



Course title: Commercial law

ECTS credit allocation (and other scores): 8

Semester: autumn

Level of study: ISCED-7- long-cycle programmes (EQF-7)

Branch of science: Social sciences

Language: English

Number of hours per semester: 30

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Type of classes: classes

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#### Substantive content

LECTURES: Company law versus commercial law – general description, Entrepreneur, business activity and enterprise, Business name and representation of an entrepreneur, Central Register and Information on Economic Activity, Register of entrepreneurs – National Court Register, Partnerships under commercial law, Partnerships under commercial law, Property and internal relations in partnerships, General aspects of capital companies, Structure of assets and the bodies of capital companies.

Learning purpose: The main purpose of this subject is to provide knowledge about different forms of leading economic activity, specially companies. Also students attention will be directed on intangible assets of undertakings like industrial property rights and unfair trade practices.

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On completion of the study program the graduate will gain:

Knowledge: the student acquires knowledge about forms of doing business and the principles of their functioning

Skills: the student will be able to determine the entity authorized to represent entrepreneurs or entities responsible for debts related to business operations

Social Competencies: the student will gain the competence to actively participate in legal services for entrepreneurs.

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Basic literature: J.J. Zięty (red.), *Fundamental issues of Polish commercial law*, Olsztyn 2022

Supplementary literature: E. Baskind, G. Osborne, L. Roach, *Commercial law*, Oxford University Press, Oxford 2022

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The allocated number of ECTS points consists of: 8

Contact hours with an academic teacher: 15

Student's independent work: 10