***SYLLABUS OF THE COURSE***

***“INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND DATA PROTECTION”***

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| **Department responsible for the course or equivalent:** | Department of international law, Law faculty  e-mail: [interlaw-kafedra@mail.ru](mailto:interlaw-kafedra@mail.ru) |
| **Course Level** | Master Level |
| **Semester in which a course is given** | 2nd (Spring) |
| **ECTS Credits** | 5 |
| **Number of Classes** | 18 (36 hours) |
| **Lecturer** | Anna B. Arzumanyan, Associate Professor, e-mail: [rumi12@yandex.ru](mailto:rumi12@yandex.ru) |
| **Admission requirements** | Theory of Law, International Private Law |
| **Course Description** | Information and intellectual property have a great impact on modern life including human rights, science researches, business and economy. That is why international standards for intellectual property and data protection plays an important part in the development of digital society. Course focuses on the main issues of intellectual property and data protection such as copyright in digital age, international patent systems, trademark registration system, know-how and sensitive information and others. |
| **Course Objective** | Course was created to form students' legal competence in the field of international standards for the protection of intellectual property and information, allowing them to give qualified legal opinions and provide legal assistance on information and intellectual property issues in international private law relations. |
| **Learning Outcome** | As a result of studying the course students will be supposed to:  know:  main categories and concepts of international conventions for the protection of information and intellectual property;  modern processes and trends of legal regulation of intellectual property and information in the world;  the main modern trends in legal science in the field of intellectual property and data protection;  be able to:  navigate the system of international legal acts and national legislation regulating the sphere of professional activity in question;  interpret legal acts, analyze them, and develop their own judgments and conclusions on this basis;  use the skills of objective assessment of legal risks in the field of intellectual property and information protection. |
| **Course Contents** | 1. Introduction: How Information and Intellectual Property Impact the Modern World? 2. International Agreements for Intellectual Property Protection: Objects, Rights, Basic Principals 3. Copyright in the Digital Age: The Main Issues of Legal Protection 4. International Patent Systems 5. Trademark Registration Systems 6. Know-how and Sensitive Information 7. Intellectual Property, Artificial Intelligence and Data Protection: Controversial Issues 8. Intellectual Property, Information and Human Rights: Predictions for the Future |
| **Learning Activities and Teaching Methods** | Course includes lectures based on problem issues/topics and practical lessons.  Students’ activities include:  listening to the lectures and taking part at discussions;  making a report with presentation;  writing an essay;  studying practical cases;  passing an interview. |
| **Assessment Methods and Criteria** | Maximum points for the listening to the lectures and taking part at discussions – 10; making a report with presentation – 20; writing an essay – 20; studying practical cases – 20; passing an interview – 30. |
| **Course Requirement and Grading** | There won’t be a final exam for this course.  Assessment will be given according to the number of points scored for the activities described above.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Grade | Score | | A | 95 - 100 | | B | 85 - 94 | | C | 71 - 84 | | D | 65 - 70 | | E | 60 - 64 | | FX | 31 - 59 | | F | 30 and under |   Minimum Course Requirement: E or above |
| **Text and References** | 1. World Intellectual Property Organization: Resources // URL: https://www.wipo.int/reference/en/ 2. The ICC Intellectual Property Roadmap, 13th Edition 2017 // URL: http://www.iccbooks.ru/upload/iblock/adb/adbc614b13a7ff170a82aaafa039ec61.pdf 3. Report Series: The Impact of Robotics and Artificial Intelligence on the Law // URL: https://www.sal.org.sg/Resources-Tools/Law-Reform/Robotics\_AI\_Series?fbclid=IwAR3Ra97aK-OzE30EQFUBf8xRAuMnc3-JMswr4\_rawgCBBVTb2yTIYxkObDM |