

Joint Master in Parliamentary procedures and legislative drafting (EUPADRA)**Comparative Legislative Studies**

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Timetable: TBC

The aim of the Course is to introduce students to the theoretical constitutional framework in which legislative drafting takes place at the national and international levels taking into account political doctrines and approaches. The course will involve 10 weeks of teaching in 2-hour weekly lectures and seminars. The course will be examined by two 3,500 word essays (maximum length) at set dates.

Class 1 – 28 April	Constitutions and the Legal Framework
Class 2 – 3 May	The Policy Process
Class 3 – 12 May	Drafting and the Policy Process – Drafting and the Legislative Process
Class 4 – 19 May	Federal, Unitary and Local Government
Class 5 – 22 May	Drafting and Public Administration
Class 6 – 5 June	Drafting, Elections, Electoral Systems and Voters
Class 7 – 12 June	Drafting as a form of Political Communication
Class 8 – 19 June	Dealing with Regulation: the British Approach
Class 9 – 26 June	Prioritizing Legislation
Class 10 – 7 July	Ethics and Legislative Drafting