

NAME OF THE COURSE		Commercial Law				
Code	EUAA01	Year of study	2			
Course teacher	Doc. Dr. Šime Jozipović Doc. Dr. Marko Perkušić	Credits (ECTS)	4			
Associate teachers	Mag. iur. Milan Franić Mag. iur. Toni Marinković	Type of instruction (number of hours)	L	S	E	F
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Status of the course	Elective	Percentage of application of e-learning	20%			
COURSE DESCRIPTION						
Course objectives	The aim of the course is to enable students to acquire knowledge in the field of commercial law, whereas specific autonomous (national and international) sources of law, certain types of commercial contracts (named and unnamed) and securities will be covered. Students acquire knowledge about the basic terms important for the establishment and internal organisation of certain types of corporations (relations between the branch and relations between members of companies). It is also the object of the course to acquire knowledge of the status changes that a particular corporation can take as well as ways to connect with other corporations in order to optimize its organizational structure, all with the aim of enabling the student to get the knowledge that he needs.					
Course enrolment requirements and entry competences required for the course	Prerequisites are issued in the Statute of the Faculty of Economics and Regulations on Study and Learning					
Learning outcomes expected at the level of the course (4 to 10 learning outcomes)	<p>Learning outcomes:</p> <p>Analyse the System of Commercial and corporate law of the Republic of Croatia - level 6</p> <p>Individual learning outcomes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Analyse autonomous and heteronomous sources of trade law in the Republic of Croatia, international sources of autonomous trade law, as well as the hierarchical scale of their application to commercial contracts - level 6 Identify the underlying concepts from the general part of civil law code (entity, legal capacity and capacity to exercise rights, reasons for voidness and voidability, etc.) - level 6 Review the core features of the general terms of corporate law: (the terms of merchant, legal business name and principal business) - level 6 Categorize the types of limited liability companies as well as examine ways of founding and core features of some partnerships (general partnership, limited partnership, Economic Interest Groupings, silent company) - level 6 Identify the underlying features of a limited liability company and a joint stock company, starting with means and legal prerequisites for founding, legal relationship between the members, division of competencies between the company bodies, operations with the core capital, etc.) and ability to compare the differences and similarities between them - level 6 					

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	6. Identify the underlying features of named contracts of commercial law under the Law on civil obligations or other legal regulations, as well as knowing features of typical unnamed contracts whose content is settled in business practice - level 6			
Course content broken down in detail by weekly class schedule (syllabus)	Lectures		Exercises	
	Topic	Hours	Topic	Hours
	The term and subject of Commercial Law. Distinction of Commercial/Trade Law and other branches of law The history of commercial law	2	Identifying in the Code of Obligations and in the Companies act given types of legal standards, displaying them and explaining their impact.	1
	Common issues of trade law entities	2	Critical outline of court case law on the concept of a merchant.	1
	Status modifications, liquidation. Bankruptcy	2	Critically outline a court case law on company protection.	1
	Court Registrar	2	Critical outline of court case law on the representation of a trading company	1
	Tradesman. Sole trader	2	Critical outline of court case law on liability for the obligations of craftsmen.	1
	General partnership. Limited partnership	2	Example of the establishment of a partnership	1
	Public limited company	2	Compiling the application for registration of a company into the court register based on the given elements	1
	Limited liability company. Founding of a company	2	Agreement on the Establishment of an LLC	1
Commercial contract law. Concept and subject of Commercial contract law. Commercial transactions.	2	An example of a commercial contract and the difference to a consumer contract.	1	

	Concluding commercial contracts.	2	Critically show contractual terms.	1		
	Responsibility for disorderly fulfilment and consequences for non-fulfilment of contractual obligations.	2	Presentation of a court dispute due to disorderly fulfil obligations.	1		
	European intellectual property law	2	Critically outlining the sale contract.	1		
	European state aid law	2	European state aid law	1		
Format of instruction	<input type="checkbox"/> lectures <input type="checkbox"/> seminars and workshops <input type="checkbox"/> exercises <input type="checkbox"/> on line in entirety <input type="checkbox"/> partial e-learning <input type="checkbox"/> field work		<input type="checkbox"/> independent assignments <input type="checkbox"/> multimedia <input type="checkbox"/> laboratory <input type="checkbox"/> work with mentor <input type="checkbox"/> (other)			
Student responsibilities	<p>Students will have to participate in the course through various evaluation and/or self-evaluation procedures in the form of 4 short tests on the digital platform of the course, writing assignments given by the lecturers or in person discussions in class.</p> <p>Students will, depending on the available options participate in the course through evaluation and/or self-evaluation procedures in the form of quizzes on the digital platform of the course, writing assignments given by the lecturers or in person discussions in class concerning European law and its application. Where possible, direct participation methods will be preferably used.</p> <p>Students are required to attend at least 50% of all lectures and exercises. Attendance will be recorded through the digital system of the faculty or attendance sheets.</p>					
Screening student work (name the proportion of ECTS credits for each activity so that the total number of ECTS credits is equal to the ECTS value of the course)	Class attendance	1 ECTS	Research		Practical training	
	Experimental work		Report		(Other)	
	Essay		Seminar essay		(Other)	
	Tests	3 ECTS*	Oral exam		(Other)	
	Written exam	3 ECTS*	Project		(Other)	
Grading and evaluating student work in class and at the final exam	<p>Two tests will be organized during the term. For the access to the second test, a passing grade in the first test is required. The final grade represents the arithmetic mean of the (passing) grades of both tests. Alternatively, students can chose to be graded based on the final written exam during the exam period.</p> <p>*Students who pass both tests, are exempt from the final exam.</p>					

	Title	Number of copies in the library	Availability via other media
Required literature (available in the library and via other media)	Gorenc, V., Osnove statusnog i ugovornog trgovačkog prava, Zagreb 2008.	12	
	The Croatian constitution, current law of the Republic of Croatia and Usages		Available online – details will be provided through moodle
Optional literature (at the time of submission of study programme proposal)	Petrović S., Ceronja, P., <i>Osnove prava društava</i> , Pravni fakultet Zagreb, 2013.		
Quality assurance methods that ensure the acquisition of exit competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tracking of the students attendance and fulfilment of other requirements (Course teacher) • Control of the performance of the course (vice dean for education) • Analysis of the studying success across all topics of study (vice dean for education) • Students survey about the quality of the course teacher and the course (UNIST, center for quality advancement) • Through the exam which is conducted by the course teacher, all teaching results of the course will be examined. Through periodical testing of the exam content the adequacy of the exam modalities will be tested (vice dean for education) 		
Other (as the proposer wishes to add)			