Faculty of Law

Courses taught in English, Summer Semester 2016

Course title: American criminal law & contemporary debates
Link: http://campus.uni-tuebingen.de/20161e135299
Course type: Lecture
Contact hours: 2
Course coordinator: Matthew James Farr
Target audience: ab 3. Semester
Course description
American criminal law the war on drugs; disproportionate minority contact; the death penalty; due process and Ferguson; searches and privacy; the adversarial system; and gun violence.
Additional information
http://www.jura.uni-tuebingen.de/einrichtungen/cz/listen

Course title: Constitutional Law in the United States
Link: http://campus.uni-tuebingen.de/20161e133348
Course type: Lecture
Contact hours: 2
Course coordinator: M.A. Lucas Ogden
Target audience: geeignet ab 3. Semester
Course description
In this exciting compact lecture we will complete an overview of the Constitution of the United States. The war on terror, government surveillance, weapons, and racial injustice are just some of the many crucial topics dividing the United States today. As Americans continue to deal with central questions about their own rights and about the extent of the government’s power, their constitutional foundations are as relevant today as ever. This course fulfills the requirement for a foreign language law course in Tübingen.
Additional information
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Course title: Human Rights and Transitional Justice
Link: http://campus.uni-tuebingen.de/20161e131875
Course type: Sonstiges
Contact hours:
Course coordinator: Ph. D. Elmar G. M. Weitekamp
Course description

Course title: The ‘unwritten’ British constitution
Link: http://campus.uni-tuebingen.de/20161e132435
Course type: Lecture
Contact hours: 2
Course coordinator: Fabian Düssel

Target audience
geeignet ab 3. Semester

Course description
This course aims to give a general introduction to UK public law, focusing especially on the concept of the UK’s un-codified constitution, which is a rarity in this day and age. Students will thus also be introduced to the basics of the English legal system. Due to the UK’s imperial past, English common law forms, to different degrees, the basis of various national legal systems around the world, including the Commonwealth countries and important global economic centres such as the USA, Hong Kong and Singapore. This course meets the requirements of § 9 Abs. 1 Nr. 3 JAPrO 2002 ("fremdsprachige rechtswissenschaftliche Veranstaltung"): http://www.jura.uni-tuebingen.de/studium/flv