

**EU LAW AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY**  
**ADDITIONAL COURSE**  
**AT**  
**MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION**

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**Time:** 17:00-18:45

**Literature:** Reader

### **Course Description**

The Syrian Civil War, the North Korean nuclear crisis, the war against the Islamic State, the conflict in Ukraine, frequent cyber threats and the refugee crisis are just a few of the security threats that affect Europe. A natural question arises as to what role EU law should have in international security matters.

This introductory course “EU Law and International Security” starts from the assumption that these two fields cannot be adequately understood in isolation. The central goal is to equip students with a wide range of analytical tools that will enable them to see foreign policy in a holistic way: to put forward arguments like EU lawyers while developing the ability to view the bigger picture of international security and to critically and strategically reason like EU policymakers. This class will revolve around contemporary events in international security in order to gain a richer understanding of the power relations and political interests involved in the development, implementation and enforcement of EU law and processes.

To that end, the course is structured into three parts. The first part of the course focuses on broader theoretical and practical understanding of European and international security. The second part goes on to outline EU security law. Finally, the third part applies EU security law in concrete international security situations. In particular, we will discuss the role of EU law within the context of terrorism and cyber threats in Europe while engaging in the simulation on the real international security case.

There is no final exam for this course but regular attendance and active participation during the classes and workshops will be taken into consideration for achieving the **certificate**.

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### **Working Schedule**

Day	Term/Room	Topic	Classes No.
<p><b>10.04.2018.</b> <b>Tuesday</b></p>	<p><b>328</b></p>	<p>Introduction: 1. EU as a security actor. 2. Global Strategy for the European Union's Foreign and Security Policy (2016).</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
<p><b>11.04.2018.</b> <b>Wednesday</b></p>	<p><b>333</b></p>	<p>Thinking strategically and analytically about international security: 1. Overview of international relations theories. 2. Why are there wars?</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
<p><b>12.04.2018.</b> <b>Thursday</b></p>	<p><b>333</b></p>	<p>1. New International Security Threats and EU Law: cyber security  2. Common Security and Defense Policy. Case study: terrorist attacks in Paris in 2015</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>