

DESCRIPTION OF THE DOCTORAL STUDY SUBJECT

Title of the subject	Field of science (branch) code	Faculty	Department
International and European Union Intellectual Property Law	Law (01 S)	Law	Private Law
Study methods	Number of credits	Study method	Number of credits
Lectures	-	Consultations	2
Individual work	4	Seminars	-
Subject annotation			
<p>The subject of international and European Union intellectual property law is intended to analyze and evaluate the legal protection of copyright, related rights, individual industrial property objects - patents, trademarks, industrial designs, trade names, topographies of semiconductor products, geographical and geographical indications, know-how.</p> <p>Topics analyzed: the content of copyright and related rights, restrictions, participation in civil circulation, implementation and protection problems; registration of industrial property objects, legal protection is granted to the content of rights, their protection, mutual relations; international treaties on fundamental intellectual property rights (Paris Convention 1883, Berne Convention 1886, Rome Convention 1961, World Intellectual Property Organization Treaties 1996, TRIPS Agreement, Patent Cooperation Treaty 1970, European Patents Convention 1973) Systems established and operating in the European Union for the legal protection of individual intellectual property objects: the system of patent protection, the system of protection of the Community trademark, the system of design protection, etc.</p> <p>Upon completion of the course, the doctoral student must have mastered the system of categories of international and EU intellectual property law and have knowledge of how the same categories are perceived and interpreted in the doctrine of law, legislative process and jurisprudence. After completing the study, the doctoral student must be able to analyze the chosen problem of intellectual property law in the broader context of theoretical problems of law, be able to apply various methods of legal research to assess and solve theoretical and practical problems of intellectual property law.</p>			
Main literature			
Tritton, Guy (et al). <i>Intellectual Property in Europe</i> . 5th. ed. London: Sweet & Maxwell, 2018.			
Vytautas Mizaras. <i>Autorijų teisė</i> . I ir II tomai. Vilnius: Justitia, 2008, 2009.			
Williams R. Cornish / David Llewelyn / Tanya Aplin. <i>Intellectual Property: Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks and Allied Rights</i> . 9th ed. Sweet & Maxwell, 2019.			
<i>European Copyright Law. A Commentary</i> (ed. by Michael M Walter, Silke von Lewinski), Oxford University Press, 2010.			
MIZARAS, Vytautas. The Influence of the European Union Law on Lithuanian Copyright (1999- 2013). In Lithuanian Legal System under the Influence of European Union Law (ed. G. Švedas). Vilnius: Faculty of Law, Vilnius University, 2014.			
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Lewinski, Silke von. <i>International Copyright Law and Policy</i> . Oxford University Press, 2008			
J. A. L. Sterling. <i>World Copyright Law</i> . 3rd Edition, Sweet & Maxwell, 2008.			
Names, surnames of advising lecturers	Science degree	Major works in the area (direction) of science published over the last 5 years	
Vytautas	Dr.	MIZARAS, Vytautas (bendraautorius). <i>European Case Law</i>	

Mizaras		on infringements of intellectual property rights (ed. Michel Vivant), Bruylant, 2016. 296 p. (ISBN 978-2-8027-5153-3) (p.117-124, 177-190).
		MIZARAS, Vytautas. The Influence of the European Union Law on the Lithuanian Copyright Law. <i>In</i> Zeszyty naukowe uniwersytetu Jagiellonskiego: Prace z prawa własności intelektualnej. Warsaw : Wolters Kluwer Polska, 2016, Zs. 132. p. 114-133. ISSN: 1689-7080.
		MIZARAS, Vytautas. Unfair Competition Law in Lithuania. <i>In</i> International Handbook on Unfair Competition (ed. by Henning-Bodewig). München: C. H. Beck, 2013.
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