

Information sheet – 040133 SE Economic Analysis of Competition Law

Procedure and Enforcement (MA)

1. Dates and location

For detailed information on the dates and location of the seminar refer to the course directory. The first session on 6 April 2022 will be held **online** via Moodle. You will be informed in time whether the other classes will also be held online. Please note that any in person classes will take place at the Faculty of Law (Schottenbastei 10-16, Juidicum).

2. Aims of the seminar

The seminar deals with the enforcement of competition law in a twofold manner. On the one hand, it discusses the current EU-framework, the relevant case law and pertinent policy proposals and, on the other hand, it relates this competition-law specific policy approach to the general analysis of the respective topics (torts, law enforcement, procedure).

This seminar aims at providing students with a research/literature-based analysis of advanced issues regarding the enforcement of competition law in the broad sense. The seminar also aims at increasing the students' employability in economic consulting firms, in law firms, and in other specialized units (such as competition authorities) in the area of competition law.

3. Deregistration and presence

Students who are not present in the first session without an excuse will automatically be deregistered from the seminar. Later deregistration is not possible. Students are allowed to miss one class without providing an excuse. If you are absent more often, you will fail this class.

4. Grading

Assessment will be based on a seminar paper (80 %) and class participation including a presentation (20 %). The topics for the seminar paper and the presentation will be assigned in the first session. Students can choose from a list of topics or suggest their own topics.

4.1. Presentation

Each presentation should last approximately **20 minutes**. Students are required to prepare a handout. You are also free to use visual aid such as PowerPoint presentations.

4.2. Seminar paper

Formal requirements

Length: **25,000 (+/-) characters**, including citations, excluding all indexes.

Format: DIN A4; font: Times New Roman 12 pt; 1.5 line spacing; full justification; margins left and right 2.5 cm.

Structure

Cover sheet, table of contents, list of abbreviations, main body including citations, bibliography.

Cover sheet

Names of the seminar, the lecturers and the student (including matriculation, telephone number, email address); date; title of the seminar paper.

Main body of text

Literature and case law are to be **cited** using footnotes. For guidance, please use the citation guidelines OSCOLA

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f). Use short citations in the main body of the text and long citations in the bibliography. It is important to be coherent in your citations. Try to describe sources in your own words and cite them appropriately.

Deadline for submitting the seminar paper

Please send the final version of your seminar paper (as a Word document) to melani.dumancic@univie.ac.at until **30 June 2022** at the latest.

5. Diplom-seminar-grading

If you are studying law or economics at the University of Vienna, you have the possibility to obtain a diplom-seminar-grading. This diplom-seminar paper must have at least 50,000 and no more than 62,000 characters. The diplom-seminar-grade will be based 100 % on this paper. The same paper will be used for the grading of this class (students do not have to write two papers). If you wish to obtain a diplom-seminar-grading, let Melani Dumancic know until **30 May 2022**. Further information will be provided to you then.

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