



FACULDADE DE DIREITO
Universidade de Lisboa

Curricular unit sheet

Course: Vocational Master's – International Law and International Relations
2016-2017

Curricular unit

International Human Rights Law (IHRL)

Responsible Academic staff and respective workload in the curricular unit (enter full name)

Rui Guerra da Fonseca – 2 hrs./week

Other academic staff and respective workloads in the curricular unit

Learning outcomes of the curricular unit

The course aims a global vision of IHRL, a discipline usually absent from graduation and even post-graduation courses, having present the need for legal formation in this area, as well as the need for international dialogue of the students.

Syllabus

- I. The foundations of IHRL: history, philosophical, political and legal perspectives; sources;
- II. The legal framework of IHRL (principles and various human rights);
- III. The human rights' protection systems
- IV. Human rights and socio-economic development.

Demonstration of the syllabus coherence with the curricular unit's objectives.

The course has a general part, covering all the aspects referred to in Syllabus. Than, a special parte will the contribute to the preparation investigation methods.

Teaching methodologies (including evaluation)

Methodology consists in traditional classes, promoting students' participation and critic approach, connecting the academic orientation to real life situations. Evaluation consists of a final paper.

Demonstration of the coherence between the teaching methodologies and the learning outcomes

Methodology (including evaluation) seeks the application of theoretical models, and the demonstration of their acquisition in practical contexts, considering their level of relevance.

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NOTE: this map can be filled in as many times as necessary to describe the different curricular units.