

## Ph.D. PUBLIC LAW COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details					
Code		Academic Year			Semester
KHD 110		1			2
Title		T	A	L	ECTS
Courts as Controllers of the Rule of Law		3	-	-	7,5
Language	German				
Level	Graduate		Postgraduate	x	
Department / Program	Ph.D. Public Law				
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Formal Education				
Course Type	Compulsory		Elective	x	
Objectives	Students understand the supervisory function of the courts with regard to the rule of law. It will be shown that, beyond theory, constitutional courts are (also) specialized courts and specialized courts are also constitutional courts. This applies to both substantive law and procedural law, and to varying degrees to all areas of law. In the first sessions, the conceptual and systematic foundations of the semester topic will be dealt with. The following lectures will discuss the problems outlined in the context of civil law in particular.				
Content	In the context of civil law in particular, the functions and decisions of the constitutional courts and other courts with regard to the protection of the rule of law are discussed.				
Prerequisites	-				
Coordinator	Dr. Karen Klein				
Lecturer(s)	Dr. Karen Klein				
Assistant(s)	Res. Asst. Mit. Kemal BAŞOL/ Res. Asst. Ceren Hilal Günaydın				
Work Placement	-				
Recommended or Required Reading					
Books / Lecture Notes	Battis, Ulrich/Gusy, Christoph: Einführung in das Staatsrecht Degenhart, Christoph: Staatsrecht I, Staatsorganisationsrecht				
Other Sources	Staats- und Verwaltungsrecht, Textbuch Deutsches Recht, C.F. Müller Grundgesetz, Beck-Texte im dtv				
Additional Course Material					
Documents	-				
Assignments	-				
Exams	-				
Course Composition					
Social Sciences	100			%	
Educational Sciences	-			%	
Natural Sciences	-			%	
Health Sciences	-			%	
Expert Knowledge	-			%	
Assessment					
Activity	Count			Percentage (%)	
Midterm Exam	1			40	
Final Exam	1			60	

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Assignments	-							-		
Attendance	-							-		
Recitations	-							-		
Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)										
	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10
1	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	5	5	5
2	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	5	5	5
3	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	5	5	5
4	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	5	5	5
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	5	5	5
Total Work Load (Hours) 4										
Contribution Level		1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very high								
Lectures		14								
Self-Study		6								
Assigned by:		Dr. Karen Klein 2								
Presentation / Seminar Date of Completion:		11.01.2024 2								
Midterm Exam		1								
Recitations		0								
Laboratory		0								
Projects		0								
Final Exam		1								
Total Work Load								210		
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 28)								7,5		
Learning Outcomes										
1	Knowledge of the conceptual and systematic foundations of the semester topic									
2	Creating awareness of the function of courts as controllers of the rule of law									
3	Understanding of the specific issues in the decisions discussed									
4	Understanding of the topic in a civil law context									
Weekly Content										
1	Introduction									
2	Basic Principles									
3-9	Discussion of individual decisions relating to the topic and preparation for the exam. Afterwards: Midterm Exam									
10-14	Discussion of individual decisions relating to the topic and preparation for the exam.									
15	Final Exam									