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Course Unit Program
International Political Organizations

Academic Year 2023/2024

1. Organic Unit

Faculty of Law

2. Course

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

3. Cycle

1st

4. Course Unit

International Political Organizations (07415)

5. Scientific Area

6. Curricular Year

2nd

7. Type of Curricular Unit / Semester

2nd Semester



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8. Class type and workload (work time)

Theoretical classes:

Practical classes:

Theoretical-Practical Classes 30,00

Tutorial Guidance: 20,00

9. ECTS Credits

6,00

10. Scientific Area Coordinator

11. Regent

Prof. Doutor ANTÓNIO MANUEL FERNANDES DA SILVA RIBEIRO

12. Assistants

13. Teaching Language

Portuguese

14. General Objectives

Enable students with essential knowledge about the nature, functions and main actions of a set of international political organizations, over historical time and in the context of today

15. Specific Objectives

Provide students with essential information on:

- History, concept, classification and legal order of the main international organizations;
- Objectives, structure and functioning of these institutions in the context of international relations;
- The dynamics of its activities in different periods of international politics after World War II.

16. Skills to be acquired

- Identify the main international political organizations of today;
- Explain its importance, area of intervention, mode of operation and dynamics of interaction with other international actors;
- Contribute to studies and to the formulation of positions of national entities within the scope of the activities of international organizations.

17. Teaching Methodology

Theoretical and practical classes, which include mandatory reading, to support open, in-depth and up-to-date discussion, in class, of the various syllabus contents.



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18. Course Unit Program

- 1- Origin and historical evolution
- 2- Structuring concepts and performance characteristics
- 3- Classification
- 4- Legal order
- 5- Universal international organizations
- 6- Regional international organizations
- 7- Specialized international organizations
- 8- UN Seminar
- 9- EU Seminar
- 10-NATO Seminar

19. Assessment Methods

Continuous assessment in classes.
Thematic presentations based on mandatory readings.
A mandatory final test.

20. Didactic Resources

Texts/articles/books recommended by the teacher;
Illustrative slides of the classes taught;
Recommended bibliography.

21. Sustainability Objectives

- 1- Increase the number of young people and adults with relevant qualifications, including technical and professional skills, for employment, teaching work, and entrepreneurship in the field of international relations;
- 2- Promote security, at national and international level, in compliance with the principles of the UN Charter, the Constitution and the Laws;
- 3- Contribute to responsible, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at the political and strategic levels of interna

22. Keywords

International organizations
International community
State
UN
EU
NATO



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23. Main Bibliography

Author(s): Campos, João Mota de (coord.)
Title: Organizações Internacionais
Edition: 4^a Year: 2011
Local: Coimbra
Publisher: Coimbra Editora

Author(s): Archer, Clive
Title: International organizations
Edition: 4^a Year: 2014
Local: London and New York
Publisher: Routledge

Author(s): Rittberger, Volker e outros
Title: International organizations
Edition: 3^a Year: 2019
Local: London
Publisher: Bloomsbury

24. Complementary Bibliography

Author(s): Barkin, Samuel
Title: International organizations: Theories and Organization
Edition: 2^a Year: 2013
Local: New York
Publisher: Pelgrave Macmillan

Author(s): Karns, Margaret e Mingst, Karen
Title: International organizations: The Politics and Processes of Global Governance
Edition: 3^a Year: 2015
Local: Boulder/CO
Publisher: Lynne Rienner Publishers



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