

Course Description

Faculty of Law

Study program: Jurisprudence (Integrated Study Program in Law)

Course Title: Civil Procedure Law

Course Credits: 11

Language of Instruction: Albanian

Course Description: Topics covered include civil actions at law historically and currently, a brief introduction to equity, provisional and final remedies, res judicata and collateral estoppel, relief from judgment and collateral attack, personal jurisdiction and venue, the subject matter jurisdiction of the courts, and choice of source of law. Substantive law draws meaning from its application at each stage of the litigation process. The course examines the reciprocal relationship between substantive law and procedure by recreating a whole case from pleadings through appeal. This analysis is provided through a detailed interpretation of the content of the provisions to the Albanian Civil Procedure Code.

Course Goals: The objective of the course is to supply those thinking skills that are the foundation of legal education. The purpose of the course "Civil Procedure Law" is the preparation of students to acquire the best possible skills in the application of procedural instruments as well as in the implementation of better procedural provisions in general in all stages of the trial in which it passes i the entire process of reviewing a civil case, until the execution of a court decision. Students will be given the opportunity to provide solutions through a logical and analytical process various civil procedural situations, which will be presented for solution in practice. The focus throughout is on the need to develop the skill of thinking procedurally in order to understand the law and to help shape its development.

Course Requirements: The student's obligations consist of: completing written and/or oral tests, preparing course assignment in the group, and in active participation in seminars. Failure to attend at least 25% of seminars means the students cannot enter the final exam.

Grading: The final assessment will be 100 points which will be divided into:

20 points participation, group coursework and activation in seminars

80 points of the final exam

Course Schedule: The course includes 105 hours of lectures and 30 hours of seminars. Lectures will be delivered weekly. The schedule of activities is subject to change.