

Syllabus of the discipline Law of External Relations



Higher education degree – Bachelor
Field of Knowledge - 29 International relations
Specialty – 293 International law
Educational program and Professional Program – International law

Year of the study: 3, Semester: 6

Number of credits ECTS: 5 Language of study: English

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Description of the discipline

The purpose of studying the Discipline "Law of External Relations" is students' assimilation of knowledge about the role and mechanism of functioning of the diplomatic and consular service in the system of international relations, students' development of the practice of the diplomatic service, taking into account the peculiarities of modern specifics of interstate contacts, their impact on the system of interstate diplomacy.

Course structure

Hours (lect. / prakt.cl.)	Topic	Results of the study	Tasks
4 / 2	Topic 1. History of the formation of diplomacy.	To study the history of the formation of the Institute of diplomacy and the diplomatic service.	Tests, questions
4 / 2	Topic 2. Diplomacy in the system of international regulation of international relations	Find out the place and role of diplomatic mechanisms in world politics and economy.	Tests, questions
4 / 2	Topic 3. Establishment of diplomatic relations.	Get acquainted with the norms of international law that relate to the procedure for establishing diplomatic relations between countries.	Tests, questions
4 / 2	Topic 4. Diplomatic privileges and	To investigate the international practice of using diplomatic privileges and immunities in the system	Tests, questions

	immunities.	of diplomatic and consular service.	
4 / 2	Topic 5. Techniques of conducting diplomatic negotiations.	Get acquainted with the basics of existing negotiation techniques in the practice of diplomatic and consular services.	Tests, questions
4 / 2	Topic 6. International organizations as a form and manifestation of multilateral diplomacy.	Get acquainted with the mechanisms of multilateral diplomacy in the work of international organizations, find out the specifics of the activities of diplomatic workers in international organizations.	Tests, questions
4 / 1	Topic 7. Consular service in the system of diplomacy.	To investigate the organization and operation of the consular service in modern conditions.	Tests, questions
4 / 1	Topic 8. Special Missions as a form of diplomacy.	To find out the place and role of special missions in 21st-century diplomacy.	Tests, questions

Bibliography

1. Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations of April 18, 1961.
2. Berridge G.R. Diplomacy: Theory and Practice, Cham, Palgrave Macmillan, 2022.
3. M.Yankiv, K.Flissak, A.R.Kozłowski. Dyplomacja w zagranicznej współpracy gospodarczej – Warszawa: CeDeWu, 2020 – 166 s.

Evaluation policy

- **Deadline and retake policy:** Modules are retaken with the permission of the dean's office if there are good reasons (for example, sick leave).
- **Academic Integrity Policy:** cheating during tests and exams is prohibited (including using mobile devices).
- **Visiting policy:** Attending classes is a mandatory component of the assessment. For objective reasons (for example, illness, international internship, and other reasons), training can take place online with the permission of the university administration.

Evaluation

The final score for the course is calculated as follows:

Credit module 1		Credit module 2	Credit module 3	Overall
40%	40%	5%	15%	100%
Current assessment	Module Control	Trainings	Individual work	
The score is defined as the arithmetic mean of the scores obtained during practical classes. Each applicant must be evaluated at least once every two classes and receive at least three grades.	Module control is planned after the completion of consideration of topic 8 and covers	The score is defined as the arithmetic mean of the scores received for	The score is defined as the arithmetic mean of the scores received for performing diverse tasks related to the preparation of a scientific paper (essay, scientific article, abstracts), annotations	100

Absences of practical classes must be worked out during consultation hours, otherwise they are considered a score of "0" and are taken into account when determining the arithmetic mean. For applicants who study on an individual schedule, the current assessment is carried out during consultations, and by completing tasks in the Moodle system. Current assessment is carried out through an oral survey, preparation of scientific reports, problem solving, testing through the Moodle system in practical classes.	from topics 1 to 8, and involves completing 10 test tasks and two theoretical questions.	completing training tasks.	to a scientific article, and participation in scientific conferences. The module "independent work" can be counted based on the results of confirmation with the appropriate certificate of participation in the school of polish and European law, the School of European Union law, and the School of European contract law.	
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Student Assessment Scale:

ECTS	Points	Essence
A	90-100	Excellent
B	85-89	Good
C	75-84	Good
D	65-74	Satisfactory
E	60-64	Sufficient
FX	35-59	unsatisfactory with the possibility of retaking the credit
F	1-34	unsatisfactory with a mandatory retry course