

Course Outline

TU 122 Law in Everyday Life (Section 046402)

Semester 2/2020 (January 20 – May 19, 2021)

Number of credits:	3 credits (3-0-6)
Lecture Time:	Monday, 13.00 – 16.00 hours
Lecture Venue:	Webex – the link will be provided in BE Moodle
Instructor:	Dr. Pananya Larbprasertporn E-mail: Pananya.larbpr@gmail.com Course Coordinator: Dr. Pananya Larbprasertporn Teaching Assistant: N/A

Prerequisite: None

Course Description:

To study general aspects of law as correct patterns of human conduct in society. To equip learners with basic principles of public law (rules of law), and its values which are associated with citizens' moral core. To provide basic knowledge in public law and private law, involving the issues of rights and duties, dispute settlement, Thai Justice procedures, the usage and interpretation of law principles, with an emphasis on case studies in our daily lives.

Course Objectives:

This course is aimed at providing students with basic knowledge of various areas of law, mainly private law, public law and criminal law, which are involved in everyday life. The students are expected to be able to identify legal issues and understand legal arguments.

Main Texts:

Raymond Wacks, *Law: A Very Short Introduction* (OUP 2008)

Michael Doyle, *Doyle's Practical Guide to Thailand's Business Law* (Seri, Manop & Dolye Ltd 2009)

Required readings/ course materials:

Required reading will be uploaded to the BE website or distributed in class on a weekly basis.

Suggested readings:

Twekiat Menakanit, *General Principles of Criminal Law* (Faculty of Law Thammasat University 2014)

Andrew Harding and Peter Leyland, *Constitutional System of Thailand: A Contextual Analysis* (Hart Publishing 2011)

Grading:

Midterm Examination	30%
Final Examination	40%
Presentation	20%
Attendance, Quizzes, Assignment	10%
Total	<hr/> 100% <hr/>

Tentative class schedule

Session/Date & Time	Topics	Activities/ Text & Materials/ Media
#1: 25 Jan 21	Introduction to Thai law	Lecture / discussion
#2: 1 Feb 21	Distinction between Private Law, Criminal Law and Public Law and Classification of Private Law Rights (1)	Lecture / discussion
#3: 8 Feb 21	Distinction between Private Law, Criminal Law and Public Law and Classification of Private Law Rights (1)	Lecture / discussion
#4: 15 Feb 21	Formation of Contract, Validity of Contract, and Breach of Contract (1)	Lecture / discussion
#5: 22 Feb 21	Formation of Contract, Validity of Contract, and Breach of Contract (2)	Lecture / discussion
#6: 1 Mar 21	Formation of Contract, Validity of Contract, and Breach of Contract (3)	Lecture / discussion
#7: 8 Mar 21	Formation of Contract, Validity of Contract, and Breach of Contract (4)	Lecture / discussion
15 Mar 21	Mid-Term Examination: 13.00 – 15.00 hrs.	
#8: 22 Mar 21	Juristic Persons (1)	Lecture / discussion
#9: 29 Mar 21	Juristic Persons (2)	Lecture / discussion
#10: 5 Apr 21	Tort Law (1)	Lecture / discussion
#11: 19 Apr 21	Tort Law (2)	Lecture / discussion
#12: 26 Apr 21 TBA	Guest speaker	Lecture / discussion
#13: 3 May 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (1)	Lecture / discussion
#14: 10 May 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (2)	Lecture / discussion
#15: 17 May 21	Review	Lecture / discussion
23 May 21	Final Examination: 09.00 AM – 12.00 hrs.	

ACADEMIC CALENDAR SEMESTER 2/2020

Semester 2/2020 (January 20 - May 19, 2021)	
Classes Begin	January 20, 2021
Add-drop period	January 25 - 29, 2021
Tuition payment period	January 30 - February 2, 2021
<i>Makha Bucha Day*</i>	<i>February 26, 2021</i>
Mid-term Examination Period	March 10 - 16, 2021
Withdrawal period with "W" on record	March 24 - May 6, 2021
<i>Chakri Memorial Day*</i>	<i>April 6, 2021</i>
<i>Songkran Day Festival*</i>	<i>April 12 - 18, 2021</i>
<i>Substitution for Visakha Bucha Day*</i>	<i>April 26, 2021</i>
<i>Coronation Day*</i>	<i>May 4, 2021</i>
<i>Royal Ploughing Ceremony Day*</i>	<i>May 11, 2021</i>
Last day of class for Semester 2/2019	May 19, 2021
Final exam period	May 20 - June 5, 2021
<i>Visakha Bucha Day*</i>	<i>May 26, 2021</i>
<i>Queen Suthida's Birthday*</i>	<i>June 3, 2021</i>

** Public Holiday, No Classes during this period*