

<b>COURSE: Economic Analysis of Law</b>			
ACADEMIC YEAR: 2016-2017			
TYPE OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY: Affine			
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ECTS: 8	n. of hours: 64 (lessons)	Campus: Potenza Dept.: DiMIE Program:	Semester: I

#### EDUCATIONAL GOALS AND EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

The aim of the course is to provide students with a general overview of the basics of law&economic analysis and an advanced understanding of the intellectual property law. The course engages these issues from a comparative perspective covering both the EU and the U.S. scenario.

#### PRE-REQUIREMENTS

None. However, it is suggested to have good knowledge of Private Law and Microeconomics.

#### SYLLABUS

##### **Economic Analysis of Law**

- Foundations of the Economic Analysis of Law
- Coase Theorem and Game Theory
- Economic Analysis of Property
- Economic Analysis of Contracts
- Economic Analysis of Torts

##### **Law & Economics of Intellectual Property**

- Copyright and related rights
- Trademark and related rights
- Patents and related rights; confidential information; industrial designs

#### TEACHING METHODS

Frontal teaching, interactive discussion, case studies.

#### EVALUATION METHODS

Written examination

#### TEXTBOOKS AND ON-LINE EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL

Slides and textbook (Colangelo, *La proprietà delle idee*, Bologna, Il Mulino, 2015)

#### INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS

Office hours: wednesday at 12.00 or on request by email

#### EXAMINATION SESSIONS (FORECAST)<sup>1</sup>

1/02/2017, 13/02/2017, 15/05/2017, 3/07/2017, 4/09/2017, 13/11/2017

SEMINARS BY EXTERNAL EXPERTS    YES     NO

<sup>1</sup> Subject to possible changes: check the web site of the Teacher or the Department/School for updates.