

Name of university, Name of faculty: Trnava University
Faculty of Law

INFORMATION SHEET OF THE SUBJECT

Code: YNDVm408	Name: International and European Industrial Property Law				
Cover: Intellectual Property, Technologies and Product Law Department					
Type of educational activity: Lecture, Practise Scope of educational activity (in hours): Weekly: 0/2 For term of study: ZS 46/24 Method of educational activity: Combined				Number of credits: 3	Recommended semester: WT
					Study grade: Master
Underlie subjects:					
Conditions for passing the course: Method of evaluation: Completion by taking an examination Continuous evaluation: Final evaluation: The condition for passing the course is a successful final evaluation, consisting of an oral exam. The exam consists of one question (topic), which the student randomly selects from the range of published questions. Evaluation: A: 100%-91%, B: 90%-81%, C: 80%-71%, D: 70%-66%, E: 65%-61%, FX: 60%-0. Final examination: oral test Finished: By exam.					
Learning outcomes: After completing the course, the student is able to interpret the basic understanding of the course systematically and analogously in the study subject, apply the acquired knowledge in solving practical problems - simulated or real, work analytically with the studied subject to think in categories and manage relationships in the system of industrial property law in international and European law contexts, as well as in the system of law in general. The student will also be able to independently evaluate the general situation and correctly apply the acquired knowledge from the course and propose solutions and master the basic synthesis in the field of industrial property law in international and European law contexts resulting from understanding the interrelationships in the system and be able to create an alternative variant of the solution from the distribution of the individual elements, or create a new procedure (considerations de lege ferenda).					
Schedule of subject: The course offers an overview of the basic regulation of industrial property rights at the international level, as well as at the level of European Union law in interaction with the national law of the Slovak Republic, including the issue of protection and enforcement of industrial property rights. The subject is mainly related to intellectual property law, but it is also related to civil law and private international law, but it also has important public law interrelations, especially with regard to international public law and criminal law. The subject includes mainly the following basic topics: 1. International inventive law. 2. European patent law and the decision - making practice of the European Patent Office. 3. International design law. 4. European design law and decision-making practice of the EU Intellectual Property Office. 5. International trademark law. 6. European trademark law and decision-making practice of the EU Intellectual Property Office. 7. Designation of origin and geographical indications. 8. Enforceability of industrial property rights in the context of the TRIPS Agreement. 9. Enforceability of industrial property rights in the context of the Directive on the enforcement of industrial property rights. 10. Activities of the World Intellectual Property Organization in the field of domains. 11. Trade secret & know-how. 12. Industrial property rights & unfair competition.					
Recommended reading: Basic recommended literature: ADAMOŤ, Z. Právo duševného vlastníctva. Bratislava: TINCT, 2020. JAKL, L. Národní, mezinárodní a regionální systémy ochrany průmyslového vlastnictví. 3rd ed. Praha: Metropolitná univerzita, 2017. Other recommended literature: KUR, A. - DREIER, T. European Intellectual Property Law. Texts, Cases, Materials. Edward Elgar Publishing, 2013.					
Language requirements: Slovak					
Notes: Student's workload (in total): 75 hours Combined study (seminars, consultations): 24 hours Study for seminars, final evaluation and study of documents in Moodle (individual study): 51 hours					
Course evaluation: Assessed students in total: 0					
A	B	C	D	E	FX
0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Lecturers: JUDr. Zuzana Adamová, PhD., examiner, instructor					

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