

SYLLABUS DE COURS

Intitulé du cours : GLOBALIZATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS			
Nom de l'enseignant : SCOFFONI		Prénom de l'enseignant : Guy	
Périodicité :	Annuel <input type="checkbox"/>	Semestriel (1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Semestriel (2) <input type="checkbox"/>
Niveau d'enseignement concerné :			
	1 ^{ère} année <input type="checkbox"/>	2 ^{ème} année <input type="checkbox"/>	4 ^{ème} année Master 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	5 ^{ème} année Master 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Cours spécifique étudiants internationaux <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Conférence de Méthode <input type="checkbox"/>	Cours Magistral <input type="checkbox"/> +	

Objectifs pédagogiques du cours :

The course aims to introduce the students in the field of Human Rights politics with an international perspective.

The importance of Human Rights in a globalized world will be analysed through a multi-disciplinary approach, combining political and legal arguments as well as economic or sociological elements.

Contenu / descriptif du cours :

The introduction of the course will focus on various definitions of the concept of globalization and on the role of Human Rights in International Relations.

The following topics will be considered:

I - The challenges of universalism and relativism of rights: the contextualization of rights, frontal attacks, pros and cons of universalism.

II - Human Rights in International Relations: the role of Human Rights as soft law, the strategic use of Human Rights, their impact on State sovereignty.

III – The determination of Human Rights standards: the theoretical and philosophical approaches, The evolution of a catalog of rights from a political definition to a legal definition.

IV – The implementation of Human Rights protection: the role of courts, the various systems of global or regional protection.

V – The role of new global actors: Non-governmental organizations, transnational corporations, media...

VI – The interaction between trade and Human Rights: Economic and Global strategies.

Indications bibliographiques :

M.R. Ishay, “ The History of Human Rights: From Ancient times to the Globalization Era”, University of California Press, 2008

F.P. Forsythe “ Encyclopedia of Human Rights”, New York, Oxford University Press, 2009

M.Freeman: “Human Rights: An interdisciplinary approach”, Cambridge Polity Press, 2012

G.M. Steinberg, A.Herzberg, J.Berman: Best practices for Human Rights and Humanitarian NGO Fact Finding, Martins Nijhoff Publishers, 2012