

LAW DEGREE PROGRAM
COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details					
Code		Academic Year		Semester	
HUK157		1		1	
Title		LE	TU	LA	ECTS
General Theory of Legal Transactions		3	0	0	5
Language					
Language		German			
Level					
Level		Undergraduate	X	Graduate	Postgraduate
Program					
Program		Law			
Forms of Teaching and Learning					
Forms of Teaching and Learning		Face to Face			
Course Type					
Course Type		Compulsory	X	Elective	
Objectives					
Objectives		The purpose of this course is to provide the necessary theoretical foundations to understand, explain, and analyze legal transactions. These theoretical foundations offer students a framework to comprehend fundamental concepts, principles, and rules in legal systems. The aim is to acquire general knowledge about German Civil Law.			
Content					
Content		Within the scope of the course, the definition and elements of a legal transaction, conditions for validity, and consequences will be discussed. Starting from the proposal and acceptance, the entire process from the establishment to the termination of a legal transaction will be outlined.			
Methods and Techniques of the Course					
Methods and Techniques of the Course		Plain narrative			
Requirements					
Requirements		None			
Coordinator					
Coordinator		Prof. Dr. Katharina Gelbrich			
Lecturer(s)					
Lecturer(s)		Prof. Dr. Katharina Gelbrich / Dr. Hannes Henke			
Assistant(s)					
Assistant(s)		R.A. Burak Çelik - R.A. Gökçen Doğan Bandır			
Internship status of the course					
Internship status of the course		None			
Recommended or Required Reading					
Books / Scripts		None			
Other Sources		Detlef Leenen, BGB Allgemeiner Teil : Rechtsgeschäftslehre, 2. Auflage, De Gruyter, 2015. Achim Bönninghaus, Rechtsgeschäftslehre 1, C.F. Müller, 2008.			
Additional Course Material					
Documents		Presentations prepared by lecturers			
Assignments		None			
Exams		Midterm and final exam			
Course Composition					

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Mathematics und Basic Sciences		%
Engineering		%
Engineering Design		%
Social Sciences	100	%
Educational Sciences		%
Natural Sciences		%
Health Sciences		%
Special Field		%

Assessment

	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1	40%
Quiz	0	0
Assignments	0	0
Attendance	0	0
Tutorial	0	0
Project	0	0
Final Exam	1	60%
Total		100

ECTS Points and Work Load

Activity	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)
Lectures	14	3	42
Self-Study	14	7	98
Assignments	0	0	0
Presentation / Seminar Preparation	0	0	0
Midterm Exam	1	2	2
Tutorial	0	0	0
Laboratory	0	0	0
Projects	0	0	0
Final Exam	1	2	2
Total Work Load			144
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 30)			5

Learning Outcomes

1	Understanding of basics and systematics of German Civil Law
2	Accurate understanding definition and elements of a legal transaction
3	Sufficient understanding of the legal consequences of a legal transaction

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4	Adequate understanding of the rights and obligations of the parties in legal transactions									
5	It is aimed to comprehend the process from the establishment of the contract to its termination.									
Weekly Content										
1	Contractual freedom, legal entities									
2	Subjects of legal transactions, declaration of intent, and legal transactions									
3	Establishment of contracts, concepts of proposal and acceptance									
4	The importance of the trust theory in the formation of contracts									
5	Conditions for the validity of contracts									
6	Invalidity of contracts									
7	Results of the Invalidity of contracts									
8	Unilateral legal actions, Midterm									
9	Agreements on the establishment and termination of contracts									
10	Voidability									
11	Granting power of attorney, authorization									
12	General Terms and conditions of legal transactions									
13	Legal scrutiny of general terms and conditions of legal transactions									
14	Termination of the contract									
15	Final Exam									
Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)										
	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10
1	5	5	3	4	3	3	4	4	3	5
2	3	2	1	3	3	4	3	3	4	4
3	4	3	3	5	4	2	4	2	5	5
4	1	2	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	4
5	1	3	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	4
Contribution Level		1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High								
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