**JOPE425NA0 EUROPEAN JUDICIAL COOPERATION IN CIVIL MATTERS – 6 ECTS**

optional courseThe optional course requires preliminary knowledge of civil procedure law. The class deals with the elements of European judicial cooperation and gives the students a ground in the fundamental questions of harmonisation and unification of civil procedure law.

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GermanTopics:1. Introduction. Basic elements of civil procedure law in Europe / Comparative civil procedure law.2. Civil procedure law in Europe at the new millennium: challenge and the answers. Unit  or multiplicity? Tendencies of unification of civil procedure law. 3. Proposal of the so-called Storme-Commission for a "European Code of Civil Procedure".4. Brussels Convention on jurisdiction and the enforcement of judgements in civil- and commercial matters (27. 9 1968). Lugano Convention (16. 9. 1988). 5. Revision of Brussels Convention. Change of model in European civil procedure law. Council Regulation (EC) No. 44/2001 of 22 December 2000 on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgements in civil and commercial matters ("Brussel I Regulation") - Scope - Jurisdiction. General Ground of Jurisdiction. 6. Brussel I Regulation - Special, exclusive and protective jurisdiction. Prorogation of jurisdiction.7. Brussel I Regulation - Recognition and enforcement of judgements. European Enforcement Order [Council Regulation (EC) No. 805/2004]8. Council Regulation (EC) No. 1347/2000 o 29 May 2000 on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgements in matrimonial  matters and in the matter of parental responsibility for children of both spouses and the Regulation (EC) No. 2201/2003.9. Council Regulation (EC) No. 1348/2000 of 29 May 2000 on the service in the Member States of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters. Council Regulation (EC) No. 1206/2001 of 28 May 2001 on cooperation between the courts of the Member States in the taking of evidence in civil or commercial matters.10.  European Court of Justice case-law11. Civil procedure law without frontiers. Harmonization and unification of civil procedure law.Literature:KROPHOLLER, JAN: Europäisches Zivilprozessrecht. Heidelberg 2005.GEIMER-SCHÜTZE: Europäisches Zivilverfahrensrecht. München, 2004.RAUSCHER, THOMAS: Europäisches Zivilprozessrecht.

München, 2004.SCHLOSSER, PETER: EU- Zivilprozessrecht. München, 2003.

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