



COURSE OF STUDY

DEGREE COURSE IN LAW - LMG/01 ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024 ACADEMIC SUBJECT

CIVIL LAW 2

General information	
Year of the course	Fourth
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	First semester (from 2023.09.15 to 2023.12.07)
Credits (CFU/ETCS):	72
SSD	IUS/01
Language	Italian
Mode of attendance	Not compulsory

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Virtual room	
Office Hours (and modalities: e.g., by appointment, on line, etc.)	At the end of the lecture or by Microsoft Teams platform

Work schedule			
Hours			
Total	Lectures	Hands-on (laboratory, workshops, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
225	72		153
CFU/ETCS			
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Learning Objectives	The aim of this course is to analytically examine principles of TORT LIABILITY to students with a view to enabling them to master the main categories of the subject and the fundamentals of the legal interpretation methodology.
Course prerequisites	KNOWLEDGE OF PRIVATE LAW AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

Teaching strategie	THE COURSE CONSISTS OF 72 LECTURE HOURS HELD BY THE LECTURER
Expected learning outcomes in	
terms of	





Knowledge and understanding on:	main categories and rules of the tort law system and dogmatic analysis of the categories combined with attention to case law.
Applying knowledge and understanding on:	legal situations





Soft skills	The course will enable the student to master the main categories of
	the subject and the fundamentals of the legal interpretation
	methodology also by suitable legal language.
Syllabus	
•	Italian Tort Law an so:
Content knowledge	
	General categories of civil liability
	– Liability in tort.
	 Tort and civil liability.
	 Damage as the core of civil liability.
	 Pecuniary and non-pecuniary loss.
	– Causation.
	 From fault to the plurality of accountability criteria.
	– Damages.
	– The so-called legal causation (art. 1223 c.c.).
	 Foreseeability as a criterion for limiting damages.
	Medical malpractice and liability rules for injury to a patient; Products
	liability; Liability of P.A; Enviromental liability
Texts and readings	C. Castronovo, Responsabilità civile, Giuffrè 2018 (except for sections
	from 6 to 11 of the chapter V as well as except for sections from 8 to 17
	of the chapter X and except for chapters XI, XII e XV)
Notes, additional materials	I recommend the use of an updated Italian Civil Code as "I Blu" press by
	Giuffré Francis Lefebvre
	I will provide the main judgments about the italian tort law
Repository	

Assessment	
Assessment methods	ORAL EXAMINATION
Assessment criteria	The questions relate to the program indicated, having regard to the knowledge of the subject, the ability to critical reasoning, the logic of the argument and the learning of the methodology of legal science. The evaluation will take place in thirty from 18 to 30. An exam is deemed to be passed successfully if the final grade is equal to or higher than 18/30.
Final exam and grading criteria	Students must show the knowledge of the descriptive and argumentative lines learnt in the lectures and from the textbook. The interview is aimed at testing: -the students' knowledge of the subjects studied and their understanding; -to verify the students' degree of knowledge of the rules and of the institutions; -to verify their mastery of the categories of tort law and their ability to exemplify and re-elaborate the contents acquired
Further information	