

Course Description		
Course title:	European Environmental Law	
Neptun code:		
Type (core, specialization, optional, dissertation, other):	optional	
Lecture/ Seminar (practical); hours per week:	seminar; 2/week	
Name and position of lecturer:	SZILÁGYI János Ede, associate professor	
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Prerequisite course(s):	none	
Language of the course:	English	
Suggested semester: autumn /spring, 1-6	autumn or spring	
Number of credits:	3	
Requirements (exam/practical mark/signature/report, essay):	report	
Course objectives (50-100 words):	<p>The purpose of this English-language-course is broadening the knowledge of the students by a scientific assessment of (i) dogmatic and historical questions of environmental law, as well as (ii) the relationships of environmental law with international, European, constitutional and other laws. Course includes the following topics: The concept of sustainable development and environmental law, Dogmatics of environmental law, EU environmental law, Civil law, criminal law and environmental law, GMO-law, Concepts of water law, Water as an environmental component and natural resource.</p>	
Course structure:	Week	Topic
	1.	The concept of sustainable development and environmental law
	2.	Dogmatics of environmental law
	3.	The historical development of environmental law
	4.	International environmental law (public) 1
	5.	International environmental law (public) 2
	6.	International environmental law (WTO)
	7.	Introduction to European environmental law 1
	8.	Introduction to European environmental law 2
	9.	Introduction to constitutional issues of environmental law
	10.	Waste management law
	11.	Water law
	12.	Topics selected and presented by students
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Required readings:	<p>Bell, Stuart – McGillivray, Donald – Pedersen, Ole.: Environmental law, Oxford, Oxford University Press, 2013</p> <p>Krämer, Ludwig: EU environmental law, London, Sweet & Maxwell, 2012</p>	
Recommended readings:	<p>Szilágyi János Ede: Current challenges concerning the law of water services in Hungary, Lex et Scientia 23 (2016) 1, 70-82. p.</p> <p>Szilágyi János Ede: Relationship between Agricultural Law and Environmental Law in Hungary, in: Monteduro et al (ed.): Law and Agroecology – A Transdisciplinary Dialogue, Berlin, Springer, 2015, 265-278. p.</p>	
Evaluation method:	<p>The maximum obtainable points of course is the sum of written report (80%) and oral presentation (20%) of the student. The mark 'unaccepted' is 0-30% of the maximum points, the mark 'accepted' is 31-70% of the maximum points, the mark 'excellent' is 71-100% of the maximum points.</p>	