

Introduction to European Studies

Educational subject description sheet

Basic information

Study programme

European Legal Studies

Speciality

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Organizational unit

Faculty of Law and Administration

Study level

First-cycle programme

Study form

Full-time

Education profile

General academic

Didactic cycle

2024/25

Subject code

10ELSS.11HS.04818.24

Lecture languages

English

Course type

Obligatory

Block

Humanities and social subjects

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Goals

Code	Goal
C1	• providing knowledge about the development of the idea of Europe • developing knowledge about the diversified cultural and civilizational heritage of Europe

Subject learning outcomes

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Code	Outcomes in terms of	Learning outcomes	Examination methods
Knowled	lge - Student:		
W1	describes the development of the idea of Europe in its historical context	ELS_K1_W01	Written exam
W2	points out the significance of earlier forms of the idea of Europe for the present-day understanding of it	ELS_K1_W01	Written exam
W3	is able to discuss significant aspects of the diversified cultural and civilizational heritage of Europe	ELS_K1_W01	Written exam
W4	is able to interpret the phenomena discussed during the lecture and draw justified conclusions regarding them	ELS_K1_W01	Written exam
Skills - 9	Student:		
U1	describes the development of the idea of Europe in its historical context	ELS_K1_U01, ELS_K1_U03	Written exam
U2	points out the significance of earlier forms of the idea of Europe for the present-day understanding of it	ELS_K1_U01, ELS_K1_U03	Written exam
U3	is able to discuss significant aspects of the diversified cultural and civilizational heritage of Europe	ELS_K1_U01, ELS_K1_U03	Written exam
U4	is able to increase subject-related English-language competence, including the use of English-language literature of the subject	ELS_K1_U10, ELS_K1_U11	Written exam
U5	is able to interpret the phenomena discussed during the lecture and draw justified conclusions regarding them	ELS_K1_U01, ELS_K1_U03	Written exam
Social co	ompetences - Student:		
K1	points out the significance of earlier forms of the idea of Europe for the present-day understanding of it	ELS_K1_K04	Written exam
K2	is able to interpret the phenomena discussed during the lecture and draw justified conclusions regarding them	ELS_K1_K01, ELS_K1_K04	Written exam

Study content

No.	Course content	Subject learning outcomes	Activities
1.	The idea of Europe from Antiquity to the Middle Ages	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
2.	Europe and Christianity and humanism	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
3.	The understanding of Europe in the Renaissance and Enlightenment periods	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
4.	Europe and the great geographical discoveries	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
5.	The idea of Europe and the concepts of culture and civlization	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
6.	The French Revolution and the post-revolutionary understanding of Europe	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture

N	о.	Course content	Subject learning outcomes	Activities
7.		Patriotism and nationalism in Europe 1848-1914	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture
8.		The idea of Europe in the years 1914-1945	W1, W2, W3, W4, U1, U2, U3, U4, U5, K1, K2	Lecture

Additional information

Activities Teaching and learning methods and activities	
Lecture	Lecture with a multimedia presentation of selected issues

Activities	Credit conditions
Lecture	excellent (A; 5,0): excellent knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with an excellent ability to interpret it and draw conclusions very good (B+; 4,5): very good knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with a very good ability to interpret it and draw conclusions, with infrequent errors good (B; 4,0): good knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with a good ability to interpret it and draw conclusions, with some errors average (C+,3,5) average knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with an average ability to interpret it and draw conclusions, with quite frequent errors satisfactory (C; 3,0): satisfactory knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with a satisfactory ability to interpret it and draw conclusions, with frequent errors unsatisfactory (D; 2,0): unsatisfactory knowledge of the material discussed in the lecture, together with an unsatisfactory ability to interpret it and draw conclusions, with frequent errors

Literature

Obligatory

1. Davies, Norman. 1996. Europe: A history. Oxford: Oxford University Press. Duroselle, Jean-Baptiste. 2002. Europe: A history of its peoples. London: Viking Press. Rietbergen, Peter. 2015. Europe: A cultural history. London: Routledge. Wandycz, Piotr. 2001. The price of freedom: A history of East Central Europe from the Middle Ages to the present. London: Routledge.

Calculation of ECTS points

Activities	Activity hours*
Lecture	30
Preparation for classes	30
Reading the indicated literature	30
Preparation for the exam	30

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Student workload	Hours 120	
Number of ECTS points	ECTS 4	

^{*} academic hour = 45 minutes

Efekty uczenia się dla kierunku

Kod	Treść	
ELS_K1_K01	The graduate is ready to critically appraise his or her knowledge, particularly in the context of the changing aquis on the regulation and critical assessment of the acquired knowledge, especially in view of the changing acquis on the regulation and application of law	
ELS_K1_K04 The graduate is ready to perform professional roles relating to the conduct of fundamental resonant activities and the development and application of European Union Law in a responsible manne		
ELS_K1_U01	U01 The graduate can interpret social phenomena (cultural, political, legal, economic) within legal science	
ELS_K1_U03	The graduate can analyse the causes and course of individual processes and social phenomena (cultural, political, legal and economic) within legal science	
ELS_K1_U10	The graduate can read with understanding, and be capable of preparing, standard texts in English on European Union law, pertaining to detailed issues or specific subjects, using basic theoretical approaches and source materials	
ELS_K1_U11	The graduate can have a command of a foreign modern language at B2+ level according to the Common European Reference for Languages, including specifc terminology	
ELS_K1_W01	The graduate knows and understands the foundations of the science of law and its relation to other sciences, including the processes of internalisation and regionalisation	