



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI TORINO

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Visiting Professor Program Academic year 2019/2020

DEPARTMENT OF CULTURES, POLITICS AND SOCIETY

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 18 hours

COURSE TITLE

Law and Society in Asia

TEACHING PERIOD

2nd term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Comparative law

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

English

The Degree Course is entirely taught in English

COURSE SUMMARY

The course analyses current legal issues in Asia focusing on East Asia (18 hours), South Asia and/or South East Asia (18 hours). The visiting professor will deal with the South Asian and/or the South East Asian context. As for thematic focus, the course will analyse one or more of the following issues: legal protection of the environment; family law and women's rights; legal condition of indigenous people, disadvantaged classes and minorities; dispute resolution and access to justice.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

The course aims at enabling students to understand the interaction of different kinds of rules and of different actors in a specific context, to understand the impact of legal regimes on societal issues, and to be able to analyse local issues from a global perspective.

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDES THE COURSE

Willingness to hold seminars and take part in conferences addressed to PhD students and research fellows is highly appreciated but it is not a mandatory requirement.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The Visiting Professor needs to hold:

- in depth experience in the field of South Asian and/or South East Asian laws (documented by publications, participation in research projects and activities, teaching experiences);
- in depth experience in teaching courses in English at University level.

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