



## Syllabus

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| Academic Year | 2022/2023                            |
| Program       | Politics: Philosophy and Economics   |
| Course        | European Union Law                   |
| Term          | II semester                          |
| Year          | 2                                    |
| SSD           | IUS/14 - Diritto dell'unione europea |
| Credits       | 8                                    |

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| INSTRUCTIONAL GOALS        | <p>The aim of the course is to provide a general overview of the EU institutional architecture, EU legal order and EU internal market. Students should reach a satisfactory level of knowledge of the topics included in the program and should be able to develop a critical approach to the concepts and the information acquired during the course.</p>   |
| INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES | <p><b>Knowledge and understanding:</b><br/>Knowledge of the legal roots of European integration, its evolution, methodology, functioning, and of some of its most important and controversial policies.</p> <p><b>Applying knowledge and understanding:</b><br/>Ability to frame the current problems of European integration within the institutional legal context of EU.</p> <p><b>Making judgements:</b><br/>Acquisition and application of the legal tools for the understanding of EU institutional dynamics.</p> <p><b>Communications Skills:</b><br/>Ability to elaborate, in oral and written form, legally correct information, solidly based on normative data, concerning the functioning of the EU and some of its policies.</p> <p><b>Learning skills:</b><br/>Maturation of a capacity of reading the process of European integration in the perspective of its possible future developments.</p> |
| Pre-requisites             | None.  |
| Course content             | <p>The History of European Integration. The European Union. The EU Institutional architecture. The EU Legal order: Primary law and Legislative acts. The EU General Principles and the Protection of Fundamental Rights. The Enforcement of EU Law in the domestic legal order (Supremacy of EU Law; direct and indirect effects). The European Court of Justice and its functioning (direct actions and preliminary rulings procedure). The EU Competences. The Legislative Powers and Procedures. The Executive Powers. The</p>  |



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External Powers of the Union. The EU internal market (free movements of goods, persons, services). EU Competition Law.

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Reference Books

Textbook: R. Schütze European Union Law, Cambridge University Press, 2018, chapters 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17.

The textbook will be supplemented by slides and other reading material indicated at the beginning of the course.

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Teaching Methods

Traditional lectures with the support of slides, discussion on documents and/or cases studies.

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Assessment

Final oral exam.

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