UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Corporate Law Mod A - A-L

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Learning objectives

Knowledge and understanding of the essential dynamics of the firm and of the foundations of its legal treatment. Understanding and analysis of the main contents and logics of the law of business organizations, including cases and case-law. Knowledge and application of the methodologies and tools of problem solving in the subject matter.

Contents

Module A of the course addresses the foundations of the Italian law of business organizations.

The central topic of the course is the firm, in its individual and associated forms.
The course firstly overviews the rules governing the business firm in general, and then it adresses the types of partnerships and corporations, focusing on their organizational structures, internal relationships and conflicts of interests.

Detailed program

- The entrepreneur: definition, types, applicable rules.
- The going concern.
- Intellectual property; competition.
- Partnerships.
- Companies.

Prerequisites

Essential elements of private law.

Teaching methods

72 academic hours of in-class lectures and problem-based discussions.
Optional interactive activity: moot court competition.

Assessment methods

Oral exam: discussion on the topics addressed in class and/or studied in the textbook, aimed at assessing the preparation on the program. Partial exams are not scheduled.
The whole exam (Module A and Module B) must be taken after the end of Module B classes (may session).

Textbooks and Reading Materials

1. AA.VV., Diritto Commerciale vol. I, edited by M. Cian, Giappichelli, last edition, without the following parts: business contracts, securities.
2. AA.VV., Diritto Commerciale vol. III, edited by M. Cian, Giappichelli, last edition, without the following parts: listed corporations, cooperatives, groups of companies, structural changes, and profiles of international private law and EU law.

Alternatively:

1. Campobasso, Diritto commerciale, vol. 1. Diritto delle imprese, Utet, last edition.
2. Campobasso, Diritto commerciale, vol. 2 Diritto delle società, Utet, last edition, without the parts dedicated to listed corporations, cooperatives, groups of companies, structural changes, and european companies.

Sustainable Development Goals

INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE