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International Organizations

Academic Year: (2023 / 2024) Review date: 04-05-2023

Department assigned to the subject: International Law, Ecclesiastical Law and Philosophy of Law Department

Coordinating teacher: QUISPE REMON, FLORABEL

Type: Electives ECTS Credits: 3.0

Year: Semester:

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

Does not require requirements

OBJECTIVES

This course aims to provide the student with a global vision of the role played by international organizations in the international arena, from different perspectives.

At the end of the course the student will be familiar with the role of international organizations of cooperation and integration, universal and regiona. The student will have examined IO's aims, principles, functions and their respective legal orders. International organizations will be examined as international legal subjects and actor of relevance at the international stage regarding in particular the maintenace of peace and security, the protection of human rights, economic development and environment

It is intended that the student know in depth what an international organization is, its objectives, purposes and how it carries out its work in practice.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

The proposed program is divided into 7 lessons. First, there will be an approach to the phenomenon of international organizations, their origin and evolution. The following lessons will analyze the more representative international organizations with universal scope.

In the following lessons we will study the role of the UN and its agencies, and later other universal level organizations, such as the World Trade Organization.

To close the course, there will be an analysis of the most representative regional international organizations.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

In teaching this subject, active learning techniques will be implemented, both in lectures and in small groups. In this way, an interactive learning will be implemented, in which, in addition, the evaluation techniques will be novel, introducing self-evaluation and peer evaluation.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Continuous assessment techniques will consist of student presentations, peer review, and self-assessment.

% end-of-term-examination: 0

% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...): 100

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Diez de Velasco, Manuel Las Organizaciones internacionales, Tecnos (2010).
- Pastor Ridruejo, José Antonio Curso de Derecho Internacional Público y Organizaciones

Internacionales, Tecnos, 2015

- Volker Rittberger, Bernhard Zangl, y otros International Organitations, Macmillan International Higuer Education, 2019

ADDITIONAL BIBLIOGRAPHY

- DUPUY, R.J. Les organisations internacionales, Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, The Hague, 1998.
- KLABBERS, J. An introduction to international institutional law, Cambridge University Press, 2002.
- SCHERMERS, G., BLOKKER, N. International institutional law, Leiden, 2003.

BASIC ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

- Naciones Unidas . Naciones Unidas: http://www.un.org
- OMC . OMC: http://www.wto.org