

Syllabus

Course description

Course title	Business law
Course code	27012
Scientific sector	IUS/04
Degree	Bachelor in Economics and Management
Semester and academic year	1st semester 2016-17
Year	2
Credits	6
Modular	No

Total lecturing hours	36
Total lab hours	-
Total exercise hours	-
Attendance	Optional
Prerequisites	Private law is a recommended prerequisite
Course page	http://www.unibz.it/en/economics/progs/bacs/economics/courses/default.html

Specific educational objectives	The course is aimed at providing a core knowledge of company law and proficiency in the most important areas of company governance. Students will understand how a firm work in real practice, how it is governed and financed, and which are the features of company contracts and regulation around Europe.
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Lecturer	Paolo Giudici office SER E5.02 paolo.giudici@unibz.it Tel: 0471/013140
Scientific sector of the lecturer	IUS/04
Teaching language	English
Office hours	See the lecturer's web page
Lecturing assistant	-
Teaching assistant	-
Office hours	-
List of topics covered	Public and private companies: contracts, practice and regulation around Europe. Cooperatives.
Teaching format	36 hours of lecture

Learning outcomes	LEARNING OUTCOMES : <u>Knowledge and understanding:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Knowledge and understanding of the institutional
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	<p>framework in Europe.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of international aspects of company law and corporate governance. <p><u>Applying knowledge and understanding:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to analyse and make a critical evaluation of corporate processes and dynamics with respect to company law. • Ability to analyse case studies emerging in practice, and to apply the appropriate concepts of company law. <p><u>Making judgments:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to evaluate relevant contractual and regulatory provisions to inform judgments about company law and corporate governance. • Ability to read and evaluate information about cases and legal transactions in the world of companies, and to formulate opinions. <p><u>Communication skills:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to present with technical language topics concerning companies and corporate governance. <p><u>Learning skills:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to access law materials, to research on corporate law and finance.
Assessment	The exam is written. For students who attend classes, a 10% of the final grade will be given through active course participation (good questions, good answers, discussion).
Assessment language	English
Evaluation criteria and criteria for awarding marks	The answer must be relevant to the question asked. Answers to different questions are marked negatively, as well as irrelevancies. The marking criteria for high class answers will take into consideration comprehensiveness, accuracy, clarity of argument and expression, insight into conceptual issues, critical evaluation.
Required readings	To be mentioned at the start of the course
Supplementary readings	To be mentioned during the course