

Course description

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Course name:	Constitution and Right to Information		
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Department/Unit /	KÚP / LPT			Academic Year	2023/2024
Title	Constitution and Right to Information			Type of completion	Exam
Accredited/Credits	Yes, 3 Cred.			Type of completion	Combined
Number of hours	Seminar 3 [Hours/Week]				
Occ/max	Status A	Status B	Status C	Course credit prior to	YES
Summer semester	0 / -	14 / -	0 / -	Counted into average	YES
Winter semester	0 / -	0 / 40	0 / -	Min. (B+C) students	10
Timetable	Yes			Repeated registration	NO
Language of instruction	Czech			Semester taught	Winter, Summer
Optional course	Yes			Internship duration	0
Evaluation scale	1 2 3 4			Ev. sc. – cred.	S N
No. of hours of on-premise					
Auto acc. of credit	Yes in the case of a previous evaluation 4 nebo nic.				
Periodicity	K				
Substituted course	None				
Preclusive courses	N/A				
Prerequisite courses	N/A				
Informally recommended courses	N/A				
Courses depending on this Course	N/A				

Course objectives:

Constitutional concepts of the freedom of expression and right to information and their protection in the Czech Republic.

Requirements on student

active participation in class work
final oral test
oral examination

Content

1. Introduction to the concepts of the right to information and protection of personality.
2. Different aspects of the freedom of expression.
3. Legal machinery of the protection of the freedom of expression and right to information.
4. Constitutional guarantees of the freedom of expression and right to information.
5. Limits of the freedom of expression and right to information.
6. Relationship between the right to information and protection of personality.
7. Protection of personal data and right to information.
8. Freedom of expression and right to information.
9. Right to petition and freedom to assemble as statement of the freedom of expression.
10. Case law of the Constitutional Court concerning the freedom of expression.
11. Case law of the Constitutional Court concerning the right to information.
12. Case law of the European Court of Human Rights and its impact upon the constitutional guarantees of the freedom of expression and right to information in the Czech Republic.
13. The institution of ombudsman and the right to information.
14. Authentic issues of the constitutional protection of the freedom of expression and right to information in the Czech Republic.

Fields of study

Guarantors and lecturers

- **Guarantors:** JUDr. Josef Skála, CSc. (100%)
- **Seminar lecturer:** JUDr. Josef Skála, CSc. (100%)

Literature

- **Basic:** Skála, Josef. *Český ombudsman*. 1998.
- **Basic:** Klíma, Karel. *Komentář k Ústavě a Listině*. Plzeň : Aleš Čeněk, 2009. ISBN 978-80-7380-140-3.
- **Basic:** Klíma Karel a kol. *Praktikum českého ústavního práva, 3. vydání*. Plzeň: Aleš Čeněk, 2009. ISBN 978-80-7380-173-1.
- **Basic:** Klíma, Karel. *Ústavní právo*. 4., rozl. vyd. Plzeň : Vydavatelství a nakladatelství Aleš Čeněk, 2010. ISBN 978-80-7380-261-5.
- **Recommended:** Herczeg, Jiří. *Meze svobody projevu*. Vyd. 1. Praha : Orac, 2004. ISBN 80-86199-94-0.
- **Recommended:** Korbel, František. *Právo na informace : zákon o svobodném přístupu k informacím, zákon o právu na informace o životním prostředí*. Praha : Linde, 2004. ISBN 80-7201-465-X.
- **Recommended:** Žantovský M., Kužilek O. *Svoboda informací*. Praha, 2002. ISBN 978-80-7478-022-6.
- **Recommended:** Jäger, Petr; Molek, Pavel. *Svoboda projevu : demokracie, rovnost a svoboda slova*. Vyd. 1. Praha : Auditorium, 2007. ISBN 978-80-903786-5-0.
- **Recommended:** Bartoň, Michal. *Svoboda projevu a její meze v právu ČR*. Praha : Linde, 2002. ISBN 80-7201-367-x.

Time requirements

All forms of study

Activities	Time requirements for activity [h]
Presentation preparation (report) (1-10)	10
Contact hours	26
Preparation for an examination (30-60)	45
Total:	81

assessment methods

Knowledge - knowledge achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:

- Oral exam
- Seminar work

Skills - skills achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:

- Individual presentation at a seminar
- Continuous assessment

Competences - competence achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:

- Skills demonstration during practicum

prerequisite

Knowledge - students are expected to possess the following knowledge before the course commences to finish it successfully:

- orientovat se v systému ústavně právních instrumentů ochrany svobody projevu a práva na informace u nás

Skills - students are expected to possess the following skills before the course commences to finish it successfully:

- zaměřit se na ústavně právní zakotvení svobody projevu a práva na informace v Listině základních práv a svobod a systém zabezpečování těchto práv prostřednictvím právních předpisů, na něž Ústava a Listina odkazují

Competences - students are expected to possess the following competences before the course commences to finish it successfully:

N/A

teaching methods**Knowledge - the following training methods are used to achieve the required knowledge:**

Seminar

Seminar classes

Skills - the following training methods are used to achieve the required skills:

Lecture supplemented with a discussion

Competences - the following training methods are used to achieve the required competences:

Practicum

Discussion

learning outcomes**Knowledge - knowledge resulting from the course:**

zhodnotit meze svobody projevu a limitů realizace práva na informace
zamyslet se nad otázkami právního režimu ochrany utajovaných skutečností a poměru mezi právem na šíření informace a právem na ochranu osobnosti

Skills - skills resulting from the course:

analyzovat významu svobody projevu a práva na informace v českém ústavně právním pořádku

Competences - competences resulting from the course:

N/A

Course is included in study programmes:

Study Programme	Type of	Form of	Branch	Stage	St. plan v.	Year	Block	Status	R.year	R.
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	19	2023	Elective subjects	B	3	LS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	13	2023	Elective subjects	B		
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	14	2023	Elective subjects	B		
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	16	2023	Elective subjects	B	3	
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	15	2023	Elective subjects	B	3	
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	18	2023	Elective subjects	B	3	LS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	10	2023	Electives	B	1	LS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	17	2023	Elective subjects	B	3	LS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	11	2023	Electives	B	1	LS
Legal Specialization	Bachelor	Full-time	Legal Specialisation	1	20	2023	Electives I.	B	2	LS
Legal Specialization	Bachelor	Full-time	Public Administration	1	18	2023	Electives I.	B	2	LS