

COURSE DETAIL

BUSINESS LAW

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Program(s)

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Legal Studies Business Administration

UCEAP Course Number

164

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

BUSINESS LAW

UCEAP Transcript Title

BUSINESS LAW

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the general legal framework and legal issues arising in day-to-day business dealings through the interpretation and analysis of business cases and statutes. It introduces basic principles of business law: laws of contract, contract for the sale of goods and service, professional negligence, agency, partnership, employment law, and business ethics. Topics covered include basic legal principles and rules required by business personnel; situations encountered in the professional field; legislative materials and legal documents; relevant legal issues which may arise in the context of legal occupations; Hong Kong legal system, the court system and the sources of Hong Kong law; legal system on litigants' rights and duties; essential elements of a valid contract and the remedies available in case of a breach of contract; role of contract law on consumer-related issues; role of employment law on job-related issues and employment disputes; law of torts and the right to compensation and damages; Sale of Goods Ordinance; and corporate and partnership law.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ACCT3610

Host Institution Course Title

BUSINESS LAW

Host Institution Campus

HKUST, Business

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Accounting

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