

Title	Discrimination and Anti-discrimination from
	an Economic Perspective
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Brief description	This English language elective course is meant to acquaint law students with the main insights of Economics as concerns the theory and selected empirical insights with regards to discrimination.  The prerequisites are: an introductory level understanding of Economics as such (e.g. having taken the obligatory first year Economics course at ELETE ÁJK Law), good enough English skills to read, write and discuss in English and an open mind.
Schedule	<ol> <li>Introduction: the methods of Econmics</li> <li>Welfare measurement in Economics</li> <li>The price discriminating monopolist</li> <li>Patterns of labour market differences across gender and ethnicity</li> <li>Economic models of labor market discrimination I</li> <li>Economic models of labor market discrimination II</li> <li>Methods of measuring discrimination in the labour market</li> <li>Welfare transfers and discrimination</li> <li>Economic models concerning Segregation in Education</li> <li>Methods of measuring segregation in education</li> <li>Summary</li> </ol>

Materials/Recommended readings	<ul> <li>Price Theory and Applications: Decisions, Markets, and Information. by Hirshleifer and Hirschleifer</li> <li>The Anatomy of Racial Inequality. By Loury</li> <li>Papers TBA</li> </ul>
Assessment/Exam	<ol> <li>The class grade will be based on two kinds of inputs:         <ol> <li>class participation, including score obtained for in-class quizzes (Kahoot) and optional short presentations held</li> <li>A short essay to be handed in by the end of the class period on a topic within the field discussed in class</li> </ol> </li> </ol>