

Faculty of Law and Administration

Course title: CORPORATE LAW

ECTS credit allocation (and other scores): 4

Semester: spring

Level of study: ISCED-7- long-cycle programmes (EQF-7)

Branch of science: Social sciences

Language: English

Number of hours per semester: 15

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Type of classes: classes

Substantive content

CLASSES: Introduction to company law, roles in company management, introduction to company capitalisation, shareholders, fundamental changes in a company, Corporate Governance.

Learning purpose: Exercises are designed to familiarize students with the legal regulations of commercial and basic companies problems related to their functioning on the market. Cases and will be solved during the exercises practical tasks, i.e. writing contracts

On completion of the study programme the graduate will gain:

Knowledge: Knows the forms in which entrepreneurs can operate. Knows how commercial companies operate.

Skills: use the sources of law, case law and literature. Is able to use legal terminology commercial, Is able to interpret the content of provisions in the field of commercial law. He can formulate his own conclusions and their justification

Social Competencies: The course encourages students to actively participate in their own and others' learning experience, to undertake collaborative group work and personal research.

Basic literature: B. Tricker, Corporate Governance: Principles, Policies and Practices, Oxford, 2009;

Frank H. Easterbrook, The economic structure of corporate law, Harvard University Press.

Supplementary literature: Andreas Cahn, David C. Donald, Comparative Company Law: Text and Cases on the Laws Governing Corporations in Germany, the UK and the USA, Cambridge, 2018.

The allocated number of ECTS points consists of:

Contact hours with an academic teacher: 15

Student's independent work: 30