

**LAW DEGREE PROGRAM
COURSE SYLLABUS**

Course Details							
Code				Academic Year		Semester	
HUK259				2		3	
Title				LE	TU	LA	ECTS
Philosophy and Sociology of Law				2	-	-	4
Language		German					
Level	Bachelor	x	Master		Ph.D.		
Program	Law/Law						
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Formal Education						
Course Type	Compulsory	x	Elective				
Objectives	This course aims to introduce the necessary points of view in order to comprehend the elements of the concept of law, the qualities of the concepts which are related to law and the relationships between law and society.						
Content	In this course, various views in philosophy and sociology fields with regards to law both as a matter of concept and as a matter of law, are presented in an analitical and critical manner.						
Requirements	None						
Coordinator	None						
Lecturer(s)	Prof. Dr. Matthias MAHLMANN, Associate Prof.Dr. Joachim KRETSCHMER						
Assistant(s)	Res. Assist. Başak BERKÜN						
Internship status of the course	None						
Recommended or Required Reading							
Books/Scripts	Matthias Mahlmann, Rechtsphilosophie und Rechtstheorie, 7. Edition, Nomos, 2022.						
Other Sources	None						
Additional Course Material							
Documents	None						
Assignments	None						
Exams	None						
Course Composition							
Mathematics und Basic Sciences					%		
Engineering					%		
Construction Design					%		
Social Sciences	100				%		

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Educational Sciences			%
Natural Sciences			%
Health Sciences			%
Special Field			%
Assessment			
	Count		Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1		40
Quiz			
Assignments			
Attendance			
Tutorial			
Project			
Final Exam	1		60
Total			100
ECTS Points and Work Load			
	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)
Lectures	13	2	26
Self-Study	25	3	75
Assignments			
Presentation / Seminar Preparation			
Midterm Exam	1	1	1
Tutorial			
Laboratory			
Project			
Final Exam	1	2	2
Total Work Load			118
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 30)			4
Learning Outcomes			
1	Understanding the nature of law		
2	Understanding the ethical questions with regards to law		
3			
4			
5			
Weekly Content			

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1	The presentation of the course and introduction
2	Main elements of sociology, sociological aspect of law
3	The effects of law on society
4	Law in action
5	Legal pluralism
6	Important theorists: Max Weber, Emile Durkheim, Karl Marx
7	Main elements of philosophy, philosophical aspect of law
8	Midterm Exam
9	Natural Law vs. Legal Positivism
10	Legal philosophy in ancient period
11	Legal philosophy in Enlightenment and afterwards
12	Theories of social contract
13	The concepts of equality, justice and liberty
14	Final Exam
15	

Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)

	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10
1	4	1	4	3	4	1	4	1	4	5
2	4	1	4	3	4	1	4	1	4	5
3										
4										
5										

Contribution Level 1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High

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