

SYLLABUS

Degree project in jurisprudence, Bachelor 15 credits J0042N

Examensarbete i rättsvetenskap, kandidat

Course syllabus admitted: Autumn 2023 Sp 1 - Present

**DECISION DATE
2021-02-17**

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First cycle, J0042N

Education level	Grade scale	Subject	Subject group (SCB)
First cycle	U G VG *	Rättsvetenskap	Law and Legal Studies

Main field of study

Jurisprudence

Entry requirements

In order to meet the general entry requirements for first cycle studies you must have successfully completed upper secondary education and documented skills in English language and for admission to this course the student must also have attained at least 90 credits, of which at least 75 credits in jurisprudence/law. The following courses should be included in this and be completed entirely with at least a passing grade: Legal introduction course (J0046N) 15 credits, Administrative law (J0049N) 7,5 credits, Commercial Law I (J0006N) 15 credits, Commercial Law II (J0007N) 15 credits and at least one of the courses Environmental Law (J0005N) 7,5 credits, Social Law (J0035N) 7,5 credits, Social law (J0047N) 7,5 credits, Migration law (J0048N) 7,5 credits, or equivalent.

Selection

The selection is based on 1-165 credits.

Course Aim

After completing the course, the student will be able to:

- Identify and formulate a relevant research question in the field of legal science
- Make a conscious and relevant choice of method to address the research question
- Collect the relevant material to answer the question
- Critically examine and analyse the collected material on the basis of its importance for the research question at hand
- Report the collected material in writing in such a way that the research question is answered
- Express him/herself well in writing in a linguistically and scientifically correct manner
- Verbally communicate results both within and outside of the science community
- Defend his/her results
- Critically examine other studies in a constructive and scientific manner

Contents

The course involves the writing of a degree project. The closer content of the course is determined on the basis of the individual choice of subject for the essay and what the student needs in order to independently write an essay. The degree project will provide training in identifying and critically reviewing relevant legal material and includes studies of literature and legal material relevant to the essay as well as studies in legal methodology and material treatment. The degree project is presented both verbally and in writing. The course also includes critically examining other degree projects.

Realization

Each course occasion's language and form is stated and appear on the course page on Luleå University of Technology's website.

The degree project is written individually or in pairs, with supervisor support. The course involves the selection of a topic and formulation of a research question. Based on the topic, the student shall independently acquire the necessary knowledge to conduct a legal study presented in the form of a written essay. The student shall use relevant literature and analyse relevant sources of law. The course ends with the student presenting and defending his or her own degree project and critically examines someone else's degree project. Supervision is provided within a period of one semester after the student has first registered for the course.

Examination

If there is a decision on special educational support, in accordance with the Guideline Student's rights and obligations at Luleå University of Technology, an adapted or alternative form of examination can be provided. The student shall demonstrate that he/she meets the objectives of the course by writing and completing an approved degree project, as well as by participating in a seminar with opposition.

To pass the course the student shall participate in compulsory meetings and seminars as well as register the thesis according to LTUs rules.

Unauthorized aids during exams and assessments

If a student, by using unauthorized aids, tries to mislead during an exam or when a study performance is to be assessed, disciplinary measures may be taken. The term "unauthorized aids" refers to aids that the teacher has not previously specified as permissible aids and that may assist in solving the examination task. This means that all aids not specified as permissible are prohibited. The Swedish version has interpretative precedence in the event of a conflict.

Remarks

A student who does not personally register or contact ETKS student administration (eduetks@ltu.se), within the first three days of the teaching period risks losing their place in the course. This also applies to students with a guaranteed place.

Overlap

The course J0042N is equal to J0024N

The course is equal to J0024N and IER363

Course offered by

Department of Social Sciences, Technology and Arts

Modules

Code	Description	Grade scale	Cr	Status	From period	Title
0001	Start of degree project	U G#	0	Mandatory	A14	
0002	Public discussion of others degree project	U G#	0	Mandatory	A14	
0003	Oral presentation	U G#	0	Mandatory	A14	
0004	Accepted report	U G VG *	15	Mandatory	A14	Yes

Study guidance

Study guidance for the course is to be found in our learning platform Canvas before the course starts. Students applying for single subject courses get more information in the Welcome letter. You will find the learning platform via My LTU.

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