

Subject name	(Legal) databases and information retrieval in practice
Subject coordinator	dr. Aczél-Partos Adrienn
Responsible department	Legal Informatics Education Group
Category of the subject	Written assignment
Position of the subject in the curriculum	3.
Required preliminary studies	Legal informatics
Language of the subject	Hungarian
Brief subject description:	<p>The aim of the course is to deepen students' knowledge of legal informatics through a practice-oriented approach. Particular attention will be paid to existing legal databases, but these will be supplemented by other subscribed and freely accessible social science databases. Also the aim of the course is to deepen students' knowledge of searching legal databases and to introduce them to the use of other databases, including those in foreign languages.</p> <p>In addition, during the semester, students will learn about the possibilities of artificial intelligence used in searches.</p>
Theoretical knowledge to be acquired:	<p>The theoretical background of the course is provided by descriptions of the contents of various databases, as well as bibliography, referencing, source criticism, source selection, and the preparation of a list of references. Basic knowledge of higher education repositories, MTMT, and scientometrics will also be covered during the semester.</p>
Practical knowledge to be acquired:	<p>1: Introduction and start of semester Introductory session: introductions, discussion of the semester, overview of concepts, discussion of the details of the practical assignment to be completed during the semester.</p> <p>2. General characteristics of databases Searching databases, general questions. Source research, what does a bibliography consist of? General characteristics of legal and other databases; Types of sources. Scientific content. Legal libraries in Hungary: Catalogues: OGYK, PPKE JÁK; Effective searching in catalogues.</p> <p>3. Legal databases 1. Options in Új Jogtár database. Simple search, advanced search, subject search, added value, other content, modules, AI in Új Jogtár.</p> <p>4. Legal databases 2. Options in the Jogkódex database.. Search options in the installed and web versions. Which mode is suitable for what and how. AI in the Jogkódex.</p> <p>5. Databases available by subscription ADT, SZAKTÁRS, MERSZ – accessing databases, solving practical tasks.</p> <p>6. Freely available databases Hungaricana, MEK, Magyar Jogi Portál, IJOTEN – solving practical tasks.</p> <p>7. Higher education repositories PPKE, ELTE, DE, SZE; Search engines, aggregators. Scientific journals; MTMT</p> <p>8. Documents of the European Union and the United Nations</p>

	<p>The EUR-Lex database, the UN Digital Library and UN ILibrary, OECD documents. Searching for information in databases; practical tasks.</p> <p>9. Foreign language databases available by subscription 1. Heinonline, Academic Search Ultimate, Oxford – practical tasks, AI in the searching</p> <p>10. Foreign language databases available by subscription 2. DeGruyter, Brill, Cambridge, Sage, Springer Journals, Taylor&Francis – practical tasks</p> <p>11. Joint review and discussion of course assignments.</p> <p>12. Visit the Library of the Hungarian Parliament</p>
<p>List of the most important required literature (2–4 pieces) bibliographical details with</p>	<p>Gyurgyák János: a tudományos írás alapjai. Útmutató szemináriumi és tudományos diákköri értekezést, szakdolgozatot és disszertációt íróknak. Budapest: Osiris, 2019. ISBN 9789632763491</p> <p>Vági Renátó: Szemantikai keresés és predictive coding a jogi munkában. Mit hoz a jövő a jogi adatbázisok és a jogi keresők szempontjából? In: Jogi technológiák, digitális jogalkalmazás. Budapest: Ludovika Egyetemi Kiadó, 2022. 141–156. ISBN 9789635318193</p>
<p>List of the most important recommended literature (2–4 pieces) with bibliographical details</p>	<p>Omar Hatamleh - Tilesch György: Mesterség és intelligencia - Vegyük kezünkbe sorsunkat az MI korában. Budapest, Libri, 2021. ISBN 9789634338291</p> <p>Zódi Zsolt: Jogi adatbázisok és jogi forráskutatás. Gépek a jogban. Budapest: Gondolat, 2012. ISBN 9789636934637</p>
<p>Applied teaching methods:</p>	<p>During the semester, individual or pair work will also take place in several practical classes. On each occasion, knowledge will be transferred primarily through presentations, online database demonstrations, and joint task solving.</p> <p>At the end of the semester, students will be required to compile a bibliography on a topic of their choice using the databases they have learned about.</p>
<p>Form of evaluation</p>	<p>Written assignment (in three-grade system)</p> <p>The assessment requires attendance at more than half of the classes and completion of the practical assignment.</p>
<p>Evaluation criteria:</p>	<p>Students must attend more than half of the classes during the semester. Any more than this number of unexcused absences will result in refusal of signature.</p> <p>Students will individually present the topics they have studied in depth and the relevant literature they have found in the databases and catalogues they have studied. When compiling the bibliography, students must take into account the editorial principles of the faculty's <i>Iustum Aequum Salutare</i> journal.</p>
<p>Contribution of the subject to the acquisition of competence elements as defined in the Training and Outcome Requirements.</p>	<p>a) knowledge: T8, T9, T12, T17, T18 b) skills: K3, K5, K6, K10, K12, K14, K16, K27, K31, K32 c) attitude: A1, A2, A6, A7, A13, A18 d) autonomy and responsibility: F3, F4, F8</p>
<p>Lecturer(s) involved in the teaching of the subject:</p>	<p>Kardos Helga</p>