

Course Description																													
Course title:	International and European Company Law																												
Neptun code:																													
Type (core, specialization, optional, dissertation, other):	Core																												
Lecture/ Seminar (practical); hours per week:	Lecture two hours/week																												
Name of lecturer:	Prof. Dr. Nóra Jakab																												
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Prerequisite course(s):	There is no																												
Language of the course:	English																												
Suggested semester: autumn /spring, 1-6	spring 2																												
Number of credits:	3																												
Requirements (exam/practical mark/signature/report, essay):	essay																												
Course objectives (50-100 words):	The course focuses on company law issues within the European Union. The course has a comparative dimension, outlining the similarities and differences of the most important company forms used in Europe in national legislation. It also has a sui generis European law part, which reflects the results of European law harmonization in the field of company law, including supra-national company forms.																												
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Evaluation method:	essay																												