

ADVANCED CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

II Semester, Professor Diletta Tega (diletta.tega@unimib.it)

24 hours - Cfu: 3

The main purpose of the course is to introduce students to some of the main topics of Constitutional Law. The course's aim is to discuss the answers of Constitutional Law to the new and hard questions that arise from society (i.e. right to self determination, the so called right to die, meaning of human dignity, LGBT families). The course will give students an opportunity to explore the current constitutional questions to the Constitutional Court and to understand how the CC uses the decisions taken by the ECtHR.

Relevant materials—set out in a detailed Course Outline—will be available at the beginning of the class and posted on the website.

This class is taught in a seminar-style format combining lecturing with class discussion. Students are awarded for class participation and for a written presentation at the end of the course semester.

Diletta Tega is a researcher of Constitutional Law at the University of Milan - Bicocca, School of Law. Emile Noel Fellow 2010/2011 at the Jean Monnet Center for International and Regional Economic Law & Justice, NYU Law School.

She obtained a PhD in Constitutional Law from the University of Bologna, School of Law and the University of Paris X Nanterre in 2003. She has been Junior expert for the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA).

Her research interests fall broadly in the field of Freedom of Religion and Principle of Secularism; relationship between ECHR and the Italian legal system; ECtHR jurisprudence and the multilevel protection of human rights; equal opportunities; sources of law; the so called new constitutional rights; bioethical questions and the constitutional legal system.