

International Protection of Human Rights

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ECTS Credits: 3

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Use of Languages

Principal working language: catalan (cat)

Some groups entirely in English: No

Some groups entirely in Catalan: Yes

Some groups entirely in Spanish: Yes

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Prerequisites

Prerequisites: monitoring this subject requires good knowledge of public international law

Objectives and Contextualisation

Develop tools for a reflection on the role of HRH, its consecration and its guarantees in the face of possible violations.

- Acquire knowledge of mechanisms for the protection of human rights at the international level.
- Familiarization with the theoretical instruments necessary to understand the concept of HRH.
- Acquire knowledge of basic theoretical questions of international and comparative law.
- Acquire basic knowledge about the concepts of human rights, historical evolution and the main international instruments.
- To know examples of judicial issues in which the characteristics and scope of HRH are analyzed.
- Know the limits and opportunities of HRH and its protection as an instrument of international law.
- Familiarization with the mechanisms of International Protection of Human Rights.
- Knowledge of practice in the field of International Protection of Human Rights.

Competences

- Apprehending the necessary mechanisms in order to know, assess, and apply the legislative reforms as well as to follow the changes produced in a concrete subject.
- Arguing and laying the foundation for the implementation of legal standards.
- Demonstrating a sensible and critical reasoning: analysis, synthesis, conclusions.
- Drawing up and formalising works, reports, documents, rulings.
- Identifying and solving problems.
- Identifying the underlying conflicts of interest in disputes and real cases.
- Identifying, assessing and putting into practice changes in jurisprudence.
- Identifying, knowing and applying the basic and general principles of the legal system.
- Integrating the importance of Law as a regulatory system of social relations.
- Managing bibliographic and documentary resources: databases, browsing, etc.
- Memorising and utilising legal terminology.
- Searching, interpreting and applying legal standards, arguing every case.
- Students must be capable of demonstrating the unitary nature of the legal system and of the necessary interdisciplinary view of legal problems.
- Students must be capable of learning autonomously and having an entrepreneurial spirit.
- Using the main constitutional principles and values as a working tool in the interpretation of the legal system.
- Working in multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary fields.

Learning Outcomes

1. Applying an interdisciplinary and integrated vision of the legal problems in an international environment.
2. Assessing legislative changes and reforms in a context of plurality of systems.
3. Assessing the underlying conflicts of interest in the legal problems proposed in an international environment.
4. Building a legal reasoning or discourse in the field of Public International Law, Private International Law and European Union Law.
5. Demonstrating a sensible and critical reasoning: analysis, synthesis, conclusions.
6. Drawing up and formalising works, reports, documents, rulings.
7. Identifying and assessing the changes and evolution of jurisprudence in a context of plurality of systems.
8. Identifying and knowing the basic contents of every stipulated speciality.
9. Identifying and solving problems.
10. Integrating the importance of Law as a regulatory system of social relations, and the contextualisation of the legal phenomenon in the international environment.
11. Managing bibliographic and documentary resources: databases, browsing, etc.
12. Memorising and using the specific terminology of Public International Law, Private International Law and European Union Law.
13. Students must be capable of learning autonomously and having an entrepreneurial spirit.
14. Using the constitutional values as a criterion for interpretation and solution of conflicts, specially in case of a contradiction between the main fundamental principles of several legal systems.
15. Working in multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary fields.

Content

I Part: CONCEPTS, DEVELOPMENT AND JUSTIFICATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS:

1. Historical framework and normative incorporation of human rights.
2. Problems of justification of Human Rights and Theories of Justice.
3. The normative evolution in the so-called "generations" of human rights

II Part: CURRENT PROBLEMS IN THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIG

1. Reflections on the universality of human rights: the debate of multiculti
2. Individual rights and collective rights
3. Anti-discrimination law and its transversality in the protection of humar

4. The challenges of the multiplication of human rights: problems of conc

III Part: THE MECHANISMS OF UNIVERSAL PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS:

- 1.- Non-jurisdictional universal mechanisms for the protection of Human Rights
- 2.- Universal jurisdictional mechanisms for the protection of Human Rights
- 3.- The performance of the International Criminal Tribunals

IV Part: THE MECHANISMS OF REGIONAL PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS:

- 1.- Non-jurisdictional regional mechanisms for the protection of Human Rights
- 2.- Jurisdictional regional Mechanisms for the protection of Human Rights
- 3.- The protection of Human Rights within the framework of the European Union

Methodology

The sessions of blocks I and II will be both theoretical and practical, always starting from the basis of some compulsory reading.

Activities

| Title | Hours | ECTS | Learning Outcomes |
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| Type: Directed | | | |
| Practice session | 9 | 0.36 | 1, 4, 5, 11, 8, 7, 9, 6, 15, 14, 3 |
| master class | 13.5 | 0.54 | 1, 5, 11, 7, 10, 15, 2, 3 |
| Type: Supervised | | | |
| Tutorials | 10 | 0.4 | 1, 4, 5, 11, 9, 13 |
| Type: Autonomous | | | |
| Study | 14 | 0.56 | 4, 8, 10, 12, 9, 13 |
| previous working for sessions | 14.34 | 0.57 | 8, 4, 7, 12, 9, 15, 2 |
| reading texts and documents | 14.16 | 0.57 | 8, 7, 13, 15, 2, 3 |

Assessment

The sessions of I and Part II will be both theoretical and practical, always starting from the basis of some compulsory reading.

Assessment Activities

| Title | Weighting | Hours | ECTS | Learning Outcomes |
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| Active participation in class blocks I and II | 10% | 0 | 0 | 1, 8, 4, 5, 11, 9 |

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| Blocks III and IV I work in practical sessions | 20% | 0 | 0 | 1, 4, 5, 11, 9, 15, 14, 2 |
| Delivery of a written work corresponding to blocks I and II | 40% | 0 | 0 | 1, 8, 4, 5, 7, 10, 9, 6, 13, 15, 2, 3 |
| knowledge test block III and IV | 30% | 0 | 0 | 8, 5, 11, 7, 12, 9, 3 |

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Links :

Unitet Nations:

<https://www.un.org/Depts/dhl/spanish/resguids/spechrsp.htm>

Ruels scope

<http://www.derechoshumanos.net>

UE law

http://europa.eu/legislation_summaries/human_rights/index_es.htm

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