

Summary of the course

Constitutional Law of the EU

1st year 2 semester

Level of higher education - master's degree

Speciality D9 International law

Number of credits - 3

Total number of hours - 90

The program of the course is designed in accordance with the educational and professional program for Master's degree in International Relations, speciality D9 International Law.

The purpose of teaching this course is to train specialists who possess a high level of legal awareness and legal literacy, as well as the knowledge of the European constitutional legal order necessary for their professional activities, the processes of formation, evolution, and practical implementation of EU constitutional law, as well as the content and orientation of its key institutions; and who are capable of assessing the current state of constitutional legislation in Ukraine in terms of its compliance with European standards in the context of European integration.

Course Description: Constitutional History: From Paris to Lisbon. The constitutional system of the European Union and its Elements. National identity, constitutional identity, and sovereignty in the EU. Foundations of the EU's constitutional order. Vertical separation of powers within the EU: Multilevel Governance. Horizontal separation of powers in the EU: the Union's governmental structure and institutions. Judicial oversight of EU member states and European institutions. Legal foundations of the EU's common policies. Lawmaking in the EU. EU citizenship. Foundations of an individual's legal status in the EU.

Final control in the form of a test.