



Code: IUS/21

Credits: 8

Matter: COMPARATIVE PUBLIC LAW

Main language of instruction: Italian

Other language of instruction: English

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Introduction:

Objective of the course: The student at the end of the course will have demonstrated to know the substantial concepts of constitutional law through a rereading in a comparative key. Moreover, thanks to the acquired knowledge, he will be able to critically evaluate the social events that can be subsumed within the subject studied and an understanding of concrete dynamics of the organization and functioning of the State, its organs and justice, above all thanks to the activities of Etivity.

Objectives:

The course of Comparative Constitutional Law sets the following educational objectives:

1. methodological and substantial understanding of constitutional law in the complex comparative framework,
2. examination of the main legal issues such as the Constitution, the sources of law, the forms of State, the forms of government, state organization and the role of constitutional bodies and constitutional justice,
3. study of the themes of multiculturalism and the constitutionalization of differences,
4. understanding of the social, political, cultural and institutional changes to which States contemporary are subjected contemporary.



Competencies:

Autonomy of judgment:

The student will be able to develop an independent capacity of judgment based on the issues addressed during the course and thanks to the learning of the general principles of the subject, concretely applying the teaching to the everyday reality.

Communication skills:

The student will be able to communicate their knowledge, information, ideas, problems and solutions to stakeholders specialists and non-specialists, in a clear and unambiguous way.

Learning ability:

The student will have developed the learning skills that will be needed to undertake studies subsequent with a high degree of autonomy.

Syllabus:

Programme of the course:

Subject 1 General principles of constitutional law

Subject 2 The sources of law and legal families

Subject 3 The forms of state

Subject 3 The forms of government

Subject 4 The constitutional bodies

Subject 5 Constitutional justice

Subject 6 Constitutionalism and the codification of rights

Subject 7 Multiculturalism

Subject 8 Examples of multiculturalism

Evaluation system and criteria:

The exam consists of an oral exam or a written test.

Bibliography and resources

Materials to consult: The reading list and other materials (cases) will be published at the beginning of the course

Recommended bibliography:

Mark Tushnet, Advanced Introduction to Comparative Constitutional Law (2014)

Michel Rosenfeld, András Sajó, The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Constitutional Law (2013)