1. SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

Law Unplugged is an innovative and practice oriented course that aims to bring students closer to the reality of legal practice. The object of the course is to teach students to work and think like a lawyer.

This course will be based in simulations of the legal practice that will offer students the experience of the day to day work as a lawyer as well as the legal skills needed in order to succeed as a lawyer.

The course is designed to help student develop their communication skills in a professional legal environment and to prepare legal documents.

2. OBJECTIVES AND SKILLS

The objective of the course is to bring students close to the real practice of the legal profession.

It is an objective of the course that students understand the following concepts:

- Understanding of the different legal professions.
- Understanding of the legal market reality.
- Understanding of the legal practice in a globalized economy.

The aim of the course is for students to acquire the following skills:

- Communication skills (writing and public speaking) in a legal environment.
- Learn to work in an international and multidisciplinary team.
- Acquire leadership skills for the legal practice.

3. CONTENT

SESSION 1
Communication skills in a legal environment.
SESSION 2 LEGAL
Writing skills.

SESSION 3
Legal oral skills.

SESSION 4
Legal market and legal professions.

SESSION 5
Trends in the transformation of the legal profession.

SESSION 6
LEGAL PRACTICE IN A GLOBALIZED ECONOMY.

SESSION 7
Legal social responsibility.

SESSION 8
Preparation for the legal practice simulation.

SESSION 9
Legal practice simulation: Negotiation of a transaction with corporate, antitrust and litigation implications at US law firm

SESSION 10
Legal practice simulation Negotiation of a transaction with corporate, antitrust and litigation implications at US law firm

SESSION 11
Legal practice simulation: Negotiation of a transaction with corporate, antitrust and litigation implications at US law firm

SESSION 12
Multimedia Case

SESSION 13
Case Study

SESSION 14
Final presentations.

SESSION 15
Final presentations.
4. METHODOLOGY AND ECTS WEIGHTING

The methodology for this course will be an active one. Students are expected to participate actively in each one of the sessions. The classes will consist in a mixture of class debate, individual and group exercises and presentations as well as simulations of the legal practice.

For each class, the students will be required to do the assigned readings and prepare the mandatory individual or group exercises.

ECTS weighting

3 ECTS (25 student work hours each) = 75 hours, divided as follows:

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<th>Teaching Methodology</th>
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<td>Lectures</td>
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5. EVALUATION SYSTEM

5.1. GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

Class attendance is compulsory and an unjustified absence of more than 30% of the classes will result in a grade of 0.0 for the subject. Students must do the readings and the assigned tasks for each class. Class participation is essential in order to pass the course.

Evaluation will be based on active class participation, student discussions, student exercises and presentations, and student group presentations as well as a final exam.

5.2. EVALUATION AND WEIGHTING CRITERIA

The final grade for the course will be based on both individual and group work. The evaluation is based on:

- Final presentations: 30%
- Cases: 30%
- Class exercises: 20%
- Class participation: 20%

RETAKE EXAM

If a student’s course grade is below 5.0, the student is required to take the retake exam to pass the course.

The maximum grade that students can obtain in the retake exam period is 8.0.

A student who has missed over 30% of the class meetings will not be allowed to take the retake exam, but will only have two attempts left to pass the course during the following academic year.

Students who are in third or fourth call should contact the teacher during the first two weeks of the course.