



Course Syllabus

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| Course Code LAW-132 | Course Title Contract Law II | ECTS Credits 6 |
| Prerequisites Contract Law I | Department Law | Semester Spring |
| Type of Course Compulsory | Field Contract Law | Language of Instruction English |
| Level of Course 1 st Cycle | Lecturer Christina Lederer | Year of Study 1 st |
| Mode of Delivery Conventional | Work Placement N/A | Corequisites N/A |

Course Objectives:

The main objectives of the course are to consider various factors that may vitiate a contract, discusses the methods by which a contract can be discharged and advise the parties to a contract of possible claims and liabilities, explore the possible remedies available subsequent to the discharge of a contract both under the common law and under equity and consider privity of contract and its exceptions

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course, students should be able to:

1. Define mistake and its subcategories and consider its application and remedies.
2. Define misrepresentation and its types and consider its application and remedies.
3. Define duress, especially economic duress and consider situations to which it applies and possible remedies.
4. Define undue influence and its types and consider situations to which it would apply and possible remedies.
5. Define illegality and discuss how contract law deals with illegal contracts.
6. Identify when a contract may be discharged through performance, agreement, breach, and frustration. Consider the consequences of each of the types of discharge on the contract.
7. Define and identify the purpose and types of damages. Analyse the types of losses they are meant to compensate for.
8. Define equitable remedies and identify situations where their award would be justified.
9. Define privity of contract and analyse relevant case law and exceptions to the rule.

10. Compose essay and problem style questions through applying the above.

Course Content:

During the course, the student will study the following:

1. Mistake
2. Misrepresentation
3. Duress
4. Undue Influence
5. Illegality
6. Discharge of contract (performance, breach, agreement, frustration)
7. Common Law Remedy of Damages
8. Equitable Remedies
9. Privity of contract

Learning Activities and Teaching Methods:

Interactive lectures, student participation, case studies and problem - solving questions

Assessment Methods:

Mid – term and final examinations

Required Textbooks / Readings:

| Title | Authors | Publisher | Edition |
|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Law of Contract | Paul Richards | Pearson | 14 th |
| Casebook on Contract Law | Jill Poole | Oxford University Press | 15 th |

Recommended Textbooks / Readings:

| Title | Authors | Publisher | Edition |
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| Contract Law | Catherine Elliot, Francis Quinn | Pearson | 12 th |

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| Contract Law, Text, cases & materials | McKendrick. E | Oxford University Press | 10 th |
| Textbook on Contract Law | Jill Poole | Oxford University Press | 15 th |
| Blackstone's Statutes on Contract, Tort & Restitution | Blackstone's | Blackstone's | 33 rd |