

Subject card

Subject name and code	Competition Law - auditorium classes, PG_00132204						
Field of study	Prawo konkurencji - ćwiczenia						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2027/2028		
Education level	Master's studies		Subject group		Optional subject group		
Mode of study	part-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	3		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits		1.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		mgr Joanna Kiraga				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	10		0.0		15.0	25
Subject objectives	The aim of the exercises is to deepen students' knowledge and practical skills in the application of competition law, both at the national and EU level. The classes are designed to enable students to: • recognize and analyze anti-competitive practices, such as agreements restricting competition, abuse of a dominant position, or prohibited concentrations of undertakings, • apply substantive and procedural provisions of competition law to specific factual situations, • analyze decisions of competition authorities (in particular the European Commission and the Office of Competition and Consumer Protection), • interpret and argue legal cases using the case law of the Court of Justice of the European Union and national courts, • develop skills in working with legal acts, case studies, and official documents (e.g., guidelines, decisions, merger notifications). The exercises prepare students to independently use competition law instruments in economic and legal practice, as well as to further specialize in this field of law.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[PAGMU2_WG01] At an advanced level, the student identifies and understands the facts, phenomena, and their interactions related to the functioning of public authorities, administration, civil servants, the economy, and economic entities. He also knows the terminology, methods, and theories derived from legal sciences and related disciplines, relevant to issues concerning administration and the economy.	The student is able to recognize and understand facts, phenomena, and their interactions related to the functioning of public authorities, administration, officials, and economic entities, as well as apply terminology, methods, and theories from legal sciences and related disciplines in the context of competition law.	[SW3] opracowanie tekstowe/ praca pisemna
	[PAGMU2_WK04] At an advanced level, the student describes and understands the principles of the functioning of public authority bodies, administration, and economic entities, as well as identifies current dilemmas related to these issues.	The student is able to describe and understand in depth the principles of functioning of public authorities, administration, and economic entities, as well as identify current dilemmas related to their activities in the context of competition law.	[SW3] opracowanie tekstowe/ praca pisemna
	[PAGMU2_WK05] The student identifies key phenomena occurring in the market economy and public finance, and knows and understands the basic principles regarding the creation, development, and functioning of fundamental forms of entrepreneurship.	The student knows and understands the basic phenomena of the market economy and public finance, as well as the principles of creation, development, and functioning of basic forms of entrepreneurship, taking into account aspects of competition law.	[SW4] test/egzamin - ustny lub pisemny
	[PAGMU2_KK01] The student is ready to critically assess the usefulness of the procedures and practices learned, related to various areas of the curriculum of his studied field. He is open to the importance of knowledge in solving theoretical and practical problems and effectively justifying assessments, opinions, and proposed solutions. When necessary, he seeks expert opinions, including those from legal doctrine and jurisprudence.	The student is able to critically assess the usefulness of the procedures and practices learned in the field of competition law, justify their own opinions and proposed solutions, and, if necessary, draw on expert opinion, doctrine, and case law.	[SK1] wypowiedź ustna/rozmowa/ dyskusja [SK5] realizacja zadania problemowego
Subject contents	The exercises serve as practical application of knowledge in the field of competition law in the context of public administration and economic practice. During the classes, key issues of substantive and procedural competition law are discussed, taking into account EU and national law. In particular, the course covers: 1. Prohibited agreements restricting competition recognizing illegal practices (cartels, price fixing, market sharing), analysis of decisions by the Office of Competition and Consumer Protection (UOKiK) and the European Commission. 2. Abuse of a dominant position identifying abuses, assessing market position, exclusionary and exploitative practices. 3. Control of concentrations of undertakings concentration notification procedure, notification criteria, prohibition and conditional decisions. 4. Powers of competition authorities competences of the Office of Competition and Consumer Protection (UOKiK), the European Commission, cooperation within the European Competition Network (ECN). 5. Proceedings in cases of practices restricting competition initiation, interim measures, decisions, remedies. 6. System of sanctions and liability of undertakings fines, leniency programs. 7. Analysis of case law and case studies work on real examples, interpretation and application of regulations to practical situations.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Test	51.0%	100.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	1. C. Banasinski (red.), Polskie prawo antymonopolowe. Zarys wykładu, Wolters Kluwer, 2018. 2. A. Powałowski, Prawo ochrony konkurencji, Difin, 2015. 3. A. Powałowski, Competition law, [w:] Public economic law, A. Dobaczewska (red.), Wydawnictwo UG, 2016.
	Supplementary literature	1. M. Sieradzka, Zmowy przetargowe w świetle prawa zamówień publicznych oraz prawa konkurencji, Wydawnictwo C.H. Beck, 2015. 2. M. Szydło, Nadużywanie pozycji dominującej w prawie konkurencji, Wolters Kluwer, 2010.
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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