



**RIGA  
GRADUATE  
SCHOOL OF  
LAW**

## Course Outline

<b>Course number</b>	<b>RMF 140</b>				
Course title	<b>EU Company Law</b>				
Credit points	3 ECTS				
Total hours	75				
Contact hours	24				
Independent studies	51				
Course level	Masters				
Prerequisites	None				
Category	Mandatory		Restricted elective		Free elective

### COURSE RESPONSIBLE

<i>Name</i>	<i>Academic degree</i>	<i>Academic position</i>
Alessio Bartolacelli	PhD - Associate Professor	Visiting Professor

### COURSE TEACHERS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Academic degree</i>	<i>Academic position</i>
Alessio Bartolacelli (sessions 1-7, 11)	PhD – Associate Professor	Visiting Professor
Sara Addamo (sessions 8-10, 12)	PhD – Lecturer	Visiting Lecturer

### COURSE ABSTRACT

The course aims at providing students with an in-depth knowledge of the basic features of European Company Law, with a comparative analysis, also outside the scope of the EU, of the most relevant features of the companies (e.g.: profit purpose, directors' duties).

We will analyse the freedom of establishment in the jurisprudence of the European Court of Justice and some harmonized areas of company law, with a specific focus on company's purpose and corporate governance issues.

### **GRADING CRITERIA**

<i>Criteria</i>	<i>Weighting</i>
Activity in class (case law analysis, answer to questions, contribution to the debate, commitment in the workshops...)	30%
Final essay	70%