

COMPARATIVE LAW AND GREAT LEGAL SYSTEMS

Lecturer

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Prerequisites

Understanding the fundamental civil law institutes.

Content (Syllabus outline)

Differences between legal systems. The notion of comparative law. Knowledge of foreign law and comparative law. History of comparative law. The relationship between comparative law and other fields of law. Methodology and tasks of comparative law Division in great legal families. Romanic-Germanic legal family. English law. The law of the USA. Chinese law. Japanese law. Islamic law. Other religious and traditional legal systems The importance of comparative analysis. Selected topic from English and US contract law.

Textbooks

P. de Cruz, *Comparative Law in a Changing World*, 3rd ed. Routledge Cavendish, London & New York 2007