

General principles and instruments of environmental law

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Department assigned to the subject: Public State Law Department

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Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 1 Semester : 2

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

- Basics of administrative Law.

OBJECTIVES

- Identifying and understanding the principles and legal techniques for the protection of the environment as applied to the regulated industries (economic sectors).
- to become aware of the relevance of environmental protection in the operation of regulated economic sectors..

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

- 1.- Introduction to environmental law: concept and contents; sources; allocation of powers in environmental protection.
- 2.- The principles of Environmental Law. Its relevance in the domain of industry regulation.
- 3.- The main techniques for environmental protection, as applied to regulated economic sectors: EIA, IPPC, environmental liability, market based instruments.
- 4.- Cases preparation and in-class discussions:
 - EIA of an energy production project
 - Integrated permit for energy installation
 - Debates over specific problems and issues
 - Case discussions

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

- Regular, lecturing sessions.
- Case - preparation and in-class discussions
- team works
- analysis of readings distributed beforehand and in-classs discussions..

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Final exam: written exam

Continuous assessment: assistance and participation in the regular lectures and in-class discussions.

Preparation and solution of the practical cases proposed by the profesor.

The assessment in the extraordinary call would be under the same requirements than in the ordinary one.

% end-of-term-examination:	60
% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):	40