

General information	
Academic subject	Criminal Law I
Degree course	Law
Academic Year	3°
European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS): 6	
Language	Italian
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	March - May
Attendance	Yes

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Tutoring (time and day)	After the lesson's end or remotely by arranging a virtual appointment on Meet platform

Syllabus	
Learning Objectives	<i>The course looks to a knowledge of criminal law principles that enables the student to read critically the system. In this perspective, the student is urged to become aware of the distorting effects, with respect to of the so-called criminal classicism, the contemporary declinations (/ variables) of constants of the criminal system, such as the so-called criminal populism, pan-criminal law and the so-called "Punitive passion".</i>
Course prerequisites	<i>Basic knowledge of philosophy of law, private law and constitutional law</i>
Contents	<i>I. Foreword to criminal law. II. The rule of law. III-VI The rule of law in the criminal law. Main aspects. VII. The rule of law in the jurisprudence of Constitutional Court, European Court of Justice and the European Court of Human Rights. - VIII. Reading the criminal law. - IX. Criminal law in the time. - X. Criminal law in space. - XI. The harm principle. - XII. The principle of individual criminal responsibility. – XIII-XVI Criminal sanctions. Main theoretical aspects and regulation</i>
Books and bibliography	Mantovani F., <i>Diritto penale. Parte Generale, ultima edizione</i> Marinucci G. – Dolcini E. – Gatta G.L., <i>Diritto penale. Parte generale, ultima edizione</i> Palazzo F.- Bartoli R., <i>Corso di diritto penale. Parte generale, ultima edizione</i> Pulitanò D., <i>Diritto penale, ultima edizione</i> <i>The use of a different textbook must be authorized by the Professor</i>
Additional materials	https://archivioldpc.dirittopenaleuomo.org/ http://www.archiviopenale.it/ https://discrimen.it/ https://www.giurispudenzapenale.com/ http://www.la legislazione penale.eu/ https://www.sistemapenale.it/

Work schedule	

Total	Lectures	Hands on (Laboratory, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
150			
150	48	12	90
ECTS			
Teaching strategy			
	The course is splitted into lectures and seminar activities		
Expected learning outcomes			
Knowledge and understanding on:	Knowledge of the principles of criminal law in the perspective of Italian and European Courts jurisprudence		
Applying knowledge and understanding on:	Basic knowledge for the preparation of applications to the Constitutional Court and the ECtHR		
Soft skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Making informed judgments and choices</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The course aims to stimulate critical awareness of the relationships between the current face of the criminal system, criminal law principles, including those of a constitutional nature, the European and supranational framework, the main guidelines for reform of the code • <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ability to expose the criminal law concepts in an orderly manner and to correctly use the related terminology • <i>Capacities to continue learning</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ability to assimilate study texts in relation to legislation, dogmatic elaborations and jurisprudential paths; ability to organize the topics studied in an ordered system of concepts also in view of further study and professional opportunities 		

Assessment and feedback	
Methods of assessment	
Evaluation criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The course aims to stimulate critical awareness principles of criminal law in the perspective of Italian and European Courts jurisprudence • <i>Applying knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Knowledge of the principles of criminal law in the triple direction of the regulation, of the theoretical studies and the jurisprudence • <i>Autonomy of judgment</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Make the students able to develop his own critical evaluation of the legislative production and of the jurisprudence • <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ability to expose the criminal law concepts in an orderly manner and to correctly use the related terminology • <i>Communication skills</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ability to assimilate study texts in relation to legislation, dogmatic elaborations and jurisprudential paths
Criteria for assessment and attribution of the final mark	<i>The aims is to enable the student to critical reading of the criminal law</i>
Additional information	