

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Academic year: 2026/2027	
University: Comenius University Bratislava	
Faculty: Faculty of Law	
Course ID: PraF.KMPMV/ ENm17-3131/26	Course title: International Environmental Law
Educational activities: Type of activities: lecture / seminar Number of hours: per week: 1 / 1 per level/semester: 13 / 13 Form of the course: on-site learning	
Number of credits: 3	
Recommended semester: 1., 3.	
Educational level: II.	
Prerequisites:	
Antirequisites: PraF.KMPMV/mPRV17-1219/22	
Course requirements: Continuous assessment: solving assigned case studies, preparing legal analyses and presenting them, participation in discussions, active participation in seminars, and continuous tests (100%) Classification scale: A/1 = 91–100%; B/1,5 = 81–90%; C/2 = 73–80%; D/2,5 = 66–72%; E: 60–65%, Fx: 0–59%. Scale of assessment (preliminary/final): 100/0	
Learning outcomes: a) Knowledge: The student has a systematic overview and basic orientation in the field of international environmental law, its inclusion in a wider context, sources, subjects and issues related to its non-compliance. b) Skills: The student can solve simple case studies focused on international environmental law, can apply international legal standards, can process a simple legal analysis. c) Responsibility and independence: The student can provide recommendations regarding the basic institutes of international environmental law	
Class syllabus: 1. International legal mechanism for environmental protection. 2. International climate change law. 3. International legal protection of air, ozone layer and space. 4. International legal protection of biological diversity. 5. International legal protection of the marine environment from pollution and conservation of its living resources. 6. International legal protection of freshwater resources. 7. International legal regulation of nuclear safety. 8. International environmental protection against radioactive contamination. 9. International control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes. 10. International legal protection of environmental human rights.	

11. The concept of sustainable development and international legal protection of the environment.
12. The role of intergovernmental organizations in the field of environmental protection.
13. International legal protection of the environment during military conflicts.

Recommended literature:

Jankuv, J. Environmentalizácia medzinárodného práva verejného a jej vplyv na právo Európskej únie a právny poriadok Slovenskej republiky. Praha:Leges, 2021.

Koivurova, T. Introduction to International Environmental Law. London and New York: Routledge, 2014.

Rajamani, L., Peel J. The Oxford Handbook of International Environmental Law. Oxford University Press, 2020.

Languages necessary to complete the course:

english

Notes:

Past grade distribution

Total number of evaluated students: 0

A	ABS	B	C	D	E	FX
0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0

Lecturers: doc. Mgr. Liudmyla Golovko, PhD.

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Approved by: