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| Course Title | The EE Institutions | | | | |
| Course Code | EL50 | | | | |
| Course Type | Compulsory | | | | |
| Level | Master | | | | |
| Year / Semester | 1 st Semester | | | | |
| Teacher's Name | Prof. Christos Clerides / Dr Evi Christofilopoulou | | | | |
| ECTS | 10 | Lectures / week | 13 | Laboratories / week | |
| Course Purpose and Objectives | <p>Constitutional Law of the EU – Insight of Union Law</p> <p>The European Union is an autonomous legal order with particular state characteristics. In the process of European integration all the characteristics resemble all the more with those of a federal state. More so the classic community freedoms as well as the Fundamental rights with the Charter of Fundamental rights of the EU strengthening the common European identity providing all citizens of the union guarantees of freedom and development. The purpose of the course is to familiarize students with particular aspect of the constitutional structure of the EU in the content of the new economic treaties and its constitution.</p> | | | | |
| Learning Outcomes | <p>Learning outcomes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The students shall be in a position to know the historical course of adopting/reviewing the Treaties (the “constitutional” history of the Union)2. Shall discern the basic functions and competences of the constitutional organs of the Union3. Shall become familiar with the methods and procedures of decision making of the Union.4. They will deepen their knowledge in the constitutional principles and the manner of their applications5. They will deepen their knowledge in the functioning of the political organs of the European Union6. They will comprehend the basic institutions of economic union in the light of current problems.7. Shall approach critically the constitutional structure of the Union and the process of European integration in general8. They will comprehend the role and contribution of the Court of Justice of the EE | | | | |
| Prerequisites | N/A | Required | | N/A | |
| Course Content | <p>Description:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Lisbon Treaty. From Nice to Lisbon Primary and secondary union law2. An assessment of the Treaty of Lisbon | | | | |

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| | <p>3. The “constitutional principles” of the EU (the principle of supremacy, direct effect, civil liability of a member state) in the content of an institutional dynamic relationship between European Union-Member States</p> <p>4. The European Parliament</p> <p>5. The European Commission</p> <p>6. The Council</p> <p>7. In particular Ecofin and Eurogroup</p> <p>8. The legislative procedure of the EU</p> <p>9. The European Central Bank and the institution of economic governance of the EU</p> <p>10. The Court of the EU</p> <p>11. The future of the European Union</p> |
| Teaching Methodology | Lectures / Power Point presentations. Discussions – Problems solving |
| Bibliography | <p>Main Bibliography</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Συνθήκη της Λισσαβώνας, Β. Σκουρής 2020 2. Οι Πολιτικοί Θεσμοί της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης: Συνθήκη της Λισσαβώνας, Β. Τζέμος, 2009 3. Steiner & Woods EU Law 2020 <p>Additional Bibliography</p> <p>ΕΚΔΟΣΕΙΣ ΝΟΜΙΚΗ ΒΙΒΛΙΟΘΗΚΗ</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Το Δίκαιο της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Γεωργόπουλος, Καλαβρός, 4η Έκδοση, 2020 2. Κατ’ άρθρο ερμηνεία του Χάρτη των Θεμελιωδών Δικαιωμάτων της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Κανελλοπολύλου, Μαλούχου κ.ά., έκδοση 2020. 3. Το σύστημα διακυβέρνησης της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Γιαταγάνας, Γκόρτσος κ.ά., 2020 4. Το δίκαιο της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Πλιάκος, 2018 5. Η αρχή του Κράτους Δικαίου στην έννομη τάξη της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Χρυσομάλλης, 2018 6. Ευρωπαϊκής Σύμβαση Δικαιωμάτων του Ανθρώπου-ερμηνεία κατ’ άρθρο, Σισιλιάνος, 2η έκδοση, 2017. 7. Ευρωπαϊκό Δίκαιο, Παπαγιάννης, Δ., 5η έκδοση, 2016 |

8. Εισαγωγή στο Δίκαιο της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Β. Χριστιανός, Μ. Περράκης, 2η έκδοση 2020
9. Χ. Γκόρτσος, Εισαγωγή στο Δίκαιο της Οικονομικής και Νομισματικής Ένωσης, Αθήνα: Νομική Βιβλιοθήκη 2014

ΕΚΔΟΣΕΙΣ ΣΑΚΚΟΥΛΑΣ

1. Η αρχή της αλληλεγγύης στην έννομη τάξη της Ευρωπαϊκής Ένωσης, Χρυσομάλλης Μ., 2017

3. Legal Journals English

1. CLJ Cambridge Law Journal
2. CMR Common Market Law Reports
3. CML Rev Common Market Law Review
4. ELJ European Law Journal
5. EL Rev European Law Review
6. ICLQ International and Comparative Law Quarterly
7. LQR Law Quarterly Review
8. MLR Modern Law Review
9. Yale LJ Yale Law Journal
10. (10)YEL Yearbook of European Law

Supplementary English Bibliography

1. Ιστορική εξέλιξη ΕΕ

- Anbelj “Theory of European Union” (2011) 36EL Rev. 212

2. Οργανισμοί της ΕΕ – Θεσμοί

- Dawson, M and de Witte, F “Constitutional balance in the EU after the Euro Crisis” (2013) 76 MLR 817
- Scicluna, N and Aner, S. “From the rule of law to the rule of rules: technology and the crisis of EU governance” (2014) 42 WEP 1420

3. Ιεράρχηση κανόνων δικαίου

- Smith, M “Staring into the Abyss: a crisis of the rule of law in the EU (2019) 25 ELJ 561

4. Ευθύνη θεσμών

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Gutman K. "The evolution of the action for damages against the EE and its place in the system of judicial protection (2011) 48 CLL Rev. 695</u> <p>5. <u>Αναφορές στο Δικαστήριο ΕΕ</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Broberg M. "National Courts of last instance failing to make a preliminary reference the (possible) consequences flowing therefrom" (2016) 22 EPL 243 <p>6. <u>Ευθύνη Ευρωπαϊκής Κεντρικής Τράπεζας</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turk, A and Xanthoulis N. "Legal Accountability of European Central Bank in bank supervision (2019) 26 MJECL 151 <p>7. D. Chalmers, G. Davies, G. Monti, European Union Law: Text and Materials, Cambridge: CUP, 3rd edition, 2014</p> <p>8. C. Barnard, The substantive Law of the EU: The Four Freedoms, Oxford: OUP, 5th edition, 2016</p> <p>9. A. Rosas / L. Armati, EU Constitutional Law: An Introduction, 2018</p> <p>10. Nugent Neil, The Government and Politics of the European Union, 8th Edition, 2017, London, Macmillan</p> <p>11. Hix Simon & Bjorn Hoyland, The Political System of the European Union, 3rd Edition, London, Macmillan</p> <p>12. <u>www.publiclawjournal.com</u></p> <p>13. E-Book σε <u>www.dimosiodikaio.gr</u></p> |
| Assessment | Two essays and intermediate exam 30% Final Exam 60%. Attendances 10% |
| Language | Greek |