

<b>Title of the Course</b>	<b>CIVIL LAW. GENERAL PART</b>		
Amount in credit points/ECTS)	1/1.5	Volume (in hours)	40
Grounding	Without preliminary knowledge		
Science Sector	Legal Science		
Science Subsector	Civil Law		
<b>Summary of academic hours</b>		<b>Amount (academic hours)</b>	
Distance learning		20	
Contact hours / video lessons		4	
Exercises, self – assessment questions and tests		8	
Individual work/ discussions in distance		6	
Exams/tests		2	
<b>1. level professional study programme</b>	Law		
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<b>Lecturer(s) of the course</b>	LL.M. Valts Nerets		
<b>Goal of the course:</b>	The goal of the course is to introduce with the norms of general part of the Civil Law of Republic of Latvia, to provide with basic knowledge about civil law as a legal field, to form an understanding about the concepts of civil law; sources of civil law, most important legal acts in the area of civil law; to create a notion about subjects and objects of civil law, kinds of transactions, representation.		
<b>Requirements for obtaining credit points (structure of course evaluation):</b>	<u>The final evaluation is calculated:</u> Moodle discussion/task – 30% Test – 70% <i>For obtaining final evaluation, both activities should hold successful evaluation – not below 4 points.</i> <i>Final evaluation is the average grade in 10-point system, in proportion of percentage distributed amongst both activities</i>		
<b>Study Results</b>			
1. <i>Knowledge:</i> 1.1. As a result of the course, students obtain knowledge about the system of civil law, and its place in the legal system as whole, sources of civil law, objects, subjects, representation. 2. <i>Skills:</i> 2.1. Students are able to determine objects and subjects of civil law, are able to identify parties of transactions, objects and forms of transactions, parts of transactions. 3. <i>Competencies:</i> 3.1. Students are able to use theoretical knowledge in their professional career and real problem-situations. They are able to create a written legal document of transaction, are able to interpret legal transactions, are able to navigate through the principles of civil law, understand the essence of legally concluded transaction, the said rights and set obligations. 3.2. Students are able to understand and solve issues of different difficulty levels and are able to make informed decisions.			
<b>Content of the Course</b>			

No.	Subjects	Contact hours/ video audio lessons	Distance learning	Exercises, self- assessment questions and tests	Individual work/ discussions in distance	Exams/tests
1.	Civil law as law sector	4	5	2	1.5	2
2.	Legal relation		5	2	1.5	
3.	Realization of civil rights and duties		5	2	1.5	
4.	Civil protection, means and terms		5	2	1.5	
<b>TOTAL:</b>		4	20	8	6	2
<b>40</b>						

**Mastering the course and successfully passing examination, student is capable of** (*knowledge, skills and competencies*)

Study Results:	Evaluation Criteria		
	(40-69%)	(70-89%)	(90-100%)
<b>Knowledge</b>	To name and recognise terms	To define and recognise terminology	To understand and offer a solution to a situation
<b>Skills</b>	To use and justify usage of terms	To evaluate and analyse usage of terms in practice	To synthesize, model and discuss about real problem-situations
<b>Competencies</b>	Responsibility, initiative, creativity during evaluation of real problem-situations	Decision-making, critical thinking during real problem-situations, presentations skills during offering solutions to real problem-situations	Organisation and planning skills, self-discipline during solving different complexity issues and ability to make informed decisions

**Acknowledgement of the obtained study results**

Study results	1.1.	2.1	3.1.	3.2.
<b>Evaluation method</b>				
Moodle discussion/task	X	X	X	X

Test	X	X	X	X
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**Core Literature**

1.	Balodis K. Introduction of Civil Law. Riga: Zvaigzne ABC, 2007. 383 p.
2.	Torgans K. Liability Law. Study book. Riga: Tiesu namu agentura, 2014. 590 p.
3.	Cakste K. Civil Law. Lectures. Articles. Riga: Zvaigzne ABC, 2011. 360 p.

**Additional Literature**

1.	Commentaries on Civil Law. Liabilities Law (1401.-2400. p.). Author collective prof. K.Torgana visparīga zinātniska redakcija. Riga: My Property, 2000. 687 p.
2.	Strupiss A. Commentaries on Commercial Law. <i>Jurista Vards</i> , No. 22, 10.06.2003.
3.	Bitans A. Civil Liability and its Types. Riga: AGB, 1997. 208 p.
4.	Rozenfelds J. Case Law 4. Corrected, edited edition. Riga: Zvaigzne ABC, 2011. 224 p.

**Recommended Periodicals**

1.	Jurista Vards. <a href="http://www.juristavards.lv/">http://www.juristavards.lv/</a> .
2.	Latvijas Republikas tiesību akti. <a href="http://www.likumi.lv/">http://www.likumi.lv/</a> .