

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI PALERMO

DEPARTMENT	Scienze Politiche e delle Relazioni Internazionali	
ACADEMIC YEAR	2021/2022	
MASTER'S DEGREE (MSC)	INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	
INTEGRATED COURSE	COMPETION LAW & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS	
CODE	20651	
MODULES	Yes	
NUMBER OF MODULES	2	
SCIENTIFIC SECTOR(S)	IUS/04	
HEAD PROFESSOR(S)	GARILLI CHIARA Professore Ordinario Univ. di PALERMO	
OTHER PROFESSOR(S)	GARILLI CHIARA Professore Ordinario Univ. di PALERMO	
CREDITS	12	
PROPAEDEUTICAL SUBJECTS		
MUTUALIZATION		
YEAR	2	
TERM (SEMESTER)	1° semester	
ATTENDANCE	Not mandatory	
EVALUATION	Out of 30	
TEACHER OFFICE HOURS	GARILLI CHIARA	
	Thursday 10:00 12:00 II ricevimento verra svolto presso la stanza del docente (Via Maqueda, 324, piano I) oppure sulla piattaforma Microsoft Teams, previa prenotazione per e-mail (chiara.garilli@unipa.it). Meetings with students must be requested and confirmed via e-mail (chiara.garilli@unipa.it); meetings will be held in person at my office (Via Maqueda, 324, first floor) or on Microsoft Teams platform.	

DOCENTE: Prof.ssa CHIARA GARILLI

PREREQUISITES	Basic knowledge of private and commercial law
LEARNING OUTCOMES	Knowledge and understanding Extensive knowledge and understanding of the most relevant concepts concerning competition law and intellectual property law. Knowledge and understanding of the economic and juridical principles regulating the abovementioned subjects. Applying knowledge and understanding Ability to apply knowledge and understanding by showing a professional approach to work; competences typically demonstrated through devising and sustaining arguments and solving problems within the competition law and intellectual property law. Making judgements Ability to make analysis and juridical evaluation of the topics related to competition law and intellectual property law on the basis of the knowledge and methodology learned during the course. Ability to express autonomous judgement. Communication skills Ability to communicate information, ideas, problems and solutions to both specialist and non-specialist audiences. Learning skills Development of learning skills to undertake further studies with a high degree of autonomy. Ability to select instruments and methods to update and constantly improve skills, in particular by analysing case law and law materials as well as referring to specialized literature in the legal field.
ASSESSMENT METHODS	Written tests Three intermediate written tests are scheduled. The candidate is evaluated according to the level of his knowledge and receives an assessment out of thirty (the pass mark is 18/30). These tests are not mandatory. Only if the student chooses to take the intermediate tests, the mark of the latter will affect the final grade, which will be stated and communicated to the student at the end of the oral exam. Final oral exam The candidate should answer at least two/three questions regarding the whole syllabus with the exception of the topics covered by the intermediate tests. The final assessment aims to value whether the student has acquired the knowledge and the ability to comprehend the topics dealt with during the lessons. The student should also be able to interpret relevant data and to show competence in giving autonomous judgments. Students will pass the final exam if they show knowledge and understanding of the topics in general terms and have minimal application skills to solve concrete cases. The candidate should also be able to communicate his/ her knowledge of the topics to the examiner clearly and appropriately. Below this level the assessment will be not sufficient. The candidate is evaluated according to the level of his knowledge and receives an assessment out of thirty (the pass mark is 18/30). The final grade will take into account the marks of the intermediate tests eventually passed by the student; in more detail, the final grade will be determined considering the mathematical average of the marks obtained in all written and oral tests.
TEACHING METHODS	Lessons and practice tests

MODULE COMPETITION LAW

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SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

R. Whish & D. Bailey, Competition Law, Oxford University Press, 2015.

M. Lorenz, An Introduction to EU Competition Law, Cambridge University Press, 2013.

A. Ezrachi, EU Competition Law. An Analytical Guide to the Leading Cases, V ed., Hart Publishing, Oxford-Portland, 2018. D.J. Gerber, Competition Law and Antitrust. A Global Guide, Oxford University Press, 2020.

AMBIT	20971-Attività formative affini o integrative
INDIVIDUAL STUDY (Hrs)	120
COURSE ACTIVITY (Hrs)	30

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES OF THE MODULE

The course aims to provide advanced knowledge in the field of competition law. Furthermore, lessons provide students with the ability to select instruments and methods in order to update and constantly improve learning skills, in particular by analysing case law and law materials as well as referring to specialized literature in the legal field

SYLLABUS			
Hrs	Frontal teaching		
4	Economic and legal foundations of EU competition law		
10	Key concepts of Article 101 TFEU		
8	Abuse of a dominant position (Article 102 TFEU).		
8	Merger control		
6	Practice written tests on the syllabus		
Hrs	Practice		
6	Case-study discussion		

MODULE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

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SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY		
J. Pila & P. Torremans, European Intellectual Property Law, Oxford University Press, 2019		
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EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES OF THE MODULE		
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6	Foundations. An Introduction to Domestic, European and International Intellectual Property Law
6	The Law of Patents and Allied Rights
6	The Law of Copyright and Related Rights
6	The Law of Trade Marks and Allied Rights
6	Case-law study and practice tests