

Course Outline

TU 122 Law in Everyday Life (Section 046401)

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: ONLINE

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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%
Assignment	20%
Participation	10%
Total	100%

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	Introduction to Thai law & Classification of Private Law Rights (1)	Lecture / discussion
#3: 8 Feb 21	Classification of Private Law Rights (2)	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
10-16 Mar 21	Mid-Term Examination (TBA)	
#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: 12 Apr 21	Tort Law (2)	Lecture / discussion
#12: 19 Apr 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (1)	Lecture / discussion
#13: 26 Apr 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (2)	Lecture / discussion
#14: 3 May 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (3)	Lecture / discussion
#15: 17 May 21	Criminal Law and Criminal Offences (4)	Lecture / discussion
20 May - 5 Jun 21	Final Examination (TBA)	

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