

Laurea Magistrale in Giurisprudenza

Commercial Law

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

knowledge and comprehension

Commercial law is made up of a well-structured and organic legal system regulating business enterprises' activities and features regarding the external activities. The course aims at providing the students with a complete knowledge at a basic level over commercial law system.

Ability to put in practice knowledge and comprehension

The knowledge acquired would enable the student with practical skills of the notions and concepts learnt besides with comprehension and skills sufficient to solve practical issues. The knowledge acquired would also provide students with the ability to communicate clearly and without ambiguity over their conclusions, notions and ratio of regulations, to specialist and non specialist persons. Moreover the course aims at developing the individual learning ability of students enabling them to continue studying and analyzing with a certain degree of autonomy.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Frontal lessons (105 hours) in line with the program planned and outlined in the syllabus. Should teaching be carried out in remote mode.

DETAILED COURSE CONTENT

The subject-matter of commercial law. Law sources. The entrepreneur. Entrepreneur's auxiliars. Company and social enterprise. Family-owned enterprise. Professional corporation. Profit-sharing agreement. Ordinary partnership. General partnership. Special partnership with active and sleeping partners. Company limited by shares. Public limited company/listed companies. Private limited company. Limited partnership with a share capital. Transformation. Merger Spin-off/division. Cooperative companies. Banking and financial contracts. Investments contract and financial market. Debt securities/negotiable instruments. General characteristics. Bill of exchange. Bank cheque. Cashier's cheque. Other debt instruments. Insolvency procedures. Bankruptcy. Bankruptcy declaration. Bodies involved in the bankruptcy. The acquiring of bankruptcy assets. Administrative expenditures. Business continuity. The effects of bankruptcy. Winding-up and distribution of assets. Companies' bankruptcy. Compulsory winding-up. Composition with creditors and restructuring agreements.

TEXTBOOK INFORMATION RECOMMENDED BOOKS

Students can choice alternatively:

- Presti – Rescigno, Corso di diritto commerciale, Volume unico, Zanichelli, (2023),
or
- CIAN (a cura di), *Manuale di diritto commerciale*, Giappichelli, 2023.

Students need an updated Civil Code with complementary laws.