

Course description

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Course name:	European Union Law 1		
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Department/Unit /	KÚP / PEU1			Academic Year	2023/2024
Title	European Union Law 1			Type of completion	Pre-Exam Credit
Accredited/Credits	Yes, 3 Cred.			Type of completion	
Number of hours	Lecture 2 [Hours/Week]				
Occ/max	Status A	Status B	Status C	Course credit prior to	NO
Summer semester	0 / -	0 / -	0 / -	Counted into average	NO
Winter semester	0 / -	0 / -	0 / -	Min. (B+C) students	10
Timetable	Yes			Repeated registration	NO
Language of instruction	Czech			Semester taught	Winter semester
Optional course	No			Internship duration	0
Evaluation scale	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	KÚP/PEU1R				
Prerequisite courses	N/A				
Informally recommended courses	N/A				
Courses depending on this Course	N/A				

Course objectives:

The goal of this module is introduction to students concerning theoretical outcomes how EU law works including its development, principles and position in Czech law. The content includes institutions of EU/EC, their position and relation to Czech institutions, bodies and interconnection between them. After general determination of pillars of EU organization the module covers general principles, elementary features of EU/EC law, mainly arising from the case-law of the ECJ/CFI. Then the position and importance of categories of rights of citizens are covered in relation to public power and supremacy of European law. This implies learning procedural steps, possibilities of actions of various entities within European law in front of competent judicial authorities/ECJ/CFI. Students should learn the legal system of EU law as the one which is common to all the Member states, creating new European legal culture.

Requirements on student

active participation in class work
final written test

Content

1. Introduction lecture
2. Structure of EU - Ist, IInd and IIIrd pillar
3. Elementary features of EU and goals (Internal market, Membership, citizenship, human rights etc.)
4. Legal framework of -EU/EC (sources of EC, EU law)
5. Information sources I. - official journal
6. Relationship between national and European law (supremacy, direct and indirect effect, subsidiarity, proporcionality)
7. Relationship between Union law and national law
8. Information sources II
9. Preliminary rulings - Art. 234 EC, procedural aspects, case law
10. Relationship between national and European courts
11. Judicial review - art. 230, 232, 241 EC
12. Judicial review - art. 226, 235, 236 EC
13. Membership of Czech rep. in the EU, current affairs, Presidency

14. Free movement of goods I.
15. Free movement of goods II.

Fields of study

Guarantors and lecturers

- **Guarantors:** Doc. JUDr. Monika Forejtová, Ph.D. (100%)
- **Lecturer:** Doc. JUDr. Monika Forejtová, Ph.D. (100%), Mgr. Tomáš Křivka, Ph.D. (100%), JUDr. Tomáš Pezl, Ph.D. (100%)

Literature

- **Basic:** Tichý, Luboš. *Evropské právo*. 4. vyd. V Praze : C.H. Beck, 2011. ISBN 978-80-7400-333-2.
- **Basic:** Outláš, Veronika; Hamerník, Pavel; Bambas, Jan. *Judikatura Evropského soudního dvora*. Plzeň : Vydavatelství a nakladatelství Aleš Čeněk, 2005. ISBN 80-86898-49-0.
- **Basic:** Outláš, Veronika; Hamerník, Pavel. *Praktikum práva Evropské unie*. Plzeň : Aleš Čeněk, 2005. ISBN 80-86898-10-5.
- **Basic:** Outláš, Veronika. *Právo Evropské unie*. Plzeň : Aleš Čeněk, 2006. ISBN 80-86898-97-0.
- **Basic:** Outláš, Veronika; Pezl, Tomáš. *Úvod do studia práva EU*. 1. vyd. Plzeň : Západočeská univerzita, 2002. ISBN 80-7082-882-X.
- **Recommended:** Tichý, Luboš. *Dokumenty ke studiu evropského práva*. 2. přeprac. a dopl. vyd. Praha : Linde, 2002. ISBN 80-7201-337-8.
- **Recommended:** Tichý, Luboš. *Dokumenty ke studiu evropského práva*. Praha : Linde, 2006. ISBN 80-7201-573-7.
- **Recommended:** Craig, Paul; de Búrca, Gráinne. *EU law : text, cases, and materials*. Oxford : Oxford University Press, 2002. ISBN 0-19-924943-1.
- **Recommended:** Bobek, Michal. *Porušení povinnosti zahájit řízení o předběžné otázce podle článku 234 (3) SES*. V Praze : C.H. Beck, 2004. ISBN 80-7179-843-6.
- **Recommended:** Černá, Jana; Vacík, Antonín. *Právo sociálního zabezpečení v rámci Evropské unie*. Plzeň : Aleš Čeněk, 2005. ISBN 80-86898-14-8.
- **Recommended:** Svoboda, Pavel. *Právo vnějších vztahů Evropské unie*. [1. vyd.]. Praha : Linde, 1999. ISBN 80-7201-192-8.
- **Recommended:** Pítrová, Lenka; Pomahač, Richard. *Průvodce judikaturou Evropského soudního dvora. 1. díl*. Praha : Linde, 2000. ISBN 80-7201-204-5.
- **Recommended:** Pítrová, Lenka; Pomahač, Richard. *Průvodce judikaturou Evropského soudního dvora. 2. díl*. Praha : Linde, 2001. ISBN 80-7201-252-5.
- **Recommended:** Pítrová, Lenka; Pomahač, Richard. *Průvodce judikaturou Evropského soudního dvora. 3. díl*. Praha : Linde, 2005. ISBN 80-7201-550-8.
- **Recommended:** Pítrová, Lenka; Pomahač, Richard. *Průvodce judikaturou Evropského soudního dvora. 4. díl*. Praha : Linde, 2006. ISBN 80-7201-584-2.
- **Recommended:** Bobek, Michal. *Předběžná otázka v komunitárním právu*. Praha : Linde, 2005. ISBN 80-7201-513-3.
- **Recommended:** Syllová, Jindřiška. *Ústava pro Evropu : komentář*. 1. vyd. Praha : C.H. Beck, 2005. ISBN 80-7179-900-9.
- **Recommended:** Blahož, Josef; Klíma, Karel; Skála, Josef. *Ústavní právo Evropské unie*. Dobrá Voda : Aleš Čeněk, 2003. ISBN 80-86473-48-1.
- **Recommended:** Svoboda, Pavel. *Úvod do evropského práva*. Vyd. 1. Praha : C.H. Beck, 2004. ISBN 80-7179-857-6.
- **Recommended:** Týč, Vladimír. *Základy práva Evropských společenství pro ekonomy*. [1. vyd.]. Praha : Linde Praha, 1999. ISBN 80-7201-148-0.
- **Recommended:** Král, Richard. *Zásady aplikace komunitárního práva národními soudy*. Vyd. 1. Praha : C.H. Beck, 2003. ISBN 80-7179-799-5.

Time requirements

All forms of study

Activities	Time requirements for activity [h]
Preparation for formative assessments (2-20)	12
Preparation for comprehensive test (10-40)	40
Contact hours	26

Total:

78

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

Test

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

constitutional law 1, 2

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

Lecture supplemented with a discussion

Collaborative instruction

Students' portfolio

One-to-One tutorial

Discussion

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

The students will be able to:

- determine position, role and importance of EU/EC law in the system of legal regulation
- identify elementary principles and institutions of EU/EC law, their sense, forms and usage within Czech law and in general
- distinguish particular models of institutional and functional framework of public power within EU
- evaluate constitutional developments after introduction of European law in Czech republic and analyze its reflections (reforms, sovereignty, competences)
- analyze recent features of European constitutional law /Lisbon Treaty/
- identify and evaluate democratic processes in the institutions of EU, identify constitutional aspects of relationship between Czech and European structures
- analyze procedural protection of citizens within competent judicial authorities and ECJ/CFI
- identify and evaluate content and structure of sources of EU law
- apply and evaluate case law of European courts in concrete situations

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	15	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd grade	A	2	ZS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	14	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd grade	A	2	ZS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	10	2023	Obligatory subjects - 3rd year	A	3	ZS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	11	2023	Obligatory subjects - 3rd year	A	3	ZS
Law and Legal Science	Undergraduate Master	Full-time	Law	1	13	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd grade	A	2	ZS