



Title	<u>Children's rights in the EU law and policy</u>
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Brief description	The aim of the course is for students to learn about children's rights, the history of children's rights such as the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (1989) (CRC). A further aim is to discuss how children's rights and requirements of child protection is implemented in Europe and the countries of the European Union. Besides, the course focuses on EU Strategy on the Rights of the Child and its legal and non-legal consequences in the EU and in the Member States. The solutions and legal institutions related to children's rights upon the basis of the thematic areas of the EU Strategy on the Rights in the European countries are discussed and compared. Both students' independent work and team works are particularly important. The platform of the assignments and quizzes is the Moodle.
Schedule	1. Introduction 2. Children's rights 3. History of children's rights and CRC 4. Pillars of CRC 5. History of children's rights in the EU 6. EU Strategy on the Rights of the Child and its thematic areas 7. Child Participation 8. Child-friendly Justice 9. Violence against Children 10. Digitalization and children's rights 11. Migration and Child Abduction 12. Children's Rights in Comparative Perspective 13. Closing Session (The order of the topics may vary.)

Materials/Recommended readings	All materials included that of the lectures are uploaded on Moodle, such as the required legal documents of the EU. The uploaded materials include all important information regarding the topics of the course. The EU Strategy of the Rights of the Child and several documents which are related to the developments of the work on the basis of the Strategy and discussed during the course are uploaded.
Assessment/Exam	The assessment of the course is based upon the independent work of the students, such as their teamwork. Students must complete assignments and quizzes on Moodle continuously.