hours
	Seminars of Methodology	9hours
	Course total	188hours
<p>STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION</p> <p>Description of the evaluation procedure</p> <p>Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation, summative or conclusive, multiple choice questionnaires, short-answer questions, open-ended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral examination, public presentation, laboratory work, clinical examination of patient, art interpretation, other</p> <p>Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An essay test • Public presentation of assignments during the workshop at the end of the winter semester (in February) • assessment language: Greek (or English for Erasmus students) 	
<p>(5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY</p> <p>- Suggested bibliography</p> <p>Baldwin R. & Wyplosz C. (Karfakis K., edit.), The European Integration Economics, Tziola Publishers, Thessaloniki, 2017.</p> <p>Christianos V., Kouskouna M., Papadopoulou R.-E., Χριστιανός Β. Κουσκουνά Μ., Παπαδοπούλου Ρ.-Ε. & Perakis M., Περάκης Μ., EU Law through jurisprudence, Sakkoulas Publishers, Athens- Thessaloniki, 2011.</p> <p>Chrysochoou Dimitris, European City. The art of the co-management, Savallas Publishers, Athens, 2009.</p> <p>Grigoriou P. & Metaxas Ant. (edit.), Ant. N. Sakkoulas Publishers, 2006.</p> <p>Kanellopoulos P. EU Law- Lisbon Treaty, 5th ed., Sakkoulas Publishers, Athens, 2010.</p> <p>Metaxas A. (ed.), European Union- Main regulatory texts, Sakkoulas Publishers, Athens- Thessaloniki, 2017.</p> <p>Moussis N. European Union, 15th ed., Papazissis Publishers, Athens, 2015.</p> <p>Pliakos A. EU Law, Nomiki Vivliothiki Publishers, Athens, 2012.</p>		

Skiadas D. Regulatory Governance. Theory and experience in Greece and European Union, University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki, 2017.

-Related academic journals

1. Europeans City, Ευρωπαϊών Πολιτεία, quarterly journal of law, politics and economics of the European Union
2. Common Market Law Review, Kluwer Law Online
3. Journal of European Integration, Taylor & Francis Online
4. European Research Papers Archives (ERPA), <http://eiop.or.at/erpa>
5. EU Law Journal (UNIO), <http://www.unio.cedu.direito.uminho.pt/>
6. Agence Europe