

<u>Course title:</u>	International Law
<u>Forma studia:</u>	prezenční / daily
<u>Typ předmětu:</u>	2 IRES – obligatory
<u>Zařazení předmětu do studijního plánu:</u>	2. ročník, 1. Semestr / 2 year, 1. semester
<u>Forma výuky předmětu:</u>	přednáška – 1/1, lecture 1/1
<u>Způsob ukončení předmětu:</u>	zkouška / exam
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Stručná anotace předmětu / Basic Information:

The Course shall enlarge the legal knowledge and skills with special tasks to International Law. The course shall be held as interactive with the full participation of students on each topic. In within the course shall be the major international institutions of judicial nature to be touched as well as domestic practice in selected states in application of International Law by domestic courts.

Students will be required to prepare themselves for each session by reading selected texts and preparation of answers on questions that may be submitted for each session. List of the texts will be available on the web page moodle.mup.cz.

Midterm, potential assignments as well other information will be published on moodle.mup.cz.

Podmínky pro splnění studijních povinností (zápočtu, zkoušky) / Examination requirements:

Attendance in the classes is not obligatory, activity in the classes is required.

During the course, **activity** is going to be required, which shall consist of **5 ongoing tests**. The tests will consist of questions and cases to be resolved with the use of the prescribed documents. The test will always target the already covered topics. The tests will take place **on set dates** on the **moodle** site of the course, there is going to be always a time window for such a test to be made, for successful passing of the test it is needed to make the test for 70%. These **tests are obligatory**, and **no show** will be considered as **fail, no retakes will be granted, and no excuses will be accepted**. The tests do form part of the final evaluation – **the course activity**. The students are required to successfully **pass at least 3 out of 5** of these tests in order to **pass the course activity**. For those who will not pass the course activity, the threshold for the final will be increased from 50% to 70% of points in the final exam. The examination shall be done through a written test based on topics, readings, lectures, and cases, the form of the test will depend on the pandemic situation, whether it will be an electronic or present written test. The examination shall be done through a short-written test focused on terminology, topics of the course including knowledge of case law.

Obsah přednášek / Course Program:

- Introduction to the International Law
- Subjects of International Law
- Sources of International Law
- International treaties
- International Law and domestic law
- State responsibility
- Peaceful settlement of disputes

- Use of force and Humanitarian Law
- Law of the Sea
- International Courts
- Application of International Law by domestic courts
- Protection of foreign investment and arbitration
- Human Rights protection

Recommended documents

- Charter of UN
- Vienna Convention on Law of the Treaties
- UN Convention on the Law of the Sea

Recommended literature:

- Dixon M, Textbook on International Law, 7th edition, Oxford 2013
- Dixon M, Cases and Materials on International Law, 5th edition, Oxford 2011

Other literature:

- Shaw, M., International Law, 8th edition, Cambridge 2017
- Lowe V., International Law, Oxford, 2007