

Module Layout NOM312/TORTS LAW

Faculty	FEM	Faculty of Economics and Management	
Programme of Study	NOM	Law	
Module	NOM312	TORTS LAW	
Level of Study	Undergraduate		Graduate
	✓	Master	Doctoral
Language of Instruction	Greek		
Mode of Delivery	Distance		
Module Type	Required		Electives
	✓		
Number of Group Consulting Meetings	Total	Physical Presence	Online
	7	0	7
Number of Assignments	2		
Final Exam Calculation	Assignments	Interactive activities	Final exam
	30	10	60
Number of European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)	10		

Module Description

The purpose of this Module is to acquaint students with the concepts of tort law via referral to Cypriot law (Chapter 148) and English and Cypriot jurisprudence. Pursuant to the law, the module separates civil offences related to the person, such as assault or illegal detention of a person, from civil offences related to property, such as misappropriation and illegal interference with property. Within the context of this module, special attention will be paid to the offence of nuisance. Following that, the central axis of this module's study is negligence which will be examined through a historical, philosophical and economic approach. Finally, the module will be concluded by the study of the civil offence of defamation. Within the context of the teaching of these offences the mechanisms governing causation will also be developed, the means of defence and rules affecting the burden of proof, such as the presumptions of liability and strict liability.

Pre-requisite Modules

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Co-requisite Modules

NOM311	Criminal Law
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Grading Scheme

Assessment Method	Percentage on Final Grade	Workload	
		Hours	ECTS

Weekly study- Assignments -Group Meetings (13 weeks *~11 hours)	0 %	~125 -~150	5
Assignment 1	15 %	~50 -~60	2
Assignment 2	15 %	~50 -~60	2
Weekly Interactive Activities	10 %	~25-~30	1
Final/Repeat Examination	60 %	3	-
Total	100%	~250 -~300	10
Grading Rules and Assessment methods			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students are evaluated with 9, if they earn 90% of the possible grade, i.e. $90\% \times 10 = 9$, etc. • Passing rate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 50% of the Assignments ○ 50% of the Interactive Activities ○ Students are allowed to participate in the final exam of a Module if they have overall earned the minimum grade ($\geq 50\%$) in both their Assignments and Interactive Activities ○ 50% of the Final exam <p>If a student earns a grade with decimal points, then it is rounded to the nearest half unit.</p>			