



Course syllabus

School of Business and Economics

Department of Management Accounting and Logistics

1RV902 Handelsrätt II, 15 högskolepoäng

Commercial Law II, 15 credits

Main field of study

Legal Science

Subject Group

Law and Legal Studies

Level of classification

First Level

Progression

G1F

Date of Ratification

Approved 2014-03-05

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The course syllabus is valid from autumn semester 2020

Prerequisites

Commercial Law 1-15 credits or equivalent.

Objectives

After completing this course the student should be able to:

- have a broader knowledge in commercial law so that they can independently identify and manage problems associated with commercial law
- identify and analyse legal issues within the particular area
- find the adequate legal rules and solve commercial law problems on the basis of legal methods
- in writing, formulate and present legal questions and solutions to problems

Content

The course is a continuation course from Commercial Law I and concentrates on rules of importance for the functioning of accounting.

The course contains a specialisation of knowledge on the Swedish property law as far as general and special contract law and corporate law goes. Within contract law, contracts are discussed in detail with help of middleman and specialised knowledge of purchase of moveable and immoveable property as well as an orientation of other types of contracts such as service, hire, leasing and contract by tender.

Furthermore, elements concerning credit and insolvency law that include a run-through of creditors' legal regulations and different forms of credit guarantees as well as knowledge of voluntary and compulsory measures in the case of financial distress and insolvency are discussed.

What is more, economic compulsory measures such as injunction to pay, seizure and attachment are discussed.

The course also includes elements comprising of criminal law's general and special parts with emphasis on property and economic crimes.

Type of Instruction

Teaching is carried out as distance learning with help from a learning platform and consists of self-studies based on instructions from the course coordinator, participation in web-based group discussions and writing of individual written reports. The course requires access to a computer and the internet.

Examination

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

The course is examined through written examinations and written presentations.

The grade A constitutes the highest grade on the scale and the remaining grades follow in descending order where the grade E is the lowest grade on the scale that will result in a pass. The grade F means that the student's performance is assessed as fail. Grading criteria for the A–F scale are communicated in writing to the student by the start of the course at the latest, as well as how the weighting and weighting of grades on individual examining elements to the final course grade takes place. The basis for the student's grade is determined by the student's fulfillment of the objectives.

Repeat examination is offered in accordance with Local regulations for courses and examination at the first and second-cycle level at Linnaeus University. Students who are close to the passing grade of reports can complement after instructions and time-frame given by the examiner to obtain a pass grade.

If the university has decided that a student is entitled to special pedagogical support due to a disability, the examiner has the right to give a customised exam or to have the student conduct the exam in an alternative way.

Course Evaluation

During the implementation of the course or in close conjunction with the course, a course evaluation is to be carried out. Results and analysis of the course evaluation are to be promptly presented as feedback to the students who have completed the course. Students who participate during the next course instance receive feedback at the start of the course. The course evaluation is to be carried out anonymously.

Required Reading and Additional Study Material

Required reading

Adlercreutz, A. *Finansieringsformers rättsliga reglering*. Studentlitteratur: Lund. latest edition. About 215 pages.

Asp, P. & Ulväng, M. *Straffrätt för ekonomer*. Iustus förlag. Latest edition. About 117 pages.

Heuman, L. *Specialprocess - Utsökning och konkurs*. Norstedts Juridik: Stockholm. Latest edition. About 293 pages.

Lennander, G. *Kredit och säkerhet - Lärobok i krediträtt*. Iustus förlag, Uppsala. Latest edition. About 108 pages.

Mellquist, M. *Obeståndsrätten - en introduktion*. Norstedts Juridik, Stockholm. Latest edition. About 161 pages.

Rodhe, K. & Skog, R. *Rodhes aktiebolagsrätt*. Stockholm: Norstedts juridik. Latest edition. About 299 pages.

Smiciklas, M. *Associationsrättens grunder - bolag, föreningar och stiftelser*. Studentlitteratur, Lund. Latest edition. About 195 pages.

Tiberg, H. & Dotevall, R. *Mellanmansrätt*. Norstedts Juridik, Stockholm. Latest edition. 169 pages.

One of the following bodies of law, latest edition:

Sveriges Rikes Lag. Norstedts Juridik, Stockholm. 3500 pages.

Svensk Lag. Iustus, Uppsala. Sveriges Lagar. 1400 pages.

Thomsen Fakta Informationsförlag. Stockholm. 3500 pages.