

Study program: First-cycle academic studies of the first level – Law			
Course name:: Commercial law			
Teacher /teachers: Miloradović Z. Milica			
Course status: compulsory, fourth year, eighth semester			
Number of ESPB: 7			
Condition: none			
Subject objective			
The course aims to familiarize students with the concept, subject, methods, and sources of commercial law; to acquire knowledge about the principles of regulating commercial law, contracts for the sale of goods, banking operations, securities, etc.			
Case outcome			
After passing the exam, the student <i>acquired</i> theoretical knowledge in the field of commercial law; <i>understands</i> the basic institutions and principles on which contractual Commercial Law is based; <i>understands</i> the importance of banking operations, as well as the importance, rules and actions related to securities; <i>understands</i> the ways and methods of resolving disputes arising in the trade of goods, services and money, both on the domestic and international markets; <i>capable</i> of resolving individual issues and finding an adequate way to implement a certain business operation using solutions of relevant regulations in the field of Commercial Law. Qualified to consult legal sources of comparative law.			
Course content			
<i>Theoretical teaching</i>			
1. Concept, place, subject, method and sources of commercial law; 2. General principles and characteristics of commercial contracts (principles of contractual relations, general and legal characteristics of commercial contracts, basic assumptions of the validity of commercial law contracts); 3. Offer as a method of concluding a contract; 4. Means of securing commercial contracts; 5. Fulfillment of contracts; 6. Changes and termination of commercial contracts; 7. Commercial contracts (on sale; on order; on commission; on brokerage; on commercial representation /agency/; on forwarding /shipping/; on control of goods and services; on warehousing; on insurance; on transport of goods / in road, rail, waterway and air transport/; on construction; publishing contract; on license; on <i>know-how</i> ; on leasing; on tourist services; on franchising); 8. Banking operations (concept and types); 9. Protection of users of financial services; 10. Active, passive and neutral banking operations; 11. Concept and importance of securities; 12. Characteristics, essential components and types of securities; 13. Bill of exchange and check; 14. Serial securities (shares, warrants, bonds, treasury, treasury and commercial bills); 15. Identification documents.			
<i>Practical teaching</i>			
A closer explanation of some of the topics covered in lectures, with special emphasis on the interpretation of the institute, commercial law contracts, banking operations, and securities; and the drafting of contracts for the sale of goods. Analysis of practical cases. Discussion of selected topics with active participation of students. Preparation of colloquia and exams. Evaluation of the implemented teaching and analysis of its results.			
Literature			
Goode R., McKendrick E., Gullifer L., Goode and McKendrick on Commercial Law, Penguin Books, 2024. Twigg-Flesner C., Canavan R., MacQueen H., Atiyah and Adams' Sale of Goods, Pearson, 2021. Bridge M., Gullifer L., McMeel G., Sarah W., The Law of Commercial Agency, Oxford University Press, 2024.			
Number of hours of active teaching:		Theoretical classes: 60	Practical classes: 30
Teaching methods			
Lectures are held in an auditorium with all students. Exercises are performed in groups of students in the auditoriums: (1) as laboratory, where individual topics from the lecture are further elaborated; (2) as demonstration, for presenting individual contracts of trade in goods, letters of credit, bank guarantees, bills of exchange, checks; analysis of practical cases ; and (3) as discussion, for discussing selected topics from the material covered ;			
Knowledge score (maximum number of points 100)			
Pre-exam obligations	point	Final exam	point
activity during the lesson	20	written exam	-
first colloquium	15	oral exam	50
second colloquium	15	-	-

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