

Annual Report on Implemented Activities September 2016 – September 2017

Ciudad Real, August 7, 2017

1. TEACHING

Teaching Nr. 1. EU Law

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/courses/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Academic year: 2016/2017.

Teaching: September-December 2016.

Hours taught by the chair holder: 45.

Evaluation: January 2017 (ordinary) and June 2017 (extraordinary).

Methodology: Lectures and seminars.

Number of enrolled students: 122.

Syllabus: 1. Nature and evolution of the EU. 2. EU Institutions and the process of decision-making. 3. EU law and the national legal orders. 4. The judicial system of the EU. 5. Fundamental rights. 6. Internal market.

Impact: The course challenges the student not only to understand, but also to critically assess the structures, methods and content of EU law. At the end of the course students have a thorough understanding of the EU integration process and EU institutions; a clear understanding of the sources, nature and application of EU law, as well as of how to enforce their rights at national and European level; and a deep knowledge of the landmark judgments of the Court of Justice of the EU. The course helps to consolidate the study of EU law within the degree in law, providing students with knowledge of EU subjects relevant for their academic and professional lives.

Teaching Nr. 2. Economic Public Law

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/courses/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Academic year: 2016/2017.

Teaching: February-May 2017.

Hours taught by the chair holder: 45.

Evaluation: June 2017 (ordinary) and July 2017 (extraordinary).

Methodology: Lectures and seminars.

Number of enrolled students: 46.

Syllabus: 1. The Economic Constitution. 2. Economic and Monetary Union. 3. Fundamental freedoms. 4. Competition Law. 5. Services of General Economic Interest. 6. EU law of the financial markets.

Impact: The course provides students with an advanced understanding of the main topics of EU economic public law, ranging from the general foundations of the EU economic constitution and the EMU, to the cross-wise (freedoms of movement and competition) and sector-based market regulation (SIEG and financial markets). In this respect, the course helps to consolidate the study of EU law within the degree in law, as well as to promote, give visibility and consolidate the study of EU integration issues in the area of economic law.

Teaching Nr. 3. Administrative Law 1

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/courses/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Academic year: 2016/2017 (2 groups).

Teaching: September-May 2017.

Hours taught by the chair holder: 25.

Evaluation: June 2017 (ordinary) and July 2017 (extraordinary).

Methodology: Lectures and seminars.

Number of enrolled students: 207.

Syllabus: 1. Introduction to Administrative Law. 2. Administrative Law and the Constitution. 3. Administrative Organization. 4. Administrative Rule-Making in EU and National Law. 5. Single-case decision-making in EU and National Law. 6. Administrative Procedure in EU and National Law.

Impact: The proposal promotes, gives visibility and consolidates the study of EU law throughout the curriculum, particularly within the area of Administrative law. This course is considered a main activity during the first year, and only with respect to the hours that have been estimated to be necessary to teach EU Administrative law (25 hours). Nevertheless, once the syllabus has been reoriented, other instructors will teach in the future Administrative Law 1 according to this new approach. Thus, its impact will be perceptible in the future.

2. RESEARCH

Research Nr. 1. Mutual Recognition in the Internal Market and Beyond

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/research-grants/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Current status: 75% (to be concluded by the end of 2017).

Description: This is a comparative research on the operation of different versions of mutual recognition in the most important policy areas in which it applies, including market freedoms in Spain and the EU, fundamental rights in EU law, European social policy, transnational administrative decisions, private EU law, and criminal law and procedure in the area of security, liberty and justice. This research is the first part of a broader research project that focuses on competition among rules which results from the

application of mutual recognition, and that is funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education (<http://blog.uclm.es/competencia/>).

Impact: This activity will promote excellence in research on European subjects, particularly fostering the engagement of young academics, and promote innovation in research because of its cross-sectoral and multi-disciplinary studies. Deliverable Nr. 1 will assure open access to its main results.

Research Nr. 2. Subsidiarity and Regional Parliaments

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/research-grants/>

Person in charge: Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo.

Current status: 50% (to be concluded in 2018).

Description: This is a research on the impact of the principle of subsidiarity on the Spanish Regional Parliaments. This research is being performed by research assistants of the University of Castilla-La Mancha, within the framework of a research project on the Early Warning System funded by the Regional Parliament of Castilla-La Mancha (<http://www.cortesclm.es/>).

Impact: The proposal will promote excellence in research on European subjects, particularly fostering the engagement of young academics. Deliverable Nr. 2 will assure open access to the main results.

3. EVENTS

Event Nr. 1. Workshop on Local governments in Europe and Latin America

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/07/01/seminario-gobiernos-locales-en-europa-e-iberoamerica/>

Person in charge: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Dates: 5 and 6 July 2017.

Direction: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Methodology: Workshop.

Number of enrolled students: 16.

Description: This is a workshop with civil servants and representatives of local governments from several Latin American countries, organized within the framework of the Postgraduate Program in Local Governments and Public Policy (<https://sites.google.com/site/gpplpostgradoi/>). It has touched upon topics related to local governments such as decentralization, local autonomy, municipal organization and budget.

Impact: The workshop has allowed civil servants and representatives of local governments to share professional experiences and compare administrative practices from Europe and Latin America, therefore fostering the dialogue between the academic world and policy-makers.

Event Nr. 2. Workshop on Local policies in Europe and Latin America

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/07/02/seminario-politicas-publicas-locales-en-europa-e-iberoamerica/>

Person in charge: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Dates: 10 and 13 July 2017.

Direction: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Methodology: Workshop.

Number of enrolled students: 16.

Description: This is a workshop with civil servants and representatives of local governments from several Latin American countries, organized within the framework of the Postgraduate Program in Local Governments and Public Policy (<https://sites.google.com/site/gpplpostgradoi/>). It has touched upon topics related to local policies such as public services' provision, waste management, anti-corruption and use of public spaces.

Impact: The workshop has allowed civil servants and representatives of local governments to share professional experiences and compare administrative practices from Europe and Latin America, therefore fostering the dialogue between the academic world and policy-makers.

Event Nr. 3. Workshop on EU Energy Law & Policy

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/05/03/politica-y-regulacion-de-la-energia-en-europa/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Dates: 6 and 7 July 2017.

Direction: Luis Arroyo Jiménez and Magín Lapuerta.

Methodology: Workshop.

Number of enrolled students: 25.

Description: This is a Workshop on Energy and Environmental EU policy addressed to University students in the areas of sciences, engineering, business and economics. It has been organized as a summer course (<http://cursosdeverano.uclm.es/catalogo/24-politica-y-regulacion-de-la-energia-en-europa/>) in coordination with the CYTEMA Campus of Excellence, a cluster focused on Energy and Environment Science and Technology funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education (<http://cytema.es>). Particular attention has been paid to the winter package recently proposed by the European Commission, as well as to its main innovations regarding electricity markets, transport technologies and renewable energies.

Impact: This event has provided students in the areas of sciences, engineering, business and economics with a general overview of the EU policies in the fields of energy and environment protection. Therefore, while complementing their technical education on those areas with a useful and updated legal and public policy perspective, the workshop has equipped students with knowledge of EU subjects relevant for their academic and professional lives.

Event Nr. 4. European Lectures Series

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2016/12/14/ciclo-de-conferencias-europa-en-tesis-5/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Dates: different dates between September and December 2016.

Methodology: Lectures series.

Number of enrolled students: n/a (open to the general public).

Description: These five lectures have focused on the multi-crisis which the EU is currently undergoing. It has included lectures on hot topics such as Brexit, the EU-Russia relations, the refugee crisis, the EU democratic legitimacy and populism.

Impact: This event has helped to disseminate the result of the chair's activities among the general public and civil society representatives, thus giving greater visibility to this European issues outside the University.

Event Nr. 5. Administrative Law Lectures Series

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/05/01/ciclo-de-conferencias-2017-derecho-administrativo-espanol-europeo-global/>

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Dates: different dates between February and May 2017.

Methodology: Lectures series.

Number of enrolled students: n/a (open to law students).

Description: These six lectures have focused on controversial issues of administrative law, with an emphasis on European and global administrative law (European administrative procedure, international arbitration, global law and human rights, etc.).

Impact: This event has helped to disseminate the result of the chair's activities among the students of the University. It promotes and consolidates the position of European and global administrative law among the students pursuing a law degree.

Event Nr. 6. Workshop on European Principles of European Public Law (Bologna)

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/03/31/seminario-universita-di-bologna-principi-e-tendenze-nel-diritto-pubblico-europeo/>

Person in charge: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Dates: April 7 2017.

Methodology: Workshop.

Number of enrolled students: n/a (open to law students of the Università degli Studi di Bologna, Italy).

Description: This workshop was organized by the Scuola di Specializzazione in Studi sull'Amministrazione Pubblica at the Università degli Studi di Bologna, with the cooperation of the Chair.

Impact: This event helped to disseminate the result of the chair's activities in another University and to consolidate preexisting academic joint projects between these two Universities.

Event Nr. 7. Workshop on Administrative Sanctions (Bologna)

Website: <http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es/2017/04/01/seminario-sanzioni-amministrative-ed-esercizio-dello-ius-puniendi-da-engel-a-grande-stevens/>

Person in charge: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Dates: April 28 2017.

Methodology: Workshop.

Number of enrolled students: n/a (open to law students of the Università degli Studi di Bologna, Italy).

Description: This workshop was organized by the Scuola di Specializzazione in Studi sull'Amministrazione Pubblica at the Università degli Studi di Bologna, with the cooperation of the Chair.

Impact: This event helped to disseminate the result of the chair's activities in another University and to consolidate preexisting academic joint projects between these two Universities.

4. DELIVERABLES

Deliverable Nr. 1. Mutual Recognition in the Internal Market and Beyond

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Current status: 75% (to be concluded by the end of 2017).

Description: Legal monography with the results of Research Nr. 1.

Impact: The book will contribute to stimulating knowledge on the operation of the mutual recognition principle and will enhance the visibility of Research Nr. 1.

Deliverable Nr. 2. Subsidiarity and Regional Parliaments

Person in charge: Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo.

Current status: 50% (to be concluded in 2018).

Description: Legal monography with the results of Research Nr. 2.

Impact: The book will contribute to stimulating knowledge on the operation of the principle of subsidiarity and will enhance the visibility of Research Nr. 2.

Deliverable Nr. 3. EU Law – Cases and Materials

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Current status: 50% (to be concluded in 2018).

Description: teaching materials for Teaching Nr. 1.

Impact: This volume will provide students with useful teaching materials covering the topics of the general course on EU Law.

Deliverable Nr. 4. Local Governments and Public Policy in EU and in Latin America

Person in charge: Miguel Beltrán de Felipe.

Current status: 50% (to be concluded in 2018).

Description: teaching materials for Events Nr. 1 & 2.

Impact: This volume will provide students with useful teaching materials covering the topics of the Postgraduate Program in Local Governments and Public Policy.

Deliverable Nr. 5. Website (<http://catedrajeanmonnet.uclm.es>)

Person in charge: Luis Arroyo Jiménez.

Current status: 100% (since September 2016).

Description: It is a general website with the information on the Chair, directly accessible by the general public, that contributes to the dissemination of the summaries, content and schedule of Chair's activities (see 5.).

5. DISSEMINATION

Website

The chair website (Deliverable Nr. 5) helps to disseminate within and outside the University the activities and outcomes of the Chair. The website grants open access to the information on the celebrated and upcoming events, including many Lectures videos, and to the research papers written by the academic staff. As they'd be concluded, it will also grant access to the teaching materials. This will help the chair to reach a wider public beyond the students of the School of Law and Social Sciences. The website is operative since September 2017.

Invited lectures

2017

Luis Arroyo Jiménez. *The Europeanization of Spanish Administrative Law*, University of Leiden Law School (The Netherlands), June 26, 2017.

Luis Arroyo Jiménez. *Constitutional Empathy and Judicial Dialogue in the European Union*. Università degli Studi di Bologna (Italy), April 7, 2017.

Luis Arroyo Jiménez. *La administración de los recursos escasos*, UIMP-Fundación Caminos, Máster Internacional en Empresas y Políticas Públicas (Spain), 28 June 2017.

Miguel Beltrán de Felipe. *Sanzioni amministrative ed esercizio dello ius puniendi: Da Engel a Grande Stevens*, Università degli Studi di Bologna (Italy), April 28, 2017.

Miguel Beltrán de Felipe. *Freedom of Expression and Hate Speech in Contemporary Societies*. Workshop *Sapere Aude: Freedom of Speech, Media, and Society*. Association of Schools of Political Studies of the Council of Europe and University of Oxford, Oxford (UK), January 26, 2017.

Isaac Martín Delgado. *La europeización del Derecho Administrativo Español*. Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, May 26, 2017.

Isaac Martín Delgado. *Brexit: cuatro preguntas... sin ninguna respuesta*, Universidad Internacional de La Rioja, Oxford (Reino Unido), July 22, 2017.

Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo. *Freedom of services and private interactions under EU law*, Università degli Studi di Bologna (Italy), April 7, 2017.

Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo. *Europeanisation of Scarce Public Rights in Spain*, University of Leiden Law School (The Netherlands), June 30, 2017.

Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo. *The administrative intervention in private situations of concurrence as a result of the freedom of services under European Union Law*, Workshop “Interactions and Basic Rights”, Shandong University Law School (China), March 18, 2017.

2016

Luis Arroyo Jiménez. *El diálogo judicial y la protección de los derechos fundamentales*. Università degli Studi “Roma Tre”, Roma (Italy), December 2, 2016.

Miguel Beltrán de Felipe. *Riflessioni critiche in tema di intervento pubblico sui mercati*, Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia (Italy), November 22, 2016.

Luis F. Maeso Seco. *Derecho del medio ambiente en la Unión Europea*. Universidad de Cuenca (Ecuador), December 12, 2016.

Isaac Martín Delgado. *El procedimiento de retirada de un Estado miembro de la Unión Europea*, Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Toledo, December 1, 2016.

Dolores Utrilla Fernández-Bermejo. *Utilidad de la aplicación del procedimiento administrativo común a la expropiación forzosa*, VIII Seminario de Teoría y Método del Derecho Público, Universidad de Zaragoza (Spain), November 25, 2016.

Conferences

Members of the academic staff have attended some of the most important annual meetings in the field, such as the Annual Reunion of the European Group of Public Law (Spetses, September 11), the Annual Conference of the Spanish Association of Administrative Law Professors (La Laguna, February 2) or the Seminar on Theory and Methodology of Administrative Law (Zaragoza, November 25).

The “Luis Ortega Álvarez” European Studies Center

The dissemination strategy also counts on the “Luis Ortega Álvarez” European Studies Center of the Castilla-La Mancha University (<https://www.uclm.es/centro/ceuropeos/>). Since the Center and the School of Law and Social Sciences are located in different cities, co-operation between the Center and the Chair generates synergies in terms of disseminating their respective activities, and reinforces the impact of the University action in the field of EU studies at a regional and national level. Thus, the Center helps the Chair Academic Staff to disseminate its activities while, in turn, the Chair provides the Center with valuable academic and technical support. A good example of the latter is the “I International Prize for European Public Law Research”: Members of the Chair academic staff have assisted the Center in order to design the Prize and to draft its regulatory basis.

6. IMPACT

Implemented activities have so far benefited different target groups, both within and outside the University of Castilla-La Mancha.

First, J.D. Students have benefited from curricula with a notable presence of EU law: 122 students have attended the general course on EU law (Teaching Nr. 1), almost 50 enrolled in the elective course on Economic Public Law (Teaching Nr. 2) and more than 200 have learned the fundamentals of EU administrative law (Teaching Nr. 3). A number of them have also attended the Administrative Law Lectures Series (Event Nr. 5). Moreover, 16 students enrolled in the two workshops organized in the framework of the the Postgraduate Program in Local Governments and Public Policy (Events Nr. 1 & 2).

Secondly, the Workshop on EU Energy Law & Policy (Event Nr. 3) has helped students from other departments, particularly Engineering, to supplement their education with a useful perspective on Energy and Environmental EU law and policy

Thirdly, the two workshops organized in the framework of the the Postgraduate Program in Local Governments and Public Policy (Events Nr. 1 & 2) made it possible for policy makers at local and regional level to share professional experiences and compare administrative practices from Europe and Latin America in the fields of regionalism, local governments and decentralization.

Fourthly, young researchers have had more opportunities to develop their academic careers, both at a national and international level, engaging in research activities (Research Nr. 1 and 2) and giving talks (Dissemination) on EU law and EU Administrative law. Particular emphasis must be made on the two workshops organized at the Bologna University with the cooperation of the Chair, since they have consolidated preexisting academic relations that are particularly important for young researchers.

Finally, the general public at local and regional level has profited from having a University more open to European issues thanks to our Website and to the European Lectures Series (Event Nr. 4).