Table 5.2. Course Specification

Study Programme: Undergraduate Academic Studies - BA in Law (Hons)

Course Title: Company Law

Teacher(s): Prof. Zlatko Stefanović, SJD, Prof. Sonja Bunčić, SJD

Course Status: M (mandatory)

ECTScredits: 8
Condition: None

Course aim:

Knowledge of organizations engaged in commercial activity, legal forms of organizations, their general status and status in the market, including their establishment, connection during their existence and termination.

Course outcome:

Training students for jobs in the economy, requiring the knowledge of organizations that perform business activity, legal forms of organization, their general legal status and status in the market.

Course contents:

Week 1: Concept and subject of the status in commercial law; an organization; the status of an organization, an organization without the status and characteristics of a legal entity.

Week 2: Organizations with some legal personality features; organizations with the status of a legal entity; the concept and legal nature of economic entities; the status of other persons derived from the status of the organization. Economic activity.

Week 3: Classifications of organizations; types of legal entities; types of business entities with the status of a legal entity; the company.

Week 4: Foundation of business entities.

Week 5: Economic activity as a status feature, business name, headquarters.

Week 6: Representation and presentation of business entities.

Week 7: Liability for obligations; piercing the corporate veil.

Week 8: Assets of economic entities.

Week 9: Registers of economic entities.

Week 10: Business books and business results.

Week 11: Management.

Week 12: Partnership, Limited Partnership.

Week 13, 14: Limited Liability Company.

Week 15-18: Joint Stock Company.

Week 19: Mergers.

Week 20: Division: transformation.

Week 21: Termination of economic entities - reasons, deletion of entities based on a statement of will, liquidation.

Week 22-23: Bankruptcy.

Week 24: Connecting legal entities based on investments in share capital and agreements on the assignment of management rights.

Week 25: Connected legal entities, Holding, Concern, Consortium, Cartel and Joint Venture.

Week 26-27: Competition Law.

Week 28: Public enterprises; Cooperatives.

Week 29: Status-legal relations of different categories of persons (founders with other persons).

Week 30: Status-legal relations of the shareholders with other persons and other categories with each other (participants, employees, stakeholders).

Practical lessons

Interactive discussions, team work and analysis of examples from court practice and hypothetical cases. Interpretation of legislation in the field of company law.

Coursebook(s) / Readings:

Recommended literature (in Serbian):

Mandatory:

Stefanović Zlatko, Company Law, VIII edition, Belgrade, 2020, Publisher: Union University, School of Law, Belgrade

Additional:

Vasiljević S. Mirko, Jevremović Petrović Tatjana, Lepetić Jelena, Company Law: Law of Commercial Entities, Belgrade, 2020, Publisher: Official Gazette, Belgrade

No. of active teaching lessons:	Theory: 75	Practice: 30
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Teaching methods:

Lectures and auditory exercises.

Grading (max. No. of points: 100)

0-50 pts – Grade 5

51-60 pts - Grade 6

61-70 pts – Grade 7 71-80 pts – Grade 8

81-90 pts – Grade 9 91-100 pts – Grade 10

Pre-examination obligations	Points	Final examination	Points	
Attendance	-			
In-class activity (during lessons)	20	Oral exam		50
Out-of-class activity (additional, self-induced: writing texts, etc.)	-			
Practice lessons	-			
Progress tests	30			
Seminar papers	-			

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