

COURSE OUTLINE

(1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	Department of International, European and Area Studies		
ACADEMIC UNIT	International, European and Area Studies		
LEVEL OF STUDIES	Master		
COURSE CODE	DMPS 108	SEMESTER	B'
COURSE TITLE	International and European aspects of Energy 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>	Specific background and skill development		
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	Special knowledge of energy law, in particular acquired through the successful completion of the first semester course: Energy Market Law in the EU		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek		
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Not offered to Erasmus students		
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://openeclass.panteion.gr/courses/DMPS108/		

(2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

<p>Learning outcomes</p> <p><i>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.</i></p> <p><i>Consult Appendix A</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area</i> • <i>Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B</i> • <i>Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes</i>
<p>Upon completion of the course students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acquire the necessary theoretical background to identify the legal issues arising from the creation of investments in the EU • Understand the legal consequences arising from the creation of investments within the Union by EU or foreign investors • Understand the complex framework of European and international law rules on investment in general and in the energy sector in particular • Interpret systematically the interaction of legal rules at EU, international and domestic level. • Monitor developments in case-law, in particular that of the Court of Justice of the European Union, concerning dispute settlement issues in the field of

investment.

- Discuss in an evidence-based manner relevant court decisions
- Understand the political and economic background of the Union's control of foreign investment and the legal issues involved

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?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology

Adapting to new situations

Decision-making

Working independently

Team work

Working in an international environment

Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Production of new research ideas

Project planning and management

Respect for difference and multiculturalism

Respect for the natural environment

Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues

Criticism and self-criticism

Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

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Others...

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Research, analysis and synthesis of data and information, using the necessary technologies

Adapting to new situations

Decision-making

Autonomous work

Teamwork

Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Generating new research ideas

Respect for diversity and multiculturalism

Practicing criticism and self-criticism

Promotion of free, creative and inductive thinking

(3) SYLLABUS

Lecture topics

- objectives, competence and representation for the Union's trade policy
- Foreign investment control - foreign subsidies
- Foreign Direct Investment in the energy sector: legal issues arising from intra-BITs,
- Foreign Direct Investment in the energy sector: issues arising from extra-BITs, and the new generation of Union agreements on trade and investment,
- Energy Charter
- Energy Community and Energy Union Treaty

(4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

<p style="text-align: center;">DELIVERY <i>Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.</i></p>	<p>Face-to-face and distance learning, in case of a guest from abroad or an expert in the fields of the energy sector</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY <i>Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students</i></p>	<p>- Power point - Supporting the learning process through a dedicated learning platform [e-class] -Communication with students via e-mail and/or the course's e-learning platform.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">TEACHING METHODS <i>The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail.</i> <i>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.</i></p> <p><i>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</i></p>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Semester workload</i>
	Lectures	60
	Study and analysis of bibliography and case law	30
	Commentaries on case law	45
	Unguided study	90
Course total	225	
<p style="text-align: center;">STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION <i>Description of the evaluation procedure</i></p> <p><i>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</i></p> <p><i>Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.</i></p>	<p>Final written examination, the subjects of which are communicated electronically via e-class on the day and time specified in the relevant examination schedule, and the answers are also sent electronically, with a deadline of 24 hours from the notification of the subjects.</p> <p>During the course, each student is assigned to study a ruling mainly of the CJEU for commentary, which he/she develops orally and delivers in a written form.</p> <p>The assessment is based on the following: a) Participation in the discussions of each lecture: 20%. b) Presentation and commentary of case law decisions and participation in the discussions: 35%. (c) Final written examination: 45%.</p> <p>Students are informed of the assessment criteria in the first session.</p> <p>Students have access to their graded papers if they request it.</p>	

(5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Suggested bibliography:

BOOKS IN GREEK:

Πλιάκος Α., Ευρωπαϊκό Δίκαιο της Ενέργειας, Νομική Βιβλιοθήκη 2022

Καρόδης Γ., Διαιτητική επίλυση Διεθνών Επενδυτικών Διαφορών και Ενωσιακή έννομη τάξη, Νομική Βιβλιοθήκη, 2020

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Μεγκ-Παπαντώνη Μ., Νομικά ζητήματα από τη διαδικασία επίλυσης των διαφορών κράτους-επενδυτή ανάμεσα στα Κράτη Μέλη της Ε.Ε. στον τομέα της ενέργειας, Ενέργεια και Δίκαιο, 2014, σελ. 52-60

INTERNATIONAL BOOKS:

Dolzer R., Kriebaum U., Schreuer Chr., Principles of international investment law, OUP, 2022

Velten J., Screening foreign investment in the EU: Political rationale, legal limitations, legislative options, Springer, 2022

Sornarajah M., The international law on foreign investment, Cambridge University Press, 2021

Cameron P., Heffron R., Legal aspects of EU energy regulation, OUP, 2016

Koutrakos P., EU International relations law, Hart, 2016

Neframi E., L'action extérieure de l'Union européenne, LGDJ, 2010

- Related academic journals:

GREEK ACADEMIC JOURNALS

Ευρωπαϊκό Δίκαιο

Ελληνική Επιθεώρηση Ευρωπαϊκού Δικαίου (ΕΕΕυρΔ)

Διαιτησία και Διαμεσολάβηση

Περιβάλλον και Δίκαιο

Ενέργεια και Δίκαιο

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC JOURNALS:

Oil, Gas and Energy Law (OGEL Journal)

European Energy Law Report (EELR)

Zeitschrift für Europarechtliche Studien (ZEuS)