UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# COURSE SYLLABUS

# Parliamentary Law

**2324-4-A5810131**

## Learning objectives

First of all, this course of Parliamentary Law intends to provide the students a summary of the most important political-parliamentary events of our national history, and then to analyse the position of the Parliament in the republican constitutional system and its functions in the government system.

## Contents

A special attention is attributed to subjects as bicameralism, also in an historical and comparative vision, parliamentary rules, privileges of Parliament, clauses of disqualification and incompatibility cases, practice of ordinary and constitutional statutes, committee of inquiry, evolution of our political system after the change of electoral law by referendum.

## Detailed program

**Program for attending students only**

The execution of the program includes the active participation of students, including through the preparation of research and reports, which form an integral part of the final evaluation. Given the purpose of the course, students will be required to know the most important news events proposed by the political-parliamentary, even in light of discussions on those topics will be set to lesson.

The attendance of the course also will enable interested students to participate in the traditional study visit to Rome, organized by the teacher at the Houses of Parliament.**Program for non-attending students**

For not attending students the program of the course consists in studying and reading of the indicated books.

## Prerequisites

Knowledge of Italian constitutional law

## Teaching methods

Lectures

## Assessment methods

Oral exam.

For attending students, the oral exam will be aimed at verifying learning of the topics covered in class and the content of the reference texts.

For non-attending students, the oral exam will be aimed at verifying learning of the content of the reference texts.

## Textbooks and Reading Materials

**Reference texts for attending students****only**

The preparation of the exam presupposes, in addition to a valid knowledge of the Italian constitutional order and a solid knowledge of the contents of the lessons (the result of assiduous participation in the same), the study of the book:

GIANNITI L., LUPO N., *Corso di diritto parlamentare*, il Mulino, Bologna, 2023.

**Reference texts for non-attending students**

For not attending students the program of the course consists in the study of this book:

GIANNITI L., LUPO N., *Corso di diritto parlamentare*, il Mulino, Bologna, 2023.

and then the following book, only to read:

CLAUDIO MARTINELLI, *Le radici del costituzionalismo. Idee, istituzioni e trasformazioni dal Medioevo alle rivoluzioni del XVIII secolo*, Giappichelli, Torino, Seconda edizione, 2016.

## Sustainable Development Goals

PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS