Visiting Professor Program  
Academic year 2022/2023

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 20 hours

**COURSE TITLE**  
*Law and Society in Asia*

**TEACHING PERIOD**  
2nd term

**SCIENTIFIC AREA**  
Comparative law

**LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH**  
English

**COURSE SUMMARY**  
The course analyses current legal issues in Asia focusing on India (16 hours), South-East Asia and/or Islamic countries (20 hours). The visiting professor will teach the part related to South-East Asia and/or Islamic countries. 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.

**TUTORSHIP ACTIVITIES**  
n/a

**LAB ACTIVITIES**  
n/a
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 have:
- proved research experience on topics and areas described in the course summary (documented by publications and research activities);
- proved experience in teaching courses in English at University level on topics and areas described in the course summary.

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