

BIP General presentation

<u>General Information</u>				
Dates for physical activity: 23.10.2023-27.10.2023				
Proposed period for virtual component: 16.10.2023-20.10.2023				
Location of physical activity: Romania, West University of Timisoara, Law Faculty, 9a, Bd. Eroilor				
Target audience / Participant profile: Law, Political Sciences and Social Sciences Students (bachelor, master, PhD candidates)				
No. of ECTS issued: 3 ECTS				
Language of instruction and requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English language skills necessary to follow the lectures and work independently (B2) • Basic knowledge on the European integration 				
Organizing board:				
Host university	partner 1	partner 2	partner 3	partner 4
University of Timisoara Romania (Raluca Bercea, Sorina Doroga)	University of Zaragoza Spain (Sergio Salinas, Gonzalo Arruego)	University of Beira Interior Portugal (Bruno Ferreira Costa)	University of Savoie Mont Blanc (Anne-Sophie Nardelli-Malgrand)	University of Turin (Davide Gianti <i>TBC</i>)
<u>Program</u>				
Title : <i>The Dynamics between the European Union and the Member States. A comparative (law) perspective</i>				
Short description: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The program will be structured on three main topics with a specific focus on their synergy. First will be addressed the specificities of the Member States' legal traditions, with the aim of connecting them to the difficulties experienced on their accession to the EU. Second the participants will be offered a perspective on the main comparative research tools and on their possible output for the social sciences. More specifically, among the variety of methods that have been used throughout time, will be explored the role that comparison may play in the legal field and will be addressed the stakes of interdisciplinarity in the study of law. Third, the participants will be offered examples illustrating the role played in the dynamics between the European Union and the Member States by concepts such as: <i>subsidiarity, consensus, margin of appreciation, constitutional identity, autonomous concepts, harmonization</i>. An extensive analysis on the use of comparison in the case law of the CJEU and the ECtHR is also foreseen. • The abstract reflection underlying the topic will be accompanied by debates, moot court activities and visits to the local courts. • The program aims to create a network between students and faculty members of participating institutions that can enable developing both international shared courses and intensive programs, as well as joint research activities. • The program will benefit from the already existing clusters of joint PhD students in the relevant fields developed within the UNITA alliance during its first 3 years of existence who will be actively involved in the program. 				
Proposed schedule:				

Part 1 Virtual classes

16.10.2023-20.10.2023 Online lecturers

Part 2 Onsite workshops, debates, moot court activities

Visits to the local and regional courts

23.10.2023-27.10.2023

Invited guests/speakers/experts (if any):

Renowned comparatists in the field of law, political sciences, and social sciences (*TBC*)

Application procedure**Requirements:**

- English language skills necessary to follow the lectures and work independently (B2/C1)
- Basic knowledge of EU law

The candidates will be selected based on a portofolio that will include:

- CV
- Motivation Letter

How to apply:

Each partner will organize its own application procedure, according to the internal rules of the sending university, in compliance with the requirements of the Erasmus+ mobility program.