



**FACULTY OF LAW**  
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**THEORETICAL LEGAL SCIENCES – LAW AND LEGAL THEORY  
IN EUROPEAN CONTEXT**

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- Human rights between law and politics
- Populism and the rule of law

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- Comparative Assessment of Internet Voting
- Relationship between Head of State and Government in Parliamentary Regimes
- Fiscal Constitutions
- Constitutional Adjudication of Socio-Economic Rights

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- Responsibility to Protect – What Prospects for the Concept Now?
- Status of Foreign Terrorist Fighters in International Law
- Protection of Human Rights of Older Persons in International Law

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\*Areas of interest for potential supervision are defined by approach – critical and analytical, not just descriptive – rather than by a specific topic. The concrete topic chosen may lie in the following areas of law:

- Comparative law and comparative method
- Sociology of law
- Theories of legal interpretation, adjudication, judicial function
- EU law, in particular European public law, AFSJ, European institutions and procedures; rule of law and backsliding in the EU.

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- Protection of the biodiversity from the legal point of view
- Environmental crimes
- Legal regulation of the forest protection
- International trade with endangered species of fauna and flora

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- An empirical analysis of the suspended sentence and its deterrent effect
- Enforcement of small debts around Europe: A comparative and empirical analysis

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- Limited Liability Company in Central and Eastern Europe – recent tendencies
- Arbitrability of Company Law Disputes

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- Institution of legal entity and its concepts in European codes of private law
- Best interest of the child – case law of the European Court of Human Rights and its influence on national law
- Ridesharing or taxi – comparison of legal approaches in European countries

**Professor Richard Grimes ([grimesri@prf.cuni.cz](mailto:grimesri@prf.cuni.cz))**

- To what extent are the models used in experiential learning in law adequately developed in terms of educational theory and compliance with professional regulatory requirements?
- Public legal education may be a desirable objective but how do we know that it has sufficient impact to warrant investment in?
- How do you become and remain a reflective practitioner as a legal academic or practitioner?

**doc. IUDr. Bc. Tomáš Gřivna, Ph.D. ([grivna@prf.cuni.cz](mailto:grivna@prf.cuni.cz))**

- Criminal responsibility of artificial intelligence

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- Erosion of State Sovereignty in the context of International Migration Law

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- Directors' Duties and Liability in the Context of Insolvency
- Employee Representatives in the Boards of EU Companies
- Participation of Women in the Boards of EU Companies

**IUDr. Miluše Kindlová, M.Jur., Ph.D. ([kindlova@prf.cuni.cz](mailto:kindlova@prf.cuni.cz))**

- Freedom of conscience in Constitutional and International Law
- Recent trends in Citizenship Law

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- New forms of mobility and working patterns and their impact on free movement of workers within EU
- Surrogacy - a question for antidiscrimination law

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- European Citizens Initiative
- Interaction between EU Directives and EU Regulations

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- The Rise of Illiberal Democracy in Eastern Europe
- Precedent in Civil Law
- Constitutional Courts in Central Eastern Europe

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- Benchmark of the average consumer as an instrument of the application of law
- Interests of the company (regarding the concept of Corporate Social Responsibility)
- Compensation of non-pecuniary harm in the business law

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- Reciprocity in private international law
- Public order reservation in private international law
- Companies in private international law

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- International jurisdiction in matters of succession

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- Legal regulation of protection and utilisation of fresh waters
- Legal aspects of waste management and circular economy

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- The concept of human dignity in international and European human rights law
- The international protection of traditional and new minorities
- Affirmative action and European anti-discrimination law

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- Medical Law (possibly in the context of International Human Rights)

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- Succession of States and international responsibility
- International crimes as possible exceptions to the immunity of State officials
- Effects of peremptory norms (jus cogens) beyond the law of treaties

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- Role of Clinical Legal Education in Legal Education
- Is there any proof that clinical legal education works?
- Professional Legal Ethics

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- The human rights dimension of the climate change
- Conservation of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction