

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: LAW-382 Public International Law II

Department: Law

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
LAW-382	Public International Law II	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Spring	42	LAW-381
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Law	Upper Division	English

Course Description

1. The Law of the Sea
2. Air, Space and Outer Space
3. Human Rights
4. Economy and the Environment
5. State Responsibility
6. The Settlement of Disputes by Peaceful Means
7. International Wars, Civil Wars and the Right to Self-Determination
8. Means of waging war and criminal responsibility
9. Charter and organs of the United Nations
10. United Nations and peace and security

Instructor

Dr Tim Potier

Course Aims and Objectives

The course aims to deepen and develop the student's knowledge of international law through the exploration of the law of the sea, the peaceful solution of disputes and the use of force, and to introduce him/her to the types and workings of various international institutions.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures, discussions and presentations.

Course Teaching Hours

42 hours (42 hours lectures/discussions/presentations). The course is delivered during the Fall semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

Evaluation and Grading

Assigned work:	20%
Interim tests:	20%
Participation and Attendance	10%
Final Exam:	50%

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

M Shaw, International Law, 5th ed., Cambridge University Press, 2004

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I Brownlie, Principles of Public International Law, 5th ed., Oxford University Press, 1998.

Harris, Cases and Materials on International Law, 5th ed., Sweet and Maxwell, 1997