



UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ

Course Unit Descriptor

Faculty

Faculty of Law

GENERAL INFORMATION

Study program	Undergraduate Academic Law Study Program (LL.B. degree-240 ECTS)
Study Module (if applicable)	
Course title	Intellectual Property Law
Level of study	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor Master's Doctoral
Type of course	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Obligatory Elective
Semester	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Autumn Spring
Year of study	IV year of undergraduate studies
Number of ECTS allocated	7
Name of lecturer/lecturers	Prof. dr Vidoje Spasic; Aleksandra Vasić, Asst.
Teaching mode	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lectures <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Group tutorials <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual tutorials Laboratory work Project work <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seminar Distance learning Blended learning Other

PURPOSE AND OVERVIEW (max. 5 sentences)

This course covers the basics of patent, copyright, trademark, trade secrets and other IP-related areas of law, as well as some of the salient controversies in intellectual property law, including patent protection for software and business methods, the challenges to copyright law posed by file-sharing technology, the role and difficulties of protecting trademarks on the Internet, and the application of common law doctrines to the Internet.

SYLLABUS (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)

Introduction to Intellectual Property (notion, subject matter, sources of law).
Patent Law (notion, content, parties, object of protection, limitation and termination of patent right). **Know-how.**
Trademark Law. Trade Secret. Geographic origin. Industrial property protection.
Copyright law. Protection of authorship and related rights.
Competition Law

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

- Serbian (complete course) English (complete course) Other _____ (complete course)
- Serbian with English mentoring Serbian with other mentoring _____

ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Pre exam duties	Points	Final exam	points
Activity during lectures	22	Written examination	
Practical teaching	20	Oral examination	50
Teaching colloquia	8	OVERALL SUM	100

***Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents**