

Title of Course	Competition Policy		
Semester	Autumn/Spring		
Teaching Hours per Course:	Total	- Lectures:	- Tutorials:
	30	30	-
ECTS Credits	2		
The content of education			
Aims of Course	<p>1.To introduce the basic theoretical concepts of competition policy and competitiveness policy.</p> <p>2. To get acquainted with the scope of competition policy, the essence of international competitiveness of the economy.</p> <p>3. Introduction to the basic scope of competition rules in the European Union.</p> <p>4. Introduction to: the prohibition of restrictive practices, concentration control, sectoral competition rules, state aid in competition policy, the conditions of state monopolies and public enterprises in the context of competition policy.</p>		
Program	<p>1. Basic assumptions of competition theory, origins of competition policy.</p> <p>2. Competition policy in the light of the principles of the European single market, functions and instruments of competition policy.</p> <p>3. Importance of competition policy in the process of shaping the international competitiveness of the economy.</p> <p>4 The essence, objectives, determinants of competitiveness.</p> <p>5. The impact of globalisation on competitiveness: the concepts of "international chase line", "technology gap".</p> <p>6 International competitiveness of countries and the EU.</p> <p>7. The international competitiveness of firms.</p> <p>8. Features of European competition policy.</p> <p>9. Common competition policy towards undertakings, including concentration of undertakings, agreements between undertakings, abuse of competitive position.</p> <p>10. Common competition policy towards state aid.</p>		
Conditions of completion	<p>Assessment of class activity.</p> <p>Written test - three descriptive questions.</p>		
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