

Subject card

Subject name and code	Commercial law II - lecture, PG_00137805						
Field of study	Law						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2027/2028		
Education level	uniform Master's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	3		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	6		ECTS credits		5.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		exam		
Conducting unit	Department of Commercial Law -> Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Grzegorz Sikorski				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15
	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	15		0.0		110.0	125
Subject objectives	Familiarizing students with civil law issues of economic transactions, with particular emphasis on the legal structure of commercial companies, cooperatives, commercial activities, including the specificity of contracts concluded in commercial transactions and their typical forms.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[PRAWOJ5_WG07] has an in-depth knowledge of law-making, interpretation and application processes, both international and national, substantive and procedural, private and public law		Is able to correctly interpret and apply commercial law provisions in various professional situations. Is familiar with regulations concerning commercial companies, commercial contracts, business transactions, and bankruptcy and restructuring		[SW4] test/exam - oral or written		
	[PRAWOJ5_KK01] is able to evaluate level of knowledge and skills and understands the need for continuing education and the need to seek assistance from experts		Able to assess the level of their knowledge and skills in the context of commercial law. Regularly analyzes their progress and identifies areas requiring further development.		[SK4] test/exam - oral or written		
	[PRAWOJ5_WK10] has an in-depth knowledge of the principles of ethical and appropriate communication in legal and legal language		Complies with the principles of professional ethics, ensuring honesty, reliability, and transparency in their work. Ensures confidentiality and professional secrecy		[SW4] test/exam - oral or written		
	[PRAWOJ5_WG08] has in-depth knowledge of the system, structure and functioning of the state		Uses knowledge of economics, sociology, political science, and management to better understand the legal context. Can analyze legal problems from an interdisciplinary perspective, taking into account various social, economic, and political aspects.		[SW4] test/exam - oral or written		

Subject contents	Introduction to commercial law The place of commercial law among legal branches and disciplines Relationships between commercial law and civil law Sources of commercial law Entrepreneur concept Proxy and the entrepreneur's company Civil law consequences of registering entrepreneurs partnership Partnerships General partnership A partnership Limited partnership partnership Limited by shares Capital companies limited liability company A simple joint stock company Joint-stock company Merger, division and transformation of companies Groups of companies (holdings) European Company and European Economic Interest Grouping Cooperative in Polish and European law General issues of commercial contracts Types of commercial contracts Features of trade contracts Trade agreements in goods turnover, with particular emphasis on international sales Contracts for the use of goods (leasing) Agreements on the use of things and rights (license, know-how, franchising) Banking activities (bank account agreement, bank loan and loan agreement, documentary letter of credit) Commercial intermediation agreements (agency, commission, dealer) Agreements regarding transport activities (transport contract, forwarding contract) Factoring and forfeiting Securities in business transactions		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	verbal statement - question 3	51.0%	33.0%
	verbal statement - question 2	51.0%	33.0%
	verbal statement - question 1	51.0%	34.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	W.J. Katner, Prawo gospodarcze i handlowe, Warsaw (the newest issue) A. Kidyba, Prawo handlowe, Warsaw (the newest issue) B. Gliniecki, Leksykon prawa spółek, CH Beck R. Lewandowski, Commenrcial Law. Introdaction (najnowsze wydanie)	
	Supplementary literature	A. Kidyba, Kodeks spółek handlowych. Komentarz, Warsaw (the newest issue) Z. Jara,Kodeks spółek handlowych. Komentarz, Warsaw (the newest issue)	
	eResources addresses		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Civil Code as a source of commercial law of particular importance?		
	How can a limited liability company be established? and what is needed to register it?		
	What does the merger plan contain and what is its role in the process of merging companies?		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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