

## Global Learning Semesters

### Course Syllabus

Course: LAW-380 Law of International Trade

Department: Law

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
LAW-380	Law of International Trade	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Spring	42	Sophomore standing
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Law	Upper Division	English

### Course Description

During the course, the student will cover the following:

1. Sources of international trade.
2. The role of states and international organizations in international trade; dispute settlement mechanisms.
3. The regulation of international trade.
4. International sales, distribution agreements.
5. International transfer of technology.
6. Foreign investments; finance of international trade and international payment.
7. International procedure.
8. ADR: International commercial arbitration.

### Instructor

Mrs Stephanie Lualhe Shaelou

### Course Aims and Objectives

This course is designed to introduce students to the level aspects of international commerce and commercial relations. Students are guided through the basics of international trade law and trade organizations, the processes of dispute resolution, international sales contracts and the financing of international trade. The World Trade Organization will be studied in depth, as well as the relationship it maintains with some actors of international trade.

### Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures, discussions, presentations, and problem-solving activities.

### Course Teaching Hours

42 hours (30 hours of lectures, 12 hours of seminars/tutorials and student-led presentation/seminars). The course is delivered during the Spring semester in 14 weeks (3 hours/week).

## Evaluation and Grading

Assigned work:	25%
Interim tests:	25%
Final Exam:	50%

## Readings and Resources

### Required Textbook

Van Houtte H., The law of international trade, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., Sweet & Maxwell, 2002

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Chuah J., Law of International Trade, 2nd ed., Sweet & Maxwell, 2001

Pryles M.C., International trade law: commentary and materials, LBC, 1996

WTO Secretariat, The WTO dispute settlement procedures: a collection of the relevant legal texts, Cambridge University Press, 2001