

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI TORINO

ID TIC10_DIP_CPS

Visiting Professor Program Academic year 2019/2020

DEPARTMENT OF CULTURES, POLITICS AND SOCIETY TEACHING COMMITMENT: 30 hours

COURSE TITLE

Law and Society in Africa

TEACHING PERIOD 1st term

SCIENTIFIC AREA Comparative Law

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

English The Degree Course is entirely taught in English

COURSE SUMMARY

The course deals with current legal issues in Africa, with a special focus on Sub-Saharan Africa. It will analyse one or more of the following issues: legal protection of the environment; gender inequality; economic and legal integration in the continent; dispute resolution and access to justice.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

The course aims at familiarizing students with the interaction of different sets of rules in a highly pluralistic legal environment, and at enabling them 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 will be 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 comparative and African law (documented by publications, participation in research projects and activities, teaching experiences)

- extensive experience in teaching university courses in English

CONTACT PERSON AT THE DEPARTMENT

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