



Ekonomihögskolan

HARN63, Magisteruppsats i europeisk och internationell handelsrätt, 15 högskolepoäng

Master Thesis in European and International Trade Law, 15 credits

Avancerad nivå / Second Cycle

Fastställande

Kursplanen är en historisk, äldre version, faställd av Institutionsstyrelsen vid Institutionen för handelsrätt 2019-11-13 och gällde från och med 2020-08-30, höstterminen 2020.

Allmänna uppgifter

The course Master Thesis in European and International Trade Law is a compulsory course for achieving a Master of European and International Trade Law.

Huvudområde

Europeisk och internationell handelsrätt

Fördjupning

A1E, Avancerad nivå, innehåller examensarbete för magisterexamen

Kursens mål

The purpose of the course is to enable the students - under the direction of a supervisor - to deepen their knowledge of a selected topic of European and/or International trade law through the composition of a thesis and participation in seminars. The course will, moreover, develop the students' aptitude in legal argumentation, the skill to conduct independent research and the ability to apply relevant legal methods to this field. A passing grade on the course will be awarded to students who:

Kunskap och förståelse

- demonstrate In-depth knowledge of the particular subject chosen for the Master and good understanding of the subject's significance within the general context of European and International trade law;
- demonstrate In-depth knowledge of the scientific and methodological foundations

of European and International trade law; and
 - demonstrate good awareness of the current state of legal research and methodology in the discourse on EU law and/or WTO law;

Färdighet och förmåga

- demonstrate an ability to critically and systematically assess and integrate knowledge from different sources of law Independently;
- demonstrate an ability to critically and creatively identify and formulate legal problems and to systematize arguments as well as analyze, compare and evaluate theoretical and practical problems within the context of European and International trade law; and
- demonstrate an ability to plan and pursue qualified tasks within a given time frame;

Värderingsförmåga och förhållningssätt

- show an objective and critical attitude to legal writing and/or policies adopted in the field of European and International trade law; and
- show a high-level, in depth understanding of the various aspects, societal and/or ethical, and/or economic, and/or legal, of the topic chosen.

Kursens innehåll

During the thesis course students carry on a research-based piece of work in the field of European and international trade law. Common instructions are given to all students admitted to the course in the form of seminars on general questions related to European and International trade law as well as methodology and practical skills, attendance of which is compulsory. A supervisor is assigned to every student. The student has a right to individual supervision during the term he or she is registered for the first time for the course.

Kursens genomförande

At the initiative of the student and after consultation with the supervisor and approval by the programme director, part of the research of the master thesis may be carried out within the framework of an internship at law firms, companies, national or international institutions or non-governmental organizations.

Kursens examination

Examination is in the form of a public thesis defence seminar where the thesis is presented and defended. Each student must be an opponent at another thesis defence seminar. The thesis defence seminar and the opposition are compulsory elements of the examination. The completed master thesis shall be submitted for publication and storage in both a printed version and in electronic form after the final examination.

Om så krävs för att en student med varaktig funktionsnedsättning ska ges ett likvärdigt examinationsalternativ jämfört med en student utan funktionsnedsättning, så kan examinator efter samråd med universitetets avdelning för pedagogiskt stöd fatta beslut om alternativ examinationsform för berörd student.

Betyg

Betygsskalan omfattar betygsgraderna Underkänt, E, D, C, B, A.

At the School of Economics and Management grades are awarded in accordance with a criterion-based grading scale A-U. Students have to receive a grade of E or higher in order to pass the course.

A (Excellent) A distinguished result that is excellent with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought.

B (Very good) A very good result with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought.

C (Good) The result is of a good standard with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought and lives up to expectations.

D (Satisfactory) The result is of a satisfactory standard with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought.

E (Sufficient) The result satisfies the minimum requirements with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought, but not more.

U (Fail) The result does not meet the minimum requirements with regard to theoretical depth, practical relevance, analytical ability and independent thought.

Plagiarism is considered to be a very serious academic offence. The University will take disciplinary actions against any kind of attempted malpractice in examinations and assessments. The penalty that may be imposed for this, and other improper practices in examinations or assessments, includes suspension from the University for a specific period of time.

Förkunskapskrav

An undergraduate degree in Law or an undergraduate degree in Economics or Business Administration (BSc, LL.B. or equivalent), including 15 ECTS credits in Law or equivalent knowledge.

A good command of English language, both spoken and written, equivalent to English 6 (advanced level) in the Swedish secondary system.

In addition, students achieving a Master in European and international trade Law must have passed the examinations of courses of the Master's Programme in European and International Trade and Tax Law (track 1) equivalent to 45 credits.