

Academic Year: (2023 / 2024)

Review date: 28-04-2023

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

Coordinating teacher: ALCOCEBA GALLEG0, MARIA AMPARO

Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 4 Semester :

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

Public international law

Instruments and international cooperation regimes

OBJECTIVES

The subject focuses on the analysis of diplomatic and consular relations in international society, with the aim of introducing students to the basic aspects of diplomatic and consular law, paying special attention to diplomatic functions, diplomatic missions, diplomatic status and consular functions. It is a subject that deepens the understanding of public international law and its relationship with our legal system.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

Diplomatic and consular relations law, with reference to the creation and operation of diplomatic missions and statutes and members of the diplomatic mission, consular functions, distinguishing between political functions, functions relating to nationality, assistance functions, administrative functions, private law and the legal functions and finally the statutes of the consular offices and its members.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

An hour and a half of theory class (lecture) will be given, where the fundamental contents indicated in the syllabus of the subject will be explained in an orderly manner. For a proper understanding of the explanations, prior reading of the subject in the reference manual is recommended. In the second session (practical class), also lasting an hour and a half, practical cases and workshops will be held in which students will present and discuss the proposed topics, acquiring the necessary skills to solve the legal problems raised.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM**Ordinary exams**

The continuous assessment will account for 50% of the mark. The teacher in charge of the small groups will establish the way to obtain this mark by means of lectures, class participation, partial practical tests or multiple-choice tests. The final theory exam (developmental or multiple-choice) will allow up to 50% of the total grade to be obtained.

Extraordinary exams

The evaluation of the extraordinary call will consist of a final exam (developmental or multiple-choice) that will be carried out with the same criteria used in the evaluation of the ordinary call. The percentage weight of this test will be 100% of the final grade.

% end-of-term-examination:	50
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% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):	50
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ADDITIONAL BIBLIOGRAPHY

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BASIC ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

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- . Servicio Europeo de Acción Exterior: http://eeas.europa.eu/background/index_es.htm
- Colección Escuela Diplomática . Los Órganos del Estado para las relaciones exteriores. Compendio de Derecho Diplomático y consular:
<http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/es/Ministerio/EscuelaDiplomatica/Documents/160303%20Coleccion%20ED%2021>