

ANNEX 2 – COURSE DESCRIPTION

Course title	Special Criminal Law			
Course code	LAWG-242			
Course type	Compulsory			
Level	Undergraduate			
Year / Semester	2 nd /D			
Teacher's name	Dimitrios Kourtis			
ECTS	6	Lectures / week	3 hours per week	Laboratories / week
Course purpose and objectives	<p>The purpose of the course is for the students to understand the most basic individual crimes and to apply in depth the principles of criminal law in its most special aspects.</p> <p>Also, the aim is for students to come into contact with the vague legal concepts of criminal law in order to be able to interpret them, studying the relevant case-law. At the same time, through this course, the aim is for students to be able to distinguish the components of each crime.</p> <p>At the same time, the goal is for the students to be able to apply the provisions of the Criminal Code in combination and to acquire the ability to critically analyse judicial decisions as well as the ability to solve practical problems.</p>			
Learning outcomes	<p>Upon completion of the course, students are expected:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be able to distinguish individual crimes and to be able to identify their actus reus and mens rea. • To understand the operation of special criminal law. • To acquire the ability to apply legal principles to factual situations. • To be able to apply the principles of general criminal law to specific crimes. • To acquire the ability to analyse and process judicial decisions in issues of criminal law. • To be able to solve practical problems by forming criminal legal thinking. • To develop the ability of combined thinking and critical analysis of criminal law. 			

Prerequisites	General Criminal Law (LAWG-213)	Required	None
Course content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crimes against property. • Crimes related to memos. • Crimes against life and insults to the embryo. • Crimes against physical integrity and health. • Crimes against personal freedom. • Crimes against sexual freedom and economic exploitation of sexual life. • Crimes against honour. • Crimes against public order. 		
Teaching methodology	Lectures using powerpoint, assignments, active participation of students in discussions and dialogue. Case law analysis and practical problem solving. Assignments and presentations.		
Bibliography	<p>Ch. Mylonopoulos, Criminal Law – Special Part, 4th ed. (Nomiki Bibliothiki 2021). St. Pavlou/ I. Bekas/ A. Apostolidou, Criminal Law – Special Part (P.N. Sakkoulas 2021)</p> <p>Chr. Satlanis, Introduction to Criminal Law – Special Part, 3rd ed. (Nomiki Bibliothiki 2022).</p> <p>N. Bitzilekis, Crimes against property, 2nd ed. (Sakkoulas 2023).</p> <p>E. Symeonidou -Kastanidou, Crimes against personal property, 4th ed. (Nomiki Bibliothiki 2020).</p> <p>A. Papadamakis, Property crimes, 4th ed. (Sakkoulas 2022).</p> <p>D. Spinellis, Criminal Law – Special part. Honor Crimes, 4th ed (Nomiki Bibliothiki 2015)</p> <p>A.I. Charalambakis, Criminal Law & Case Law, 3rd ed. (Nomiki Bibliothiki 2021).</p> <p>M. Margaritis/A. Margariti, Penal Code with Supplement, Interpretation - Application (P.N. Sakkoulas 2022).</p>		
Assessment	Midterm exam 20% Assignment 20%		

	Participation 10% Final exam 50%
Language	Greek

