



**Free Movement of Persons in the EU in a Decade of Crisis: Migration
Crisis in 2015, COVID in 2020 and the war in Ukraine in 2022**

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Description

The course covers the essential EU legal framework on residence and employment rights within the framework of free movement of persons containing a concise overview on the Brexit process.

Course schedule

The course spells out in detail the vast legal material on free movement of persons under EU law with a view to changes and challenges induced by the crisis in the last decade. Concrete issues from the realm of residence and employment rights, including the recognition of qualifications, will be dealt with. Analysis of the legal sources will be based on the TFEU and secondary EU law instruments (Regulation 492/2011/EU, Regulation 883/2004/EC, Directive 2005/36/EC, Directive 2004/38/EC and special COVID rules). Special focus will be put on the relevant case-law of the Court of the EU, we will choose cases and examine them in detail. Notable examples of implementation of EU law into national law will also be touched upon. The course aims at drawing a horizontal picture regarding underlying processes, realities and consequences.



Course schedule (changes are possible later)

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Lecturer</i>	<i>Topic</i>
20 September	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	Introductory lecture, context setting (legal, economic, geographical)
27 September	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	Main concepts (IM, persons, workers, TCNs, equal treatment, direct effect, residence rights)
4 October	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	Exceptions, migration crisis in 2015 and its implications
11 October	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	General considerations on Brexit
18 October	Dr. Réka Kovács	Mutual recognition of diplomas and free movement of healthcare workers in light of Brexit
25 October	HOLIDAY	HOLIDAY
1 November	HOLIDAY	HOLIDAY
8 November	Dr. Árpád Mészáros	Social security and Brexit
15 November	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	COVID 1.
22 November	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	COVID 2.
29 November	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	The war in Ukraine and migration
6 December	Dr. Éva Lukács Gellérné	Final lecture, communication of grades

Assessment:

Lecture participation is obligatory in accordance with the relevant statutes (COVID might result in online teaching but in that case obligatory participation is required in TEAMS). There is no final written exam but different tasks will be performed throughout the semester (multiple choice tests, case studies, short written tests) and students will be required to write 1 or 2 short essays as well. Appr. 100 points can be reached altogether, students get grades on the basis of the number of points (80-100 points - grade 5).

Materials

The slides of the lectures and uploaded documents in MOODLE during the course.
