

Module Layout

ΠΙ0611 / Law I (Public and Private Law – International Law, EU and International Organizations)

Faculty	ΣAKE	School of Humanities and Social Sciences	
Programme of Study	ΠΙ0	PNYX: Political History, Theory and Practice	
Module	ΠΙ0611	Law I (Public and Private Law – International Law, EU and International Organizations)	
Level of Study	Undergraduate		Graduate
		Master	Doctoral
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Language of Instruction	Greek		
Mode of Delivery	Distance		
Module Type	Required		Electives
			√
Number of Group Consulting Meetings	Total	Physical Presence	Online
	10	-	10
Number of Assignments	2		
Final Grade Calculation	Assignments	Weekly Activities	Final Exam
	30 %	10 %	60 %
Number of European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)	15		

Module Description

The Course ΠΙ0611 aims to offer the students (especially non-lawyers) a systematic introduction to major branches of modern law as usually divided, in continental and Anglo-american (common law) legal systems including, at the same time, an introduction to the Law of EU and the International Organizations (e.g. UN). Traditionally, the concept of public law consists in constitutional law and administrative law, although criminal law is also considered as a part of “public law” in general, too. On the other hand, the concept of private law includes broad fields such as “general principles of civil law”, the “law of torts”, the “law of contracts”, the “family law”, the “trade law”, the “corporate law”, the law of “intellectual property” etc. During the Course, the students shall become familiar with important notions of public law (e.g. the Rule of Law, fundamental rights or liberties, social rights, organizational institutions in a democratic society, punishment of crimes) and basic notions of private law (e.g. individual, business, cause of action, bankruptcy, plaintiff, defendant, mortgage); they will also get an acquaintance with the European Union and the structure of international institutions and organizations, which play a significant role in current politics given the fact that their legal acts (Regulations, Directives) constitute part of the law that is being implemented in the member-States. The Module ΠΙ0611 is divided in 4 Parts:

- 1st Part: Elements of Public Law and Policy
- 2nd Part: Elements of Private Law and Policy
- 3rd Part: Elements of Public International Law, International Policy and International Organizations
- 4th Part: Elements of European Union Law and European Policy

Pre-requisite Modules

ΠΙ0511	Political and Economic Theory
ΠΙ0521	Aspects of Greek and Cypriot History

Co-requisite Modules

ΠΙ0512	Social and Historical Theory
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Grading Scheme

Assessment Method	Percentage on Final Grade	Workload	
		Hours	ECTS
Weekly Interactive Activities	10 %	30	1
Assignment 1	15 %	180	6
Assignment 2	15 %	180	6
Final/Repeat Examination	60 %	60	2
Total	100%	450	15

Grading Rules and Assessment methods

- Students are evaluated with 9, if they earn 90% of the possible grade, i.e. $90\% \times 10 = 9$, etc.
- Passing rate
 - 50% of the Assignments
 - 50% of the Interactive Activities
 - Students are allowed to participate in the final exam of a Module if they have overall earned the minimum grade ($\geq 50\%$) in both their Assignments and Interactive Activities
 - 50% of the Final exam

If a student earns a grade with decimal points, then it is rounded to the nearest half unit.