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GUÍA DOCENTE**2025 - 2026****FICHA TÉCNICA DE LA ASIGNATURA****Datos de la asignatura**

Nombre completo	Sports Law
Código	E000013638
Nivel	Reglada Grado Europeo
Cuatrimestre	Semestral
Créditos	3,0 ECTS
Carácter	Obligatoria (Grado)
Departamento / Área	Área de Derecho Administrativo Departamento de Derecho Público
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DATOS ESPECÍFICOS DE LA ASIGNATURA**Contextualización de la asignatura****Aportación al perfil profesional de la titulación**

Gain an in-depth understanding of the legal foundations governing sports law, its essential characteristics, and its regulatory sources. Likewise, gain an understanding of the essential institutions of sports law.

Competencias - Objetivos**Competencias****Instrumentals skills**

Problem resolutions.

Ability to apply knowledge in practice, getting results.

Personals**Specific skills****Conceptual (Knowledge)**

Comprehension of Sports Law.

Place the Sports Law in a complex legal and economic context.



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Identification of the basic rules of Sports Law and their application to specific cases

Procedural (do)

Discursive and argumentative skills.

Professionals (Know-how)

Identifying the elements of a legal problem, proposing alternative solutions

Resultados de Aprendizaje

Understanding the sports legal system and the institutions that interact within it.

BLOQUES TEMÁTICOS Y CONTENIDOS

Contenidos – Bloques Temáticos

BLOCK 1: Introduction to Sports Law: an overview and general aspects

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Lesson 2: Olympic Movement and International Sports Law.

Lesson 3: EU Sports Law.

Lesson 4: National Sports Law.

BLOCK 2: Sports Law: Specific and practical aspects.

Lesson 5: Intellectual Property, Image & TV Rights and Commercial Sports Law.

Lesson 6: Integrity in Sports Law: good governance, match fixing, gambling and doping.

Lesson 7: Labor Law in Sports.

Lesson 8: Competition Sports Law: The Superleague Case, Agents and Financial Fair Play.

Lesson 9: Football Law.

BLOCK 3: Dispute Resolutions in Sports Law.

Lesson 10: ADR systems before the Federations.

Lesson 11: ADR systems after the Federations: TAS and other Sports Arbitration Tribunals.

Lesson 12: Sports Law Moot Court.

METODOLOGÍA DOCENTE



Aspectos metodológicos generales de la asignatura

Lectures: at least one part of the program will be taught in such classes, consisting of a clear and structured presentation by the teacher. This exhibition will have a theoretical component complemented with the approach and resolution of legal problems, which require the active participation of students. The main objective of this activity is to present and introduce students to the content in question, so that they can focus their study and develop the proposed practical work.

To allow the active participation of students, activities are scheduled to stimulate the development of these sessions, especially presentations by students of some of the issues, clarification of doubts, and exposure of disputes or arguments on the specific subject. Group work is encouraged.

Solving exercises, problems or case studies: the students solve in class with teacher helping a problem or event that may have previously raised. In these classes the teacher will guide the interventions.

RESUMEN HORAS DE TRABAJO DEL ALUMNO

SUMMARY OF STUDENT WORKHOURS			
Activities	Contact hours	No contact hours	Total
Master class	25	23	48
Case studies	4	8	12
Continuous assessment	1	0	5
Evaluation: examination	(3)	9	9 (+3)
Assessment exam review	(1)	0	(1)
ECTS CREDITS	34 (+4)	40	74 (+4)

EVALUACIÓN Y CRITERIOS DE CALIFICACIÓN

Calificaciones

Evaluation activities	General competences	Indicators	Percentage in the evaluation
Participation in class. It may include (i) voluntary presentation of a certain topic.	Problem-solving abilities. Ability to apply knowledge in practice, obtaining results	Argumentative structure. Knowledge of matter. Approach to the issue	20%
	Problem-solving abilities. Ability to apply knowledge in practice,	Structure.	



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Final written exam	obtaining results	Clarity of explanation Spelling and presentation.	80%
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Rating

Final written exam (80%), whose contents can be:

- Development of parts of the program; and/or
- Resolution of actual case and legal problems. Passing the exam is a prerequisite to pass the course.

Continuous assessment (20%). Class participation. It may include (i) voluntary presentation of a certain topic.

Exchange students (out-going students): Written examination (100%)

In the extraordinary and subsequent calls there will only be a written final exam, with the same characteristics as that of the ordinary call (100% of the grade).

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