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| To be completed by Course Team | Module name : **Choice Courses** | Module code: |
| Course name: **Commercial Law** | Course code: |
| Faculty:**IE** |
| Field of study:**Economy** |
| Mode of study :**Regular** | Learning profile:**practical** | Speciality: **PwDOOiM** |
| Year/ semester: **I/II** | Module/ course status: | Module/ course language:**English** |
| Type of classes | lecture | lessons | lab | project | tutorial | other (please specify) |
| Course load  | **30** |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Module/ course coordinator  | Dr Marcin Glicz, LL.M. |
| Lecturer | Dr Marcin Glicz, LL.M. |
| Module/ course objectives | The course is aimed to provide basic knowledge of legal regulation of commercial companies and cooperatives, as well as questions concerning the business contracts in their regulation by the Civil Code and the Code of Commercial Companies. The primary aim of the course is to gain an understanding of the legal framework that governs registration of the corporation in Poland, its business activity and questions of the liquidation. Upon completion of this course the student should have an understanding of the legal terms and principles of the commercial law including rules governing commercial companies, business obligations and relations between private entrepreneurs Substantial part is devoted to practical questions of founding of business companies and concluding of commercial contracts |
| Entry requirements  | English Language B2 Level |

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| **LEARNING OUTCOME** |
| Nr | LEARNING OUTCOME DESCRIPTION | Learning outcome reference |
| 1 | Student has an understanding of the legal terms and principles of business law  | K1P\_W15 |
| 2 | Student should have an ability to analyze and use provisions of business law |  K1P\_U07 |
| 3 | Student has an competence to act ethically in the area of organizational and social positions | K1P\_K07 |

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| **CURRICULUM CONTENTS** |
| **Lecture** |
| Introduction and overview; definition of the commercial law; sources of commercial law in Poland; legislation, custom, judicial decisions, works of legal scholars, Nature and legal framework of business conduction in Poland; business name, procuration; legal status of the participants of the commercial activity. Commercial organization – the major type of enterprises. General provisions of the foundation of the corporation; Registration of the corporation; Partnership and company. Legal status of the partnerships and companies in Poland; Registered partnership. Internal relationships and relationships with third parties. Liability of the partners. Dissolution of partnership; Professional partnership. Limited partnership. Limited Joint-Stock Partnership; Companies. Company in organization. Limited liability company. Joint-stock company; Organization of a limited liability company. Capital of the company. Shares. Rights and duties of shareholders. Company bodies, the management, supervision board, meeting of shareholders; Organization of a joint-stock company. Capital of the company. Shares. Rights and duties of shareholders. Company bodies, the management, supervision board, general of shareholders. Transnational forms of business activities. European company. European Economic Interest Grouping; Procedures on bankruptcy and liquidation of partnership and company; Law on commercial contracts. Foundation, modification and termination of commercial contracts; Contract of commercial sales. Nature, forms and requisites. International sale of goods; Contract of leasing. Nature, forms and requisites; Contract of agency. The essence of Agency. Agent-Principal Relationship. Principal-Third Party Relationship. Agent-Third Party Relationship. Agency related contracts in business; Insolvency and bankruptcy forms. |
| Tutorial |
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| Basic literature | Lewandowski, R., *Polish commercial law. An introduction*, Warszawa 2007 Kodeks cywilny. Civil code. Przepisy dwuzjęzyczne, Warszawa 2011. |
| Additional literature | 1. Brodecki, Z., *Polish business law*, Kluwer 2003.2. Kierzkowska, D., Business Law. The Polish Law Collection, Warszawa 2007. |

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| Teaching methods | Lectures and seminars. Study of selected readings. Each lecture will combine theoretical information and practical examples.  |
| Assessment method | Learning outcome number |
| Examination | 01-03 |
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| Form and terms of an exam | Written exam |

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| **STUDENT WORKLOAD** |
|  | Number of hours  |
| Participation in lectures | 30 |
| Independent study of lecture topics | 40 |
| Participation in tutorials, labs, projects and seminars |  |
| Independent preparation for tutorials\* |  |
| Preparation of projects/essays/etc. \* |  |
| Preparation/ independent study for exams | 30 |
| Participation during consultation hours | 0,1 |
| Other |  |
| **TOTAL student workload in hours** | 100,1 |
| **Number of ECTS credit per course unit** | **4** |
| Number of ECTS credit associated with practical classes | **2,8** |
| Number of ECTS for classes that require direct participation of professors  | **1,2** |