

KKΠ7 Juvenile Law

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Semester: 5th

ECTS: 4.5

Short Description:

The subject of this course is the analysis of the concept of juvenile delinquency and of the framework for the protection of youth. The institutional measures that tackle the delinquent behaviour and constitute, according to the Greek law, the main branch of Juvenile Law are being examined, as well as their compliance with principles and rules that regulate the protection of juvenile in international and European level. The specific topics examined include

- The legal framework of penal treatment of juvenile in Greece
- The criminal theories concerning protection of juvenile
- The penal justice for juvenile in Europe

Aims:

To present and analyse the institutional measures that tackle the delinquent behaviour and constitute the main branch of Juvenile Law in Greece. The issue of the compliance of Greek Law with the principles that regulate the protection of youth at the international and European level is also examined.

Learning Outcomes:

Students are expected to understand the framework of penal justice for juveniles through a comparative approach, after studying the application of penal policies of this field in Europe

Structure:

13 three-hour sessions

Assessment:

Written or oral exams. Students have the option to ameliorate their score by 10% by submitting an essay (on a voluntary basis).

Bibliography:

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