



## Course syllabus

Faculty Board of Business, Economics and Design  
School of Business and Economics

1RV007 Introduction to International Economic Law, Trade Law and Investment Law, 7,5 högskolepoäng

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**Main field of study**

Legal Science

**Subject Group**

Law and Legal Studies

**Level of classification**

First Level

**Progression**

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**Date of Ratification**

Approved by the Board of the School of Business and Economics 2009-11-30

Revised 2010-11-12. Revised due to translation into Swedish

The course syllabus is valid from autumn semester 2010

**Prerequisites**

General entry requirement

### Expected learning outcomes

After the course completion the student will be able to

- understand the basic principles and rules and different legal aspects of International Economic Law, Trade Law and Investment Law
- encompass the knowledge of the present and developing organisational structure at International, regional and national levels, i.e. World Trade Organisation (WTO), European Union (EU), NAFTA, ASEAN and other regional arrangements
- understand the important aspects of International Law's impact on the Globalisation's process in the economic and trade sector
- understand the conflict resolution process i.e. International Arbitration and WTO conflict resolution institutions
- apply the legal norms and principles and practices in the public and private sector

### Content

Following different aspects of Economic, Trade and Investment law shall be dealt in this course:

- International Economic Law
- International Trade Law
- International intellectual property Law
- International Competition Law
- International Commercial Arbitration
- International protection of Investment
- The role and responsibility of Multinational economic entities

## Type of Instruction

Lectures, seminars, discussions, simulation and the role-play. Lectures are obligatory.

## Examination

The course is assessed with the grades Fail (U), Pass (G) or Pass with Distinction (VG).

Writing a seminar paper and oral presentation of it.

Results are graded using one of the terms Passed with distinction (80% -100%), Pass (60%-79%) or Fail (0%-59%), and A-F according to the ECTS scale.

Students who do not achieve a satisfactory result in the examinations are permitted to make a second attempt approximately 5-8 weeks after the normal examination date. The student will have a minimum of five occasions for written exams in relation to the syllabus to which the student was accepted. Usually 3 occasions per academic year.

## Course Evaluation

A written evaluation is conducted and compiled in a report, which is filed at the department. The result and actions, if taken, are communicated to the teacher responsible for the course and presented to the students in the way most appropriate according to the teacher responsible for the course. Other types of evaluations, such as continuous during the course or oral communication with the students, can occur and is encouraged to secure continuous quality improvement.

## Required Reading and Additional Study Material

### Required reading

Andreas F. Lowenfeld *International Economic law* (2007) Oxford university press.

**ISBN:** 978-0-19-922694-8 (paperback)

**Pages:**904

*Study Material* Articles, international conventions and cases.

**Pages:**300