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VP147 GIUSST

Visiting Professor Program Academic Year 2024/2025

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 18 hours

COURSE TITLE

Shattered Covenants: Arab Constitutional Frameworks After 2011

TEACHING PERIOD

2nd term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Islamic law; comparative constitutional law

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

English

COURSE SUMMARY

This course examines the profound transformations that swept across Arab constitutional and governance structures in the aftermath of the events of 2011. The course critically examines the promises, challenges, and complexities faced by Arab countries as they grappled with constitutional reform, revolutions, and political upheavals during this pivotal period.

From the Arab Spring movements to subsequent constitutional amendments and rewriting processes, participants will analyze the multifaceted dimensions of constitutional change within the Arab world, including the challenges inherent in reconciling cultural, religious, and political diversities within constitutional frameworks.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Through this course students will gain insights into the evolving dynamics of Arab constitutionalism. The learning objectives are focussed on the ability to analyze the constitutional structures and the

Arab countries in comparative perspective and the socio-legal settings of the movements leading to constitutional change and reforms.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The Professor must possess high academic qualifications in the field of comparative legal studies and Islamic law attested by publications in international outlets and teaching experience at the international level.

CONTACT REFERENT

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