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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
HUK379	Introduction to Anglo-American Legal Systems	5	2	0	0	2	2

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	English
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	Providing students with a general understanding on the operation and the main principles of Anglo-American Legal Systems with a special emphasis on the legal system in England and Wales.
Content	See below.
References	

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	The Practice of Law in the Anglo-American World I (Bodies of Law, Types of Law, Lawyers)
2	The Practice of Law in the Anglo-American World II (Types of Courts, Persons in Court, Describing What a Law Says)
3	Contracts I: Contract Formation (Introduction to Contract Formation, Defences to Contract Formation, Contract Negotiation, Writing an Informative Memo)
4	Contracts II: Remedies I (Introduction to Contract Remedies, Understanding Contract clauses, Liquidated damages)
5	Contracts III: Remedies II (Types of Breach, Types of Damages, Paraphrasing Clauses)
6	Contracts IV: Assignment and Third-Party Rights, and Introduction to Contract Drafting (Contract Assignment, Understanding Contract Clauses II, Contract Structure, Drafting Sample Contract Clauses)
7	Torts I (Introduction to Torts, Intentional Torts, Negligence, Trespass)
8	Torts II (Standards of Care, Defences to Negligent Conduct, Business Torts)
9	Company Law I: Company Formation and Management (Introduction to Company Law, Memorandum of Association, Company Types, Corporate Governance)
10	Company Law II: Capitalisation (Types of Capital and Shares, Rights Issue, Shareholders and Supervisory Boards, Shareholder Rights)
11	Company Law III: Fundamental Changes in a Company (AGMs and Extraordinary AGMs, Constitutional Amendments, M&As)
12	Corporate Governance (Officers and Directors of a Company, Elections, Duties and Responsibilities of Directors and Officers)
13	Corporate Insolvency (Debtor-Creditor Relationship, Bankruptcy of a Company, Liens and Priorities, Liquidation Procedures)
14	Employment Law, and Lease and Rental Agreements (Introduction to Employment Law, Terms of Employment, Essential Terms of a Lease Agreement)