Law Degree Course, LMG/01, LMG/01, ALS

Bioethics

A.A. 2021/2022

II Semester, 6 CFU (45 h)

Professor Massimo La Torre

	Bioethics: issues concerning Life and Death				
General information	II, SECOND SEMESTER, 6 CFU, 42 H ALS				
professor	Massimo La Torre – e-mail: <u>mlatorre@unicz.it;</u>				
Course Contents	The course critically analizes the contemporary jurisprudential debate, focusing on the main bioethical issue involved. Frontal lectures, giving room for discussion and debate.				
Expected Learning Outcomes	The course aims at making the student able to critically face and deliberate over the awkward issues concerning life and death in the context of their ethical qualification and their legal regulation. The course aims at: - providing an account of the contemporary debate in bioethics, in the context of the general practical discourse and with the moral philosophy perspective; - addressing the main issues concerning the concepts of life and death, human dignity, and the other fundamental topics presupposed in legal practice with respect to bioethical issues making the student aware of the practical questions involved in bioethics;				

	- stimulating and improving the student's deliberative and practical reasoning skills.				
Main topics	Main Topics: Tragic choices, moral reasoning, bioethics and applied moral philosophy, morality and law, human cloning and other hard cases;				
individual study Time commitment	120 h				
Teaching Methods	Lectures, seminars, debates, and discussions.				
D.1	Recommended Didactic Materials and teaching resources:				
Didactic Materials and Teaching Resources	M. LA TORRE, Bioetica in tempi di pandemia. Morale, diritto, libertà, Deriveapprodi, Roma 2022.				
	Attending-students are to comply with the supplementary programme the will be provided during the course				

	Seminars will be scheduled during the lessons.						
supporting student activities	Reception: - During the course, Professor's office hours will take place before and after lessons.						
Course comple	Art. 8 of the "Regolamento didattico di Ateneo" (University Handbook for Teaching), provides a guide concerning how to attend lessons.						
	Oral exam, with evaluation expressed in thirtieths plus possible praise						
Assessment methods	Graduation	Arguments Knowledge	Analyzing skills	References			
	Rejected	Serious shortcomings. Significant inaccuracies	Presence of frequent generalizations. Inability to synthesize arguments	insufficient			
	18-20	Threshold- level knowledge.	insufficient capabilities	Barely sufficient			
	21-23	Basic knowledge	analyze and synthesize arguments skills	Standard references			
	24-26	non-trivial knowledge of the topics	appropriate synthesis and presentation skills	Basic references			
	27-29	Appropriate knowledge of the topics	Good synthesis and presentation skills	Thorough knowledge of the main topics			
	30-30L	Advanced knowledge of the topics	High synthesis and presentation skills	Detailed knowledge of all topics			