

Terrorism and international law

Titulaire
Pierre KLEIN (Coordonnateur)

Mnémonique du cours
DROI-C685

Crédits ECTS
5 crédits

Langue(s) d'enseignement
Anglais

Période du cours
Premier quadrimestre

Campus
Solbosch

Références, bibliographie et lectures recommandées

The list of readings is included in the course outline, available on the Université virtuelle

Support(s) de cours
Université virtuelle

Autres renseignements

Lieu(x) d'enseignement
Solbosch

Contact(s)
piklein@ulb.ac.be

Contenu du cours

The course includes the following items:

- › the definition of terrorism under international law
- › treaties adopted on the universal scene to combat terrorism
- › action undertaken within the United Nations in that area
- › unilateral use of force in response to acts of terrorism
- › terrorism and human rights

Objectifs (et/ou acquis d'apprentissages spécifiques)

The course aims at enabling students to understand and analyze how - from a legal perspective - States and international organizations have faced the challenges resulting from the development of terrorist activities.

Pré-requis et co-requis

Connaissances et compétences pré-reques

This is a specialized course of public international law. Students who consider taking this course should therefore have a basic knowledge of PIL.

Méthodes d'enseignement et activités d'apprentissages

. Each class will include discussions in preparation of which questions and readings will be provided to students. Students are expected to take an active part in these discussions and to devote enough time to the preparation of materials

Méthode(s) d'évaluation

Présentation orale et Travail personnel

Méthode(s) d'évaluation (complément)

The assessment will be based on two elements. One third of the final mark will be based on participation in class discussions. The two remaining thirds will be based on the final paper that students will have to produce individually or in teams. The paper will consist in a critical commentary of a suitable object (academic article or book, judgment of a national or an international court, works of fiction –including movies—, ...) in direct relation with the topic of the course and subject to approval.

Construction de la note (en ce compris, la pondération des notes partielles)

See above

Langue(s) d'évaluation principale(s)

Anglais

Autre(s) langue(s) d'évaluation éventuelle(s)

Français

Programmes

Programmes proposant ce cours à la faculté de Droit et de Criminologie

MA-DROI | **Master en droit** | finalité Droit public et international/bloc 2, finalité Droit économique et social/bloc 2 et finalité Droit civil

et pénal/bloc 2 et MS-DINT | Master de spécialisation en droit international | bloc U

Programmes proposant ce cours à la faculté de Philosophie et Sciences sociales

MA-PINT | Master en sciences politiques, orientation relations internationales | finalité Sécurité, paix, conflits/bloc 2

