



<b>Name of the subject:</b>  <b>International and European Studies</b>	<b>Code:</b> KDI518	<b>Credits:</b> 5
Hours: 18/10		
Assessment: 1-5, quality of competences required, preparing papers, discussion and presentation.		
<b>Course description:</b>  History and Theories of International Relations and International Politics  The State as an Actor of International Cooperation. Globalization and the Changed Role of State in International Relations. Sovereignty, Supranationalism and Subsidiarity  International Organizations as Actors of International Cooperation. Other Actors of International Cooperation: Non-Governmental Organisations. Individuals as Subjects of International Law  The United Nations  The North Atlantic Treaty Organisation  Global and International Economic and Financial Organizations  European International Organizations: The Council of Europe (CoE). The Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE). European Regional Cooperation: Visegrad Cooperation. Nordic Council (NC)  The European Union. The History of the Idea of European Unity  The Political and Institutional System of the EU  The EU Law  The Decision-making Process in the EU  The future of the EU  <b>Competence: She/He</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• is familiar with the theoretical, historical and regional dimensions of the operation of international relations;</li><li>• understands the interrelations of international law, the principles and rules of diplomatic and consular relations;</li><li>• understands the policies of the European Union as well as its foreign relations, institutional and legal system;</li><li>• is capable of interpreting the operation of the international human rights regime;</li></ul>		

- can analyse the decision-making processes of the EU and different international organizations, and the main decision-making mechanism of great powers concerning their foreign policy.

Course materials:

*Compulsory literature:*

Zsuzsanna Fejes – Márton Sulyok – Anikó Szalai (szerk.): Interstate relations. Iurisperitus Kiadó, Szeged, 2019. ISBN: 9786155411786; Available at [https://acta.bibl.u-szeged.hu/64681/1/opera\\_iurisprudentiae\\_002.pdf](https://acta.bibl.u-szeged.hu/64681/1/opera_iurisprudentiae_002.pdf)

Gleider Hernández: International Law, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2019. ISBN: 9780192848260;

Robert Schütze: An Introduction to EU Law, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2023. ISBN: 9780192885944;

Hix Simon - Hoyland Bjorn: The Political System of the European Union, Bloomsbury Academic, London, 2022. ISBN: 9781350325470;

Rhoana Smith: International Human Rights Law, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2017. ISBN: 9780198805212;

*Recommended literature:*

Shaw, Malcolm N.: International Law (Eighth edition), Cambridge University Press, Cambridge 2017. ISBN: 978-131-697-981-5

Gleider Hernández: International Law, Oxford University Press, Oxford 2019. ISBN: 9780192848260;

Anna Molnár – Éva Jakusné Harnos – Mónika Szenté-Varga (eds.): Security, Resilience and Sustainability of the European Union, Ludovika Kiadó, Budapest 2024. ISBN: 978-615-6598-04-2;

Nugent Neil: The Government and Politics of the European Union (8th Edition), Macmillan Education, London 2017. ISBN: 9781137454096;

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