

# [A-3] COURSE SYLLABUS

## 1. COURSE DESCRIPTION (Approximately 100 words)

The course provides a general framework, within which investment disputes are resolved. Particular attention is paid to settlement of disputes through arbitration. The course looks at different elements such as nationality of investors, definition of investment, parallel proceedings, and others that constitute the elements that are closely related to arbitration proceedings. International legal instruments as well as awards rendered by arbitral tribunals form the bases of international investment arbitration.

## 2. COURSE GOALS AND OBJECTIVES (Approximately 100 words)

### Learning outcomes

On successful completion of this module the students will be able to:

- Demonstrate a good understanding of the terms and legal concepts related to investments
- Demonstrate an understanding of the main elements associated with investment arbitration
- Demonstrate a contextual knowledge of the settlement of investment disputes
- Demonstrate skills in interpreting and selecting relevant information
- Demonstrate an ability to do research using primary and secondary sources

## 3. TEXTBOOK (Title, Author, Publisher, Year of Publication, etc.)

Latest editions of:

McLachlan, C., Shore, L., and Weiniger, M. International Investment Arbitration, Oxford University Press and others.

## 4. REFERENCE

International Investment Arbitration and others

## 5. COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND GRADES

The assessment is designed to evaluate the students across the breadth of the module and to ensure that learning outcomes have been achieved. The assessment is composed of two components: oral exam and quiz

## 6. COURSE CALENDAR

Week	Main Content
1	Introduction to International Investment Arbitration
2	The basic features of investment treaties
3	Dispute resolution provisions
4	Parallel proceedings. Part 1
5	Parallel proceedings. Part 2
6	Nationality
7	Investment
8	Treatment of investors
9	Expropriation
10	Compensation
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