



Course of Study Maritime-Port Strategic Sciences Academic Year 2024-2025 Civil Law of Sustainable Development

General information		
Year of the course	1st year	
Academic calendar (starting	1st semester	
and ending date)	(From September 9th to December 20th, 2024)	
Credits (CFU/ETCS):	8	
SSD	IUS/01	
Language	Italian language	
Mode of attendance	Recommended attendance	

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modalities: e.g., by	code: prwcdrs)
appointment, on line, etc.)	

Work sched	dule		
Hours			
Total	Lectures	Hands-on (laboratory, workshops, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
200	64		136
CFU/ETCS			
8			

Learning Objectives	Acquisition of the knowledge, skills and competences inherent in the	
	main institutes of civil law suitable for founding a model of sustainable	
	development, attentive to the need to protect the individual - also in	
	an intergenerational perspective - and the environment.	
Course prerequisites	Preliminary knowledge corresponding to the learning outcomes	
	envisaged for the teaching of private law in the three-year degree	
	course is required in order to address the content of the course.	

Teaching strategies	The course is developed primarily through theoretical lessons, essential
	for the acquisition of knowledge (of the civil law of sustainable
	development) that constitute the specific training objectives of the
	course. These theoretical lectures include in-depth seminars and are
	supported, for the acquisition of the ability to apply knowledge, by a





	practical part through case law exercises, individual and group research, case analysis and discussion groups in the classroom or on an e-learning platform.
	Various tools are used for improving teaching effectiveness such as, e.g., powerpoint presentations, diagrams, bibliographic directions.
Expected learning	
outcomes in terms of	
Knowledge and understanding on:	Acquisition of the methodology necessary for the knowledge and understanding of civil law issues suitable for founding and supporting a model of sustainable development, attentive to the need to protect the individual - also in an intergenerational perspective - and the
Applying knowledge and understanding on:	Acquisition of the methodology necessary for the application of the knowledge and understanding of the institutes of the civil law of sustainable development indicated in the programme through the analysis of the most significant literature and jurisprudence on the individual topics under study.
Soft skills	Making judgments
	At the end of the course, the student shall have acquired and developed the ability to critically study the institutions of the civil law of sustainable development through the examination of the main doctrinal opinions and jurisprudential orientations on the individual topics under study.
	Communication skills At the end of the course, the student should be able to argue doctrinal and jurisprudential theses to be able to communicate them well in moments of sharing, comparison and discussion - in the classroom or on an e-learning platform - both individually and in groups.
	Ability to learn autonomously At the end of the course, the student shall have acquired the methodology necessary for the independent learning and critical study of the institutes of the civil law of sustainable development through the examination of the most significant literature and the most innovative jurisprudence on the individual topics under study.
C 11-1	The skills acquired will be checked in itinere during the course, so as to intervene promptly, with the help of the lecturer, to fill any gaps.
Syllabus	
Content knowledge	Civil law and sustainable development. Sources and principles of the civil law of sustainable development. Human dignity, infra-generational equity and sustainable development. The normative principle of sustainable development. Constitution and sustainable development. Sustainable development and future generations. People's law and sustainable development.





Goods theory and sustainable development: common goods and emission quotas.

The circular economy and legal goods-waste.

Ship-generated waste and the environmentally sound dismantling of ships.

Legal circularity and sustainable development.

Contractual autonomy at the time of sustainable development.

Environmental sustainability and civil liability. Environmental Damage and Climate Change Litigation.

Ecological, energy and digital transition and civil law.

Energy communities.

Sustainable management of the marine and maritime environment. Marine Spatial Planning. Green Ports.

Liability for environmental damage. Marine pollution.

Blue Growth. The Maritime Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Seas. The Sustainable Ship.

Texts and readings

The study of some chapters of the following volume is recommended:

- Sostenibilità globale e culture giuridiche comparate, (edited by) S. Lanni, Giappichelli, 2022;
- or:
- Trattato breve del diritto dello sviluppo sostenibile, (edited by) A. Buonfrate, A.F. Uricchio, Padova, 2022;
- FADDA R., La sostenibilità tra disciplina del contratto e tutela del consumatore, Napoli, 2024;

The study of the following essays is also recommended:

TAFARO L., Sostenibilità ambientale, economia circolare e diritto dei cives: nuove prospettive, in Aa.Vv., Le nuove frontiere dell'ecodiritto, edited by A. Bonomo, L. Tafaro, A. Uricchio, Bari, 2021, pp. 21-58;

RUGGERI L., Ambiente e tecnologie: nuove sfide per la tutela della persona, in Ambientediritto, fasc. n. 3/2023

PENNASILICO M., Ambiente e iniziativa economica: quale "bilanciamento"?, in Nuove leggi civili commentate, 1/2024, pp. 48-90;

PERLINGIERI G., Criticità della presunta categoria dei beni cc.dd. «comuni». Per una «funzione» e una «utilità sociale» prese sul serio, in Rass. dir. civ., 2022, pp. 137-164;

GIORGINI E., Rifiuto quale "bene" e proprietà "conformata", in Actualidad Jurídica Iberoamericana n. 17, 2022, pp. 958-979;





	FAVILLI C., Transizione ecologica e autoconsumo organizzato di energia rinnovabile. La questione della forma giuridica delle comunità energetiche, in Resp. civ. prev., fasc. 2/2023, p. 385 ss.; TORTA G., Il delicato equilibrio tra la tutela dell'ambiente e la promozione delle attività economiche nella pianificazione dello spazio marino in Ambientediritto.it, fasc. 1/2023; TORTA G., La tutela dall'inquinamento delle acque marittime e costiere, in Lexambiente. Riv. trim. dir. pen. amb., n. 2/2019; CASTRONUOVO D., Relitti o rifiuti? la complessa qualificazione giuridico-penale delle navi abbandonate, in Sistema penale, n. 6, 2020, pp. 327-340; N. CARNIMEO DELLE FOGLIE, La gestione dei rifiuti prodotti dalle navi in ambito portuale. Attività di prevenzione e misure di contrasto all'inquinamento
	da plastica in mare, in Riv. dir. navigaz., 2022, pp. 615-634.
Notes, additional	Regulatory sources; Jurisprudence of the Constitutional Court, of
materials	legitimacy and merit, of the European Court of Human Rights and of
	the Court of Justice of the European Union, as well as further teaching
D	material useful for the study of the discipline.
Repository	The teaching material useful for the study of the discipline will be made
	available to students in electronic format on the e-learning platform of
	the University of Bari.

Assessment	
Assessment methods	The examinations will focus on the individual learning outcomes
	envisaged for the teaching of the civil law of sustainable development
	(specified above according to the Dublin descriptors).
	Learning outcomes will be assessed by means of:
	- written open-ended tests lasting at least one hour and/or
	intermediate oral tests, which will contribute to the final assessment
	only in the event of a favourable outcome;
	- presentation of interim individual and group research and/or
	exercises (halfway through and two-thirds of the course), which will
	only count towards the final assessment if successful.
	- a final written open-ended examination lasting at least one hour
	and/or an oral examination in which consultation of regulatory
	sources and case law is permitted.
	The assessment is expressed by a mark in thirtieths. The final
	examination is deemed passed when the mark is greater than or equal
	to 18.
	To achieve a high mark, the student must have developed autonomy
	of judgement and adequate argumentation and exposition skills.
Assessment criteria	Knowledge and understanding





The assessment criteria used aim at verifying the student's effective acquisition of the methodology necessary for the knowledge and understanding of the issues of civil law - indicated in the program - suitable for founding and supporting a sustainable development model, attentive to needs to protect the person - also from an intergenerational perspective - and the environment.

Applying knowledge and understanding

The assessment criteria used aim to verify the student's effective acquisition of the methodology necessary for the application of the knowledge and understanding of the issues of civil law - indicated in the program - suitable for founding and supporting a sustainable development model, attentive to needs to protect the person - also from an intergenerational perspective - and the environment through in-depth seminars, case law exercises, individual and group research, case analysis and discussion groups.

Autonomy of judgment

The assessment criteria used aim at verifying the student's effective acquisition and development of the ability to critically study of the institutions of civil law for sustainable development indicated in the programme through the study of the most significant literature on the individual topics to be examined by means of seminar-type teaching activities.

Communication skills

The assessment criteria used aim at verifying the effective acquisition by the student of the ability to argue doctrinal and jurisprudential theses, so as to be able to communicate them well in moments of sharing, comparison and discussion - in the classroom or on an elearning platform - both individually and in groups.

Capacities to continue learning

The assessment criteria used aim to verify the student's effective acquisition of the methodology necessary for the learning and critical study of the main relevant institutes, the most significant existing literature on the topics under study and the most innovative jurisprudence.

The skills acquired will be checked in itinere during the course, so as to intervene promptly, with the help of the lecturer, to fill any gaps in one's basic preparation.

Final exam and grading criteria

The final grade is awarded in thirtieths.

The examination is deemed passed when the mark is greater than or equal to 18.

Intercourse tests only contribute to the final assessment in the event of a favourable outcome.





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Further information	