COURSE DETAIL

INTERNATIONAL LAW

Country
Italy

Host Institution
University of Bologna

Program(s)
University of Bologna

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Legal Studies International Studies

UCEAP Course Number
177

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
INTERNATIONAL LAW

UCEAP Transcript Title
INTERNATIONAL LAW

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description

This course is part of the Laurea Magistrale program and is intended for advanced level students. Enrollment is by consent of the instructor. This course introduces the critical study of the main tenets, the sources, and some specific fields of contemporary international law. The three fundamental legal functions on which the legal dynamics of the international community is founded – lawmaking, law determination, and law enforcement – are analyzed within the contemporary social context. International law is presented in its different dimensions: as a tool in the hand of international actors able to handle change in the international society and safeguard stability and predictability of international legal relations; as common language useful in reaching consensus or, at least, peaceful disagreement; and as key to understanding the reality of contemporary international relations. Bringing together different perspectives, the course demonstrates how international rules, while made by governments and mostly addressed to them, can be of great relevance to private actors and to their interests.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
40344

Host Institution Course Title
INTERNATIONAL LAW

Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
BOLOGNA

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
LM in LEGAL STUDIES

Host Institution Department
Legal Studies

Course Last Reviewed
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