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The main purpose of the course **"Private International Law (Special Part)"** is to provide students with in-depth knowledge of the legal rules, principles, and mechanisms governing specific categories of private legal relations involving a foreign element. The course aims to develop students' understanding of the particularities of the legal regulation of cross-border civil, family, employment, inheritance, property, contractual, and commercial relations, taking into account the interaction between different national legal systems and international legal standards.

The course seeks to familiarize students with the specific conflict-of-laws rules applicable to various types of private legal relationships, the methods for determining the applicable law, and the principles governing international jurisdiction, the recognition and enforcement of foreign judgments, and international legal cooperation. Particular attention is paid to the legal regulation of international contracts, international trade, foreign investments, intellectual property, family relationships involving foreign elements, international inheritance, and other areas of private international law.

An important purpose of the course is to develop students' ability to analyze complex legal situations involving foreign elements, interpret and apply relevant national legislation, international treaties, conventions, and European Union legal instruments, and identify appropriate legal solutions to cross-border disputes. Students are expected to acquire practical skills in determining the applicable law, assessing the legal consequences of foreign elements in private relationships, and applying specialized conflict-of-laws rules to concrete legal cases.

Furthermore, the course aims to strengthen students' analytical, comparative, and problem-solving skills by examining practical cases and contemporary issues arising from the internationalization of private relations. It promotes an understanding of the importance of legal certainty, the protection of individual and corporate rights, the autonomy of the parties, and effective judicial cooperation in resolving disputes involving multiple legal systems.

Upon completion of the course, students should be able to apply the specialized principles and rules of private international law to practical situations, provide reasoned legal assessments of cross-border private relations, and identify effective legal mechanisms for resolving disputes involving a foreign element. The competencies acquired will contribute to students' professional development in international legal practice, international business, civil and commercial law, and other areas requiring specialized knowledge of private international law.

The main **objectives** of studying the discipline **"Private International Law (Special Part)"** by students are:

- to develop students' scientific worldview**;**
- to enhance students' legal, philosophical and methodological culture**;**
- to enable students to master the fundamental ideas, concepts and legal constructs in the field of legal regulation of property and personal non-property relations involving a foreign element**;**
- to develop students' ability to independently apply substantive-law and conflict-of-laws methods to the regulation of international private relations;
- to develop students' basic skills in presenting the results of their research into issues of private international law in the form of essays, academic communications, reports, research papers and scholarly reviews;
- to enable students to master the basic categories and conceptual framework of private international law;
- to study the minimum necessary range of connecting factors applicable to specific types of international private relations;
- to enable students to master the content of the legal provisions of the Law of Ukraine "On Private International Law" and the main conventions in the field of private international law**.**

Prerequisites. For the effective study of the discipline, students should have previously acquired the competencies provided by the courses "Theory of International Relations," "Theory of

Law," "History of International Law," "Public International Law," "International Law," and "Private International Law (General Part)."

Learning Outcomes

As a result of studying the academic discipline **"Private International Law (Special Part),"** students will acquire the following general and professional competencies:

- the ability to propose and substantiate their own position;
- an understanding of the importance of participating in competitions and grant and scholarship programmes;
- the ability to critically analyse and evaluate contemporary developments in the field of law;
- the ability to present the results of their professional activities and defend them in a well-reasoned manner;
- the ability to identify facts that are relevant and admissible for legal analysis;
- the ability to analyse legal problems and formulate legal positions;
- the ability to apply legal reasoning and argumentation;
- the ability to identify problems in legal regulation and propose appropriate means and procedures for resolving them, including overcoming legal uncertainty.

As a result of studying the academic discipline **"Private International Law (Special Part)",** students will **know and understand**:

- the content of the main connecting factors in private international law and the specific features of their application in different areas of private international law;
- the procedure for concluding foreign economic contracts and their legal regulation;
- the legal regulation of international carriage of goods, passengers and baggage by different modes of transport;
- international treaty and customary sources governing financial obligations in private international law;
- the specific features of the legal protection of intellectual property in private international law;
- the legal regulation of relations arising from the causing of harm involving a foreign element;
- the procedure for inheritance by operation of law and by will in private international law;
- the grounds for the emergence and methods of resolving conflicts in matrimonial and family relations involving a foreign element in Ukraine and foreign countries;
- the legal status of migrant workers in Ukraine and foreign countries;
- the principles for determining international jurisdiction and its types;
- the legal foundations of international commercial arbitration.

Students **will be able to**:

- demonstrate knowledge and skills acquired in the course of study and professional activities, including knowledge of current developments in applied, sectoral and interdisciplinary legal sciences, and critically comprehend the fundamental theories, principles, methods and concepts of contemporary legal science;
- carry out the procedural and documentary formalization of the results of the consideration of a legal case and other legal documentation, including in a foreign language;
- maintain legal statistics and analyse statistical data of both domestic and foreign origin;
- undertake measures to eliminate the conditions and causes of legal delicts within the scope of professional duties;

- monitor the implementation of legal decisions, including decisions of courts of foreign or international jurisdiction;
- provide legal formalization of subjective rights and legal facts;
- assess, on the basis of statistical reporting, accounting data and an analysis of the state of local law-making, the effectiveness of local normative legal acts;
- conduct expert examination of local normative legal acts, including those of foreign origin;
- draft applications, complaints and other legal documents, including those in the field of international relations;
- ensure compliance with requirements and standards governing the organization of work and with sector-specific normative legal acts;
- perform the professional duties of a lawyer specializing in international law in accordance with the principles of independence, the rule of law, legality, confidentiality, etc.;
- use office equipment, formally document management decisions and conduct correspondence;
- provide responses to applications and complaints submitted by individuals and legal entities;
- prepare information-search, registration and statistical documents;
- conclude a foreign economic contract;
- apply the categories and conceptual framework of private international law to the resolution of practical tasks;
- on the basis of an analysis of specific private relations involving a foreign element, determine the appropriate connecting factor to be applied;
- use auxiliary organizational and legal mechanisms for determining and interpreting the provisions of foreign law when applying them to international private relations before a Ukrainian court;
- in specific private relations involving a foreign element, establish the "nationality" of a legal entity and the personal status of a natural person;
- determine the differences between the legal status of the state in private international and public international legal relations;
- identify instances of evasion of law in the actions of participants in international private relations;
- distinguish between primary and subsidiary connecting factors in specific cases of legal regulation of international private relations;
- establish the legality of the choice of law made by the parties to a foreign economic contract in light of the existing limitations on the application of the principle of *lex voluntatis*.

Upon completion of the academic discipline, students will acquire the following competencies stipulated by the Educational and Professional Programme for the training of students at the first (Bachelor's) level of higher education in Specialty 293 "International Law":

General Competencies

GC 1. Ability for abstract thinking, analysis and synthesis.
GC 2. Ability to learn and acquire up-to-date knowledge.
GC 4. Ability to communicate in a foreign language.
GC 5. Ability to search for, process and analyse information from various sources.
GC 7. Ability to work in an international context.

Professional Competencies

PC 5. Ability to analyse the content of national legal norms, institutions and branches of law in a comparative legal context.

PC 6. Ability to provide legal support for legal relations involving a foreign element, foreign economic activity and international economic cooperation.

PC 7. Ability to provide legal opinions and consultations on matters of public international law and private international law, European Union law, the national law of Ukraine and the law of other states; to forecast and assess legal risks associated with foreign policy and foreign economic initiatives and ways to mitigate such risks.

PC 8. Ability to engage in discussions and debates on international legal and general legal matters; to prepare cases for consideration by Ukrainian, foreign and international courts and arbitration tribunals.

PC 9. Ability to conduct diplomatic and business correspondence; to analyse the content, nature and legal character of international legal documents.

PC 15. Ability to apply knowledge of the principles and content of institutions of private international law.

Programme Learning Outcomes

PLO 3. Know and understand the regulatory provisions, doctrines and principles governing the functioning of international and national legal systems; on this basis, analyse and qualify legal phenomena and apply international legal norms and principles within the national legal system.

PLO 4. Analyse the dynamics of the adaptation of Ukrainian legislation to European Union law and take into account the legal aspects of European and Euro-Atlantic integration processes when addressing complex professional tasks.

PLO 5. Conduct a comparative analysis of legal systems, assess and substantiate their shortcomings and advantages, identify and interpret relevant foreign legislation, provide consultations on its content and application in practice, and assess and minimise the risks associated with legally significant actions, taking into account the plurality of legal systems and jurisdictions.

PLO 6. Provide legal support for the protection of rights and the defence of the interests of individuals and legal entities, as well as the national interests of the State of Ukraine, through international and national legal mechanisms in the field of public international and private international relations.

Description of the Academic Discipline
General Information

Form of Study	Year of Study	Semester	Number of		Total Hours						Type of Final Assessment
			Credits	Hours	Lectures	Practical Classes	Seminars	Laboratory Classes	Independent Study	dividual Assignments	
Full-time	3	5	4,0	120	30	30	-	-	60	-	Exam
Part-time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Structure of the Content of the Academic Discipline

Titles of Content Modules and Topics	Number of Hours											
	Full-time						Part-time					
	Total	Including					Total	Including				
		L.	Pr.	Lab.	Ind.	Ind. Study		L.	Pr.	Lab.	Ind.	Ind. Study
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Content Module 1. Current Issues in Contractual Obligations in Private International Law												
Topic 1. Concept and Specific Features of a Foreign Economic Contract	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 2. International Sale of Goods Contract	12	3	4	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 3. Types of Civil Law Contracts in Private International Law	13	4	4	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 4. Transport Obligations in Private International Law	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 5. Financial Obligations in Private International Law	10	2	3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 6. Protection of Intellectual Property in Private International Law	11	3	3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total for Module 1	**64**	**16**	**18**	**-**	**-**	**30**	-	-	-	-	-	-
Content Module 2. Conflict of Laws in Specific Areas of Private International Law												
Topic 7. Tort	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-

Obligations in Private International Law												
Topic 8. Inheritance Relations in Private International Law	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 9. Matrimonial and Family Relations in Private International Law	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 10. Employment Relations in Private International Law	9	2	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 11. International Civil Procedure	10	3	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Topic 12. International Commercial Arbitration	10	3	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total for Module 2	**56**	**14**	**12**	**-**	**-**	**30**	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	**120**	**30**	**30**	**-**	**-**	**60**	-	-	-	-	-	-

Lecture Topics with a List of Questions

№	Topic Title and Key Issues
1	**Topic 1. Concept and Specific Features of a Foreign Economic Contract** 1. Concept and Characteristics of a Foreign Economic Contract 2. Form of a Foreign Economic Contract 3. Terms and Conditions of a Foreign Economic Contract 4. Registration of Foreign Economic Transactions and Means of Foreign Economic Regulation 5. Conflict-of-Laws Issues of a Foreign Economic Contract
2	**Topic 2. International Sale of Goods Contract** 1. Concept, Procedure for Conclusion and Essential Terms of an International Sale of Goods Contract 2. Obligations of the Parties under an International Sale of Goods Contract 3. Liability of the Parties for Breach of Contractual Obligations 4. United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (1980): Main Provisions

	5. INCOTERMS International Trade Terms: General Overview 6. UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts 7. The *Lex Mercatoria* Theory
3	**Topic 3. Types of Civil Law Contracts in Private International Law** 1. Concept and Forms of International Barter Transactions 2. Exclusive Sales Contract 3. Franchise Agreement 4. Factoring Agreement 5. Contract of Agency 6. Commission Agreement in Private International Law 7. Agency Agreement 8. Lease Agreement 9. Leasing Agreement 10. Contract for Work in Private International Law 11. Cooperation Agreement 12. Consortium Agreement 13. Storage Agreement in Private International Law 14. Insurance Contract in Private International Law
4	**Topic 4. Transport Obligations in Private International Law** 1. Concept and Specific Features of the Legal Regulation of International Carriage 2. International Carriage by Sea: a) concept and subject matter of private international maritime law and its sources; b) legal regulation of international carriage of goods by sea; c) legal regulation of international carriage of passengers and baggage by sea. 3. International Carriage by Rail: a) international agreements in the field of international carriage by rail; b) procedure and form for concluding an international contract of carriage by rail; c) liability of the carrier; d) submission of claims and limitation periods. 4. International Carriage by Road: a) international agreements in the field of international carriage by road; b) procedure and form for concluding an international contract of carriage of goods by road; c) liability of the carrier; d) liability of the consignor; e) liability of the consignee; f) submission of claims and limitation periods. 5. International Carriage by Air: a) international agreements in the field of international carriage by air; b) procedure for documenting international carriage by air; c) liability of the consignor; d) liability of the carrier; e) procedure for submitting claims and limitation periods. 6. International Combined Carriage of Goods
5	**Topic 5. Financial Obligations in Private International Law** 1. Legal Nature of International Payments and Credit Relations 2. Forms of International Financial Payments: a. collection as a form of international financial payments; b. documentary credit (letter of credit) form of payment; c. bills of exchange and cheques as payment instruments in international financial obligations. 3. Bank Account Agreement. Banking Transactions

	4. Forms of Foreign Exchange Risk Insurance in Foreign Economic Contracts 5. Domestic Legislation on Foreign Exchange Regulation and Its Role in International Financial Obligations
6	**Topic 6. Protection of Intellectual Property in Private International Law** 1. Concept and Main Specific Features of Intellectual Property as an Object of International Legal Protection 2. Copyright: a) concept and international agreements in the field of copyright; b) objects of copyright; c) subjects of copyright; d) subjective copyright; e) protection of copyright. 3. International Legal Protection of Related Rights: a) concept of "related rights"; b) international instruments in the field of protection of related rights; c) main principles and conditions for granting international protection of related rights. 4. Industrial Property Rights: a) concept and international agreements in the field of international protection of industrial property; b) protection of inventions; c) protection of "know-how"; d) protection of industrial designs; e) licensing agreement for the use of an industrial property right; f) protection of trademarks and service marks; g) protection of designations of origin of goods; h) protection against unfair competition. 5. Institutional Mechanism for the Protection of Intellectual Property
7	**Topic 7. Tort Obligations in Private International Law** 1. Concept of Obligations Arising from the Causing of Harm 2. Conditions for the Occurrence of Tort Obligations in National Legal Systems 3. Conflict-of-Laws Issues Concerning Tort Obligations Involving a "Foreign Element" in National Law 4. International Agreements in the Field of Tort Relations 5. Regulation of Tort Obligations Involving a "Foreign Element" under Ukrainian Legislation
8	**Topic 8. Inheritance Relations in Private International Law** 1. Inheritance Legal Relations in Private International Law: General Overview 2. International Agreements and the Legislation of Ukraine and Foreign Countries on Inheritance 3. Inheritance by Will 4. Inheritance by Operation of Law 5. Transfer of the Estate and Liability for the Debts of the Deceased
9	**Topic 9. Matrimonial and Family Relations in Private International Law** 1. Concept of Family Law and International Agreements in the Field of Regulation of Matrimonial and Family Relations 2. Marriage: Concept, Procedure and Conditions for Its Conclusion 3. Legal Relations between Spouses 4. Legal Relations between Parents and Children. Issues of Maintenance Obligations 5. Termination of Marriage in Private International Law 6. Adoption. International Treaties and Ukrainian Legislation on Adoption

	7. Guardianship and Custody 8. Conflict-of-Laws Legislation of Ukraine Governing Matrimonial and Family Relations
10	**Topic 10. Employment Relations in Private International Law** 1. Employment Relations Involving a "Foreign Element" and Sources of Their Regulation 2. Conflict-of-Laws Regulation of International Employment Relations 3. Employment Rights of Ukrainian Citizens Abroad 4. Employment Rights of Foreigners in Ukraine 5. Social Security Issues
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12	**Topic 12. International Commercial Arbitration** 1. Concept and Types of International Commercial Arbitration 2. Legal Foundations of the Operation of International Commercial Arbitration 3. Arbitration Agreement 4. General Overview of Arbitration Proceedings 5. Setting Aside and Enforcement of Arbitral Awards

Topics of Practical Classes with a List of Questions

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Independent Study Assignments

Independent student work is a fundamental means of mastering the course material and is carried out outside scheduled classroom hours, as provided for in the course syllabus.

While studying the course, students are expected to develop independent thinking, deepen their understanding of theoretical knowledge, and acquire practical skills in making legal decisions. Answers to the assigned questions must be recorded in written notes and presented concisely and clearly, with mandatory references to the sources used.

Independent study is assessed through the review of students' written notes or discussion during seminar classes. The questions assigned for independent study may be included in ongoing, module-based, and final semester assessments.

To enable students to assess their own level of theoretical knowledge, self-assessment questions are provided.

№	Topic Title	Independent Study Assignments	Number of Hours
1	Concept and Specific Features of a Foreign Economic Contract	Study the concept and characteristics of a foreign economic contract. Examine the form of a foreign economic contract. Analyze the terms and conditions of a foreign economic contract. Determine the requirements for the registration of foreign economic transactions and examine the means of foreign economic regulation. Investigate conflict-of-laws issues relating to foreign economic contracts.	5
2	International Sale of Goods Contract	Study the concept, procedure for conclusion, and essential terms of an international sale of goods contract. Analyze the obligations of the parties under an	5

		international sale of goods contract. Determine the liability of the parties for breach of contractual obligations. Examine the main provisions of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (1980). Study the general principles and application of INCOTERMS international trade terms. Analyze the UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts. Examine the theory of Lex Mercatoria.	
3	Types of Civil Law Contracts in Private International Law	Examine the concept and forms of international barter transactions. Study the legal nature and specific features of exclusive sales contracts. Analyze the concept and essential terms of franchise agreements. Examine the legal nature and specific features of factoring agreements. Study the concept and legal regulation of contracts of agency. Analyze commission agreements in private international law. Determine the legal nature and specific features of agency agreements. Examine the legal regulation of lease agreements. Compare lease agreements and leasing agreements. Study the legal regulation of contracts for work in private international law. Analyze the concept and essential terms of cooperation agreements. Examine the legal nature and specific features of consortium agreements. Study the legal regulation of storage agreements in private international law. Analyze the specific features of insurance contracts in private international law.	5
4	Transport Obligations in Private International Law	Examine the concept and specific features of the legal regulation of international carriage. Analyze international carriage by sea: Define the concept and subject matter of private international maritime law and identify its sources. Examine the legal regulation of the international carriage of goods by sea. Analyze the legal regulation of the international carriage of passengers and baggage by sea. Study international carriage by rail: Identify international agreements governing international carriage by rail. Examine the procedure and form for concluding international contracts of carriage by rail. Determine the liability of the carrier.	5

		Analyze the procedure for submitting claims and the applicable limitation periods. Study international carriage by road: Identify international agreements governing international carriage by road. Examine the procedure and form for concluding international contracts of carriage of goods by road. Determine the liability of the carrier. Determine the liability of the consignor. Determine the liability of the consignee. Analyze the procedure for submitting claims and the applicable limitation periods. Examine international carriage by air: Identify international agreements governing international carriage by air. Study the procedure for documenting international carriage by air. Determine the liability of the consignor. Analyze the liability of the carrier. Examine the procedure for submitting claims and the applicable limitation periods. Analyze the legal regulation and specific features of international combined carriage of goods.	
5	Financial Obligations in Private International Law	Examine the legal nature of international payments and credit relations. Analyze the forms of international financial payments: Study collection as a form of international financial payment. Examine documentary credit (letter of credit) as a form of payment. Analyze the use of bills of exchange and cheques as payment instruments in international financial obligations. Study the legal nature of bank account agreements and examine the main types of banking transactions. Identify the forms of foreign exchange risk insurance used in foreign economic contracts. 5. Analyze domestic legislation on foreign exchange regulation and determine its role in international financial obligations.	5
6	Protection of Intellectual Property in Private International Law	Examine the concept and main specific features of intellectual property as an object of international legal protection. Analyze copyright: Define the concept of copyright and identify international agreements in this field. Determine the objects of copyright. Identify the subjects of copyright. Examine the content of subjective copyright. Analyze the legal mechanisms for copyright protection.	5

		Study the international legal protection of related rights: Define the concept of related rights. Identify international instruments governing the protection of related rights. Examine the main principles and conditions for granting international protection to related rights. Analyze industrial property rights: Define the concept of industrial property and identify international agreements governing its protection. Examine the legal protection of inventions. Study the legal protection of know-how. Examine the legal protection of industrial designs. Analyze licensing agreements for the use of industrial property rights. Study the protection of trademarks and service marks. Examine the protection of designations of origin of goods. Analyze the legal mechanisms for protection against unfair competition. Examine the institutional mechanisms for the protection of intellectual property.	
7	Tort Obligations in Private International Law	Define the concept of obligations arising from the causing of harm. Analyze the conditions for the occurrence of tort obligations in national legal systems. Examine conflict-of-laws issues concerning tort obligations involving a foreign element under national law. Identify international agreements governing tort relations. 5. Analyze the regulation of tort obligations involving a foreign element under Ukrainian legislation.	5
8	Inheritance Relations in Private International Law	Examine inheritance legal relations in private international law and identify their main characteristics. Analyze international agreements and the legislation of Ukraine and foreign countries governing inheritance relations. Study inheritance by will and examine the legal requirements for wills involving a foreign element. Analyze inheritance by operation of law. 5. Examine the transfer of the estate and determine liability for the debts of the deceased.	5
9	Matrimonial and Family Relations in Private International Law	Examine the concept of family law and identify international agreements governing matrimonial and family relations. Analyze the concept of marriage and determine the procedure and conditions for its conclusion. Examine the legal relations between spouses.	5

		Analyze the legal relations between parents and children and examine issues relating to maintenance obligations. Study the termination of marriage in private international law. Examine the legal regulation of adoption and analyze international treaties and Ukrainian legislation on adoption. Study the legal regulation of guardianship and custody. Analyze the conflict-of-laws rules of Ukraine governing matrimonial and family relations.	
10	Employment Relations in Private International Law	Examine employment relations involving a foreign element and identify the sources of their legal regulation. Analyze the conflict-of-laws regulation of international employment relations. Determine the employment rights of Ukrainian citizens working abroad. Examine the employment rights of foreign nationals working in Ukraine. Analyze social security issues arising in international employment relations.	5
11	International Civil Procedure	Define the concept and examine the content of international civil procedure. Analyze the concept, principles for determining, and types of international jurisdiction. Examine the legal regulation of international jurisdiction under Ukrainian legislation. Analyze the legal status of foreign entities in international civil proceedings. Examine the forms and procedures of international legal assistance in civil matters. Study the general principles governing the recognition and enforcement of foreign judgments. Analyze the procedure for recognizing and enforcing foreign judgments under Ukrainian legislation.	5
12	International Commercial Arbitration	Define the concept and identify the types of international commercial arbitration. Examine the legal foundations governing the operation of international commercial arbitration. Analyze the concept, form, and legal effects of arbitration agreements. Study the main stages and procedural rules of international commercial arbitration proceedings. Examine the grounds and procedures for setting aside arbitral awards and analyze the procedure for their recognition and enforcement.	5

Criteria for Assessing Students' Independent Work

Independent work is assessed based on the review of lecture notes, written assignments (essays and reports), the compilation of a terminology glossary, completion of tests, and discussion of the material according to the following criteria:

5 points – The student demonstrates comprehensive mastery of the material and provides an in-depth and thorough explanation of the topics assigned for independent study. The notes are clear and concise. During discussions, the student presents the material independently and with well-founded arguments, provides appropriate references to sources, and uses both required and supplementary literature.

4 points – The student demonstrates a sufficient level of knowledge and presents the material confidently and with sound reasoning. The prepared notes cover the assigned topics, relying primarily on the required literature. The student makes only occasional minor inaccuracies that they can correct independently.

3 points – The student generally understands the material and presents its main points but does so without in-depth analysis or sufficient argumentation. The material has been prepared without consulting all the required literature. The student makes some significant inaccuracies and errors when answering questions.

2 points – The student demonstrates only fragmented or partial knowledge of the material and presents it superficially, incompletely, and without adequate justification. During discussions, the student struggles with basic terminology, is unable to formulate independent arguments, and requires prompting questions from the instructor.

1 point – The student demonstrates minimal knowledge of the learning material. They are unable to explain the topics assigned for independent study, fail to understand the theoretical material, and make significant errors.

Teaching Methods and Educational Technologies

Teaching is based on close interaction between the instructor and students, using interactive methods to help students develop analytical skills, the ability to provide logically substantiated arguments, and an understanding of international legal aspects from the perspective of legal doctrine and the rule of law.

During lectures, explanatory-illustrative, inquiry-based, and interactive teaching methods are primarily used, including: presentation of new material of a problem-based nature in the form of presentations, discussions, consultations, and situational problem-solving tasks, using the latest information and communication technologies; organization of lectures in a format that enables students to express their views in a well-reasoned manner and analyse the positions of different countries; demonstration of presentations and interactive platforms; virtual tours of European institutions, etc., related to the subject matter of the lecture.

The combination of competency-based and interactive approaches forms the basis for organizing and conducting practical classes in the discipline.

Individual and group work is used, including colloquia, debates, and the analysis of real-life cases and tasks requiring the collection, systematization and analysis of information from national and international sources, as well as its assessment from an international legal perspective. In addition, information and communication technologies are used, including the presentation of reports, abstracts and essays, as well as collaborative work with legal and regulatory materials.

Assessment and Evaluation System

The assessment methods and means of demonstrating learning outcomes for this academic discipline include:

- computer-based testing based on the principles of the External Independent Evaluation (standardized tests);
- written tests;
- projects (integrated projects, individual and team projects, research and creative projects, etc.);
- analytical reports;
- abstracts;
- essays;
- presentations of completed assignments and research findings;
- student presentations and speeches at academic events;
- written tests;
- other types of individual and group assignments.

Formative Assessment: conducted during classes through individual and whole-class oral questioning, blitz questioning; written independent assignments (essays, abstracts, preparation of thematic glossaries, etc.); maintaining a terminology glossary; completion of practical (individual and group) assignments; preparation and defence of relevant diagrams, tables, charts and graphs; solving practical cases and hypothetical legal problems; analysis and substantiation (or refutation) of court decisions; peer assessment among Master's students working in pairs and small groups; self-assessment, etc. Particular importance is attached to the use of computer-based testing for monitoring and assessing Master's students' learning achievements.

Summative Assessment: a combined exam consisting of computer-based case-solving tests and an oral examination.

Criteria for the Formative Assessment of Students' Knowledge

Oral Presentation and Completion of a Written Assignment during a Practical Class, Topic-Based Testing	**Assessment Criteria**
5 points	Fully demonstrates mastery of the course material, presents it independently and confidently with well-reasoned arguments in oral presentations and written responses, thoroughly and comprehensively addresses the content of theoretical questions and practical tasks, drawing on both required and supplementary literature. Correctly completed all test questions.
4 points	Possesses a sufficiently comprehensive command of the course material, presents it with sound reasoning in oral presentations and written responses, and generally addresses the content of theoretical questions and practical tasks, using the required literature. However, some answers lack sufficient depth and substantiation, with occasional minor inaccuracies and insignificant errors. Correctly completed the majority of the test questions.

3 points	Possesses an overall command of the course material and presents its main content in oral presentations and written responses, but without in-depth and comprehensive analysis, substantiation and argumentation, and without using the required literature, while making some significant inaccuracies and errors. Correctly completed half of the test questions.
2 points	Does not fully demonstrate mastery of the course material. Presents it only in a fragmented and superficial manner, without sufficient argumentation or substantiation, in oral presentations and written responses; insufficiently addresses the content of theoretical questions and practical tasks, while making significant inaccuracies. Correctly completed a minority of the test questions.
1 point	Partially demonstrates mastery of the course material and is unable to present the content of most of the topic's questions in oral presentations and written responses, while making significant errors. Correctly completed some of the test questions.
0 point	Does not demonstrate mastery of the course material and is unable to present it; does not understand the content of theoretical questions and practical tasks. Did not correctly complete any of the test questions.

Supplementing the Presentation:

2 points – awarded to students who demonstrate an in-depth knowledge of the material and clearly identify its content; conduct a thorough and systematic analysis of the presentation, identify new ideas and provisions that were not previously considered but have a significant impact on the content of the presentation, and provide their own arguments concerning the key provisions of the topic.

1 point – awarded to students who present material on the topic under discussion that supplements the content of the presentation, deepens their knowledge of the topic, and express their own opinion.

Substantive Questions to Presenters:

2 points – awarded to students whose questions to the presenter substantially and constructively contribute to the discussion of the topic.

1 point – awarded to students whose questions to the presenter seek additional information on the key issues of the topic under consideration.

Express Assessment:

2 points – awarded to students who demonstrate a confident command of all course material, are well-oriented in the topic, and express their views with sound reasoning.

1 point – awarded to students who have a partial command of the material and are able to identify only some of the issues related to the topic.

Compilation of a Glossary of Key Terms Specified in the Course Programme (by Topic):

The course programme specifies a list of key terms that disclose the content of each topic. Students are required to compile a glossary of the key terms for a specific topic on the final pages of the lecture notes.

2 points – awarded to students who not only compile a complete list of the specified terms for a particular topic but are also able to explain their meaning fluently.

1 point – awarded to students who compile an incomplete list of the specified terms for a particular topic and are unable to explain their meaning without referring to their notes.**Keeping a Lecture Support Outline:**

A **Lecture Support Outline (LSO)** is a type of teaching and methodological aid that presents the main theoretical material in a concise and systematic manner in the form of key concepts and provisions that are structurally and logically interconnected. These concepts and provisions serve only as key reference points and require explanations and definitions to be recorded by students during the lecture. Keeping an LSO facilitates the systematic and in-depth assimilation of the course material and enables students to trace the structural relationships between various concepts, provisions, concepts, problems, theories, etc.

Each student must have an LSO during lectures and make handwritten notes in it. During classroom work with the LSO, students record the main points of the lecture and the instructor's explanations in the designated space provided in the outline. During independent study, students are advised to supplement their lecture notes and complete the assignments specified in the **Course Syllabus**.

1 point is awarded to students who have independently and creatively worked through all the lecture questions in full and demonstrate a confident command of its content.

1 point is awarded to students who have worked through only some of the lecture questions and do not demonstrate a sufficiently confident command of its content.

Preparation of Creative Assignments (Essay, Digest):

An essay is an independent creative assignment in which personal views are expressed freely on a topic specified in the **Course Syllabus**.

The main purpose of an essay is for students to independently address a topic, problem or issue on the basis of the material studied.

A digest is a compilation of excerpts from various sources on a particular topic. In the form of a digest, students may conduct a systematic analysis of any theoretical provision, present different views on a particular problem, topic or issue, and draw general conclusions.

2 points are awarded to students who are able to identify the main provisions from various sources, integrate them structurally, briefly analyse each of them, and draw well-substantiated general conclusions.

1 point is awarded to students who, in general, correctly identify the main provisions of each source but fail to provide an appropriate analysis and draw general conclusions.

Preparation of Notes on Primary Sources:

2 points are awarded to students who have studied all the required literature, mastered its main theoretical provisions, and are able to explain and interpret them.

1 point is awarded to students who have not studied all the required literature, do not always understand its fundamental theoretical provisions, and explain them only superficially.

Criteria for the Final Assessment of Knowledge in the Academic Discipline

Final Semester Assessment is the final evaluation of a higher education student's learning outcomes for the semester, conducted at the university in the form of an Exam. The final semester assessment includes questions, problems, situational tasks, etc., designed to assess students' understanding of the course material as a whole and the level of development of the relevant competencies upon completion of the course. The final semester assessment is graded on a scale from 0 to 100 points and converted into the national grading scale and the ECTS scale:

– higher education students who have fully mastered the academic discipline programme at the creative level, are able to answer all course questions, and have mastered the recommended literature are awarded a grade of A. At the same time, the grade of 100 points (according to the Yu. Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University grading scale) may, as an exception, be awarded only to higher education students who, in addition to demonstrating excellent knowledge of the academic discipline programme, have shown active involvement in research activities related to the course, have won prizes in student academic competitions, presented at conferences, etc.;

– higher education students who have mastered the academic discipline programme at the creative level but have made minor inaccuracies in their answers are awarded a grade of B;

– higher education students who have generally mastered the academic discipline programme at the productive level but make insignificant errors in their answers are awarded a grade of C;

– higher education students who have demonstrated satisfactory results in mastering the Course Syllabus at the reproductive level and make errors in their answers are awarded a grade of D;

– higher education students who have demonstrated the minimum sufficient level of knowledge of the academic discipline required for continuing their studies, have learned the basic course terminology, and are familiar with the material of the basic textbook are awarded a grade of E.

Higher education students who receive unsatisfactory grades of FX or F upon completion of the course must additionally complete individual assignments to improve their level of knowledge. Students receiving FX must retake the final assessment, while students receiving F must repeat the course and complete the final assessment again.

The final grade, as an indicator of the results of studying the academic discipline, consists of the total number of points awarded for formative assessment – 50 points – and the final module assessment (Exam) – 50 points, based on the 100-point university grading scale.

Distribution of Points Awarded to Students

Formative Assessment (*Classroom and Independent Study*)												**Number of Points (Exam)**	**Total Number of Points**
Content Module No. 1						**Content Module No. 2**							
T 1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6	T7	T8	T9	T10	T11	T12 T13	50	100
5	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	4		

T1, T2 ... T12 – Topics of Content Modules

Grading Scale: National and ECTS

Grade on the National Scale	**Grade on the ECTS Scale**	
	Grade (Points)	**Explanation According to the Extended Grading Scale**
Excellent	A (90-100)	**Excellent**
Good	B (80-89)	**Very Good**
	C (70-79)	**Good**
Satisfactory	D (60-69)	**Satisfactory**
	E (50-59)	Sufficient
		(Unsatisfactory)

Unsatisfactory	FX (35-49)	**with the possibility of retaking the assessment**
	F (1-34)	**(Unsatisfactory) with mandatory independent re-study of the educational component**

Exam Questions for the Academic Discipline
"Private International Law (Special Part)"

1. Concept and Specific Features of a Foreign Economic Contract.
2. Form of Foreign Economic Contracts.
3. Terms and Conditions of a Foreign Economic Contract.
4. Registration of Foreign Economic Contracts.
5. Conflict-of-Laws Issues Concerning Foreign Economic Contracts.
6. Concept of a Contract of Sale and Sources of Its Regulation.
7. Procedure for Concluding an International Sale of Goods Contract.
8. Essential Terms of an International Sale of Goods Contract.
9. Obligations of the Seller under an International Sale of Goods Contract.
10. Obligations of the Buyer under an International Sale of Goods Contract.
11. Specific Features of Contracts in International Trade.
12. Legal Remedies Available to the Parties in the Event of Breach of Contract.
13. UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts. The *Lex Mercatoria* Theory.
14. Concept of International Countertrade Transactions.
15. Barter and Compensation Transactions on a Non-Currency Basis.
16. Compensation Transactions on a Commercial Basis.
17. Compensation Transactions Based on Production Cooperation.
18. Exclusive Sales Contract.
19. Franchise Agreement as a Type of Exclusive Sales Contract.
20. Factoring Agreement.
21. Contracts of Agency and Commission.
22. Agency Agreement and Its Specific Features. The 1978 Hague Convention on the Law Applicable to Agency.
23. Lease Agreement.
24. Leasing as a Special Type of Lease Agreement. The 1988 Ottawa Convention on International Financial Leasing.
25. Contract for Work and Its Application in Business Activities.
26. Cooperation Agreement.
27. Consortium Agreement.
28. Storage Agreement and Its Application in Business Activities.
29. Insurance Contract and Its Specific Features.
30. Concept and Specific Features of the Legal Regulation of International Carriage.
31. Legal Regulation of International Carriage by Sea.
32. International Carriage by Rail.
33. International Carriage by Road.
34. International Carriage by Air.
35. International Combined Carriage.
36. Legal Nature of International Payments and Credit Relations.

37. Collection as a Form of International Financial Payments.
38. Documentary Credit (Letter of Credit) Form of International Financial Payments.
39. Bill of Exchange as a Payment Instrument in International Financial Obligations.
40. Cheque as a Payment Instrument in International Financial Obligations.
41. Foreign Exchange Risks in Foreign Economic Contracts and Forms of Their Insurance.
42. Concept and Main Specific Features of Intellectual Property as an Object of International Legal Protection.
43. International Legal Protection of Copyright.
44. International Legal Protection of Related Rights.
45. International Legal Protection of Industrial Property.
46. Concept of Obligations Arising from the Causing of Harm and Conditions for Their Occurrence in National Legal Systems.
47. Conflict-of-Laws Issues Concerning Obligations Arising from the Causing of Harm.
48. General Overview of Inheritance Legal Relations in Private International Law.
49. International Legal Regulation of Inheritance Relations.
50. Inheritance by Will in Private International Law.
51. Inheritance by Operation of Law in Private International Law.
52. Transfer of the Estate and Liability for the Debts of the Deceased in Private International Law.
53. Marriage: Concept, Procedure and Conditions for Its Conclusion.
54. Legal Relations between Spouses.
55. Legal Relations between Parents and Children.
56. Termination of Marriage in Private International Law.
57. Adoption. International Treaties and Ukrainian Legislation on Adoption.
58. Guardianship and Custody.
59. Conflict-of-Laws Regulation of Matrimonial and Family Relations.
60. Employment Relations Involving a Foreign Element and Sources of Their Regulation.
61. Conflict-of-Laws Regulation of International Employment Relations.
62. Social Security Issues in Private International Law.

Recognition of Results of Non-Formal Education

The individual educational trajectory of a higher education student in the process of studying the academic discipline is also implemented through participation in non-formal and informal education.

Additionally, students may earn 3 points upon completion of one of the online courses offered on educational platforms, including the following:

· Online Course on EU Private Law – Jurisdiction, Applicable Law and Non-contractual Obligations (European Training Platform):
https://european-training-platform.e-justice.europa.eu/search-training-materials/online-course-eu-private-law-jurisdication-applicable-law-and-non

· European Business Law: Doing Business in Europe (Coursera educational platform):
https://www.coursera.org/learn/eu-law-doing-business

· Conflict of Laws (University of London):
https://www.london.ac.uk/study/courses/short-courses/conflict-laws

· Private International Law (Ivan Franko National University of Lviv):
https://intrel.lnu.edu.ua/course/mizhnarodne-pryvatne-pravo

· Private International Law (National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy):
https://law.ukma.edu.ua/courses/mizhnarodne-pryvatne-pravo/

· Private International Law (Ivan Franko National University of Lviv, Faculty of Law):
https://law.lnu.edu.ua/course/mizhnarodne-pryvatne-pravo

· Private International Law (Kyiv National Economic University, Moodle platform): https://ido-m.kneu.edu.ua/moodle/course/index.php?categoryid=282

Recommended Literature

Legislative and Regulatory Acts

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2. Civil Code of Ukraine dated 16 January 2003 No. 435-IV. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/435-15
3. Civil Procedure Code of Ukraine dated 18 March 2004 No. 1618-IV. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/1618-15
4. Code of Ukraine on Bankruptcy Procedures dated 18 October 2018 No. 2597-VIII. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2597-19
5. Commercial Procedural Code of Ukraine dated 6 November 1991 No. 1798-XII. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/1798-12
6. Constitution of Ukraine dated 28 June 1996 No. 254к/96-ВР. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/254к/96-вр
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11. Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption, 1993. URL: https://zakononline.ua/documents/show/168017___168017#google_vignette
12. Convention on the Nationality of Married Women, 20 February 1957. URL: https://ips.ligazakon.net/document/MU57K01U
13. Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Decisions Relating to Maintenance Obligations, 1973. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/973_001#Text
14. Convention on the Recognition of Divorces and Legal Separations, 1970. URL: https://zakononline.ua/documents/show/140146___140146#google_vignette
15. Convention on the Recovery Abroad of Maintenance, 1956. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/995_425#Text
16. Convention on the Rights of the Child, 1989. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/995_021#Text
17. Family Code of Ukraine dated 10 January 2002 No. 2947-III. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2947-14
18. Law of Ukraine “On Banks and Banking Activity” dated 7 December 2000 No. 2121-III. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2121-14
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20. Law of Ukraine “On Citizenship of Ukraine” dated 18 January 2001 No. 2235-III. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2235-14
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22. Law of Ukraine “On Copyright and Related Rights” dated 1 December 2022 No. 2811-IX. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2811-20

23. Law of Ukraine “On Currency and Foreign Exchange Transactions” dated 21 June 2018 No. 2473-VIII. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/2473-19
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36. Law of Ukraine “On Protection of Rights to Inventions and Utility Models” dated 15 December 1993 No. 3687-XII. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/3687-12
37. Law of Ukraine “On Protection of Rights to Marks for Goods and Services” dated 15 December 1993 No. 3689-XII. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/3689-12
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39. Law of Ukraine “On Railway Transport” dated 4 July 1996 No. 273/96-BP. URL: https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/go/273/96-%D0%B2%D1%80
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