

COURSE OUTLINE

1. GENERAL

SCHOOL	APPLIED SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY		
DEPARTMENT	DIGITAL MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION		
LEVEL OF STUDY	UNDERGRADUATE		
COURSE UNIT CODE	DMC113	SEMESTER OF STUDY	1 ST
COURSE TITLE	INTERNET POLICIES AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK		
COURSEWORK BREAKDOWN		TEACHING WEEKLY HOURS	ECTS Credits
		Lectures	2
		<i>Total</i>	2
ECTS Credits	3		
COURSE UNIT TYPE	Compulsory, Management-Economy-Law-Humanities		
PREREQUISITES :	-		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION/EXAMS:	Greek		
COURSE DELIVERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes (in English)		
MODULE WEB PAGE (URL)	http://elearn.teikoz.gr/course/view.php?id=46		

2. LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning Outcomes
<p>The purpose of this course is to provide students with an overview of the emerging legal and regulatory framework of Internet. Students will be assessed the importance of the legal issues that arise from peoples' and businesses' interactions through the Internet and cyberspace. The course will focus on legal and policy issues related to the protection of intellectual properties and anonymity, invasion of privacy, e-commerce, online contracts, and the practice of domain names.</p> <p>On successful completion of this module the learner will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Asses the importance of the principles of Internet Law. 2. Identify the new legal issues that arise from the use of Internet. 3. Analyze the policies and regulatory framework of Internet in the European Union and other selected countries. 4. Predict legal problems and issues of intellectual property rights on the Internet.
General Skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decision making - Adaptation to new situations - Working in international context - Working in interdisciplinary context

3. COURSE CONTENTS

<p>The course covers topics such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Basic principles of law. - Anonymity issues on the Internet and how to overcome them legally. - Protection of intellectual property rights in the Internet age. - Legal regulations for data protection on the Internet. - Legal issues of online exchanges, electronic contracts and digital signatures. - Infringements of the right of personality in cyberspace. - Credibility of online legal documents which are retrieved from the Internet. - Policies for children protection in the Internet - Domain names regulation in the Internet.
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- Rules of electronic consent.
- Electronic Justice.
- Regulatory framework of privacy protection in the European Union and Greece.
- Regulatory framework of electronic governance in selected countries and Greece.

4. TEACHING METHODS - ASSESSMENT

MODE OF DELIVERY	In-class	
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY	Support of the learning process through the e-class platform.	
TEACHING METHODS	<i>Method description</i>	<i>Semester Workload</i>
	Lectures	26
	Personal Study	49
	<i>Total Work Load</i>	<i>75</i>
ASSESSMENT METHODS	End of Semester Formal Examination (100%): - Short answer questions - Essay questions	

5. RESOURCES

- Recommended Book Resources:

- Craig, B. (2013), *Cyberlaw: The Law of the Internet and Information Technology*, Pearson Education/Prentice Hall.
- Savin, A. (2013), *EU Internet Law*, Edward Elgar Publishing.
- Velentzas I. (2008) *Technology and Innovation Law*
- Papakonstantinou, B. (2010), *Digital Greece: A Review of the History, Contemporary Regulatory Framework, Future Recommendations*, Klidarithmos Publishing, Athens (in Greek).
- Karakostas, I. (2009), *Law & Internet (3rd Edition)*, Law & Economy – Panagiotis N. Sakkoulas Anonimi Ekdotiki & Emporiki Etaireia, Athens (in Greek).
- Sidiropoulos, Th. (2008), *Internet Law*, Sakkoulas Publishing, Thessaloniki (in Greek).

- Recommended Article/Paper Resources:

- Mutulescu, A. S., Rudăreanu, M., Ilie, M., Bratu, S., & Făiniși, F. (2011), *The Law and the Information Society: Electronic Signature and Electronic Contract*, Economics, Management, and Financial Markets, Vol. 2, pp. 401-409.
- Chaudri, A. (2008), *Internet Domain Names and the Interaction with Intellectual Property*, Computer Law & Security Review, Vol. 24, No. 4, pp. 360-365.
- Akester, P. (2004), *Authorship And Authenticity in Cyberspace*, Computer Law & Security Review, Vol. 20, No. 6, pp. 436-444.
- Finocchiaro, G. (2003), *European Law and Consumer Protection in the Information Age*. Information & Communication Technology Law, Vol. 12, No. 2, pp. 111-123.
- Caudill, E. M., & Murphy, P. E. (2000), *Consumer Online Privacy: Legal and Ethical Issues*, Journal of Public Policy & Marketing, pp. 7-19.