

27734 - Legal Sociology

Syllabus Information

Academic Year: 2020/21

Subject: 27734 - Legal Sociology

Faculty / School: 102 - Facultad de Derecho

Degree: 421 - Degree in Law

ECTS: 3.0

Year: 4

Semester: Second semester

Subject Type: Optional

Module: ---

1.General information

1.1.Aims of the course

1.2.Context and importance of this course in the degree

1.3.Recommendations to take this course

2.Learning goals

2.1.Competences

2.2.Learning goals

2.3.Importance of learning goals

3.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

3.1.Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)

4.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1.Methodological overview

The methodology followed in this course is oriented towards achievement of the learning objectives. It is based on active participation, case studies, teamwork etc. that favors the development of communicative skills and critical thinking. A wide range of teaching and learning tasks are implemented, such as lectures, practical activities, practice sessions, autonomous work, tutorials, and academic guidance.

Further information regarding the course will be provided on the first day of class.

4.2.Learning tasks

The course includes the following learning tasks:

- Lectures. The professor presents theoretical contents.
- Practice sessions and Seminars. They can involve discussion and presentation of case studies, practical work outside the classroom (field work or visits), and seminars.
- Autonomous work. Students do tasks such as autonomous study, reading of the course book, preparation of practice sessions and seminars, and summative assignments.
- Tutorials. Professors' office hours can be used to solved doubts and to follow-up students' work.
- Assessment. Final examination.

4.3.Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

- Topic 1. Socio-Legal Perspectives about Law
- Topic 2. Law and Power in Social Theory
- Topic 3. Empirical Research in the Field of Legal Sociology
- Topic 4. Theory and socio-legal research

4.4.Course planning and calendar

For further details concerning the timetable, classroom and further information regarding this course please refer to the "Facultad de Derecho" website: <https://derecho.unizar.es/>

4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources