

COURSE OF STUDY *Economia e amministrazione delle aziende*

ACADEMIC YEAR *2024-2025*

ACADEMIC SUBJECT *Consumer Law 6 CFU*

General information	
Year of the course	<i>First Year, second year, third year - optional teaching</i>
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	<i>9 September –20 December 2024</i>
Credits (CFU/ETCS):	<i>6 CFU</i>
SSD	<i>IUS/01</i>
Language	<i>Italian</i>
Mode of attendance	<i>Mandatory attendance</i>

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Office Hours (and modalities: e.g., by appointment, on line, etc.)	<i>Monday and Tuesday h. 13</i>

Work schedule			
Hours			
Total	Lectures	Hands-on (laboratory, workshops, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
<i>Es. 250</i>	<i>80</i>		<i>170</i>
CFU/ETCS			
<i>Es. 10</i>	<i>10</i>		

Learning Objectives	<i>The course aims at the students to the legal language and to the knowledge of the principal of the consumer law.</i>
Course prerequisites	<i>The student must have taken the Private Law exam.</i>

Teaching strategies	<i>lecture-based classes</i>
Expected learning outcomes in terms of	
Knowledge and understanding on:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Knowledge of the main legal institutions of consumer law ○ Ability to reason about a legal problem
Applying knowledge and understanding on:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Recognize a legal problem and identify the tools for its solution
Soft skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Making informed judgments and choices</i> • <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Capacities to continue learning</i>
Syllabus	

Content knowledge	Introduction to Communitarian consumer Law. The Consumer Code: fundamental rights and the consumer right to education and information, unfair commercial practises and misleading advertising; consumer contracts and distance contracts; the sale as laid down in the Civil Code and the rules of the sale of consumer goods; consumers associations right of action and standing to sue; the class action.
Texts and readings	L. Rossi Carleo, Diritto dei consumi, soggetti, atto, attività, enforcement, Giappichelli, Torino, ult. ed. A. Barenghi, Diritto dei consumatori, Padova, ult. ed. A. Catricalà, M.P. Pignalosa, Manuale del diritto dei consumatori, Dike giuridica editrice, ult. ed. Codice del Consumo (annotato con la dottrina e la giurisprudenza), a cura di E. Capobianco e G. Perlingieri, ESI, Napoli, ult. ed.
Notes, additional materials	
Repository	

Assessment	
Assessment methods	<i>oral</i>
Assessment criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>understand a legal problem</i> • <i>Applying knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>solve a legal problem</i> • <i>Autonomy of judgment</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>evaluate the alternative solutions to be adopted in solving a legal problem</i> • <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>expose the regulations relating to the main institutions of Consumer Law in an appropriate technical language</i> • <i>Communication skills</i> • <i>Capacities to continue learning</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>use legal language</i>
Final exam and grading criteria	<p>The final grade is awarded on a scale of thirty. The exam is considered passed when the grade is equal to or greater than 18.</p> <p>The evaluation will take into account not only the number of correct answers but also the use of appropriate and coherent legal language, as well as the development of independent judgment.</p>
Further information	
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