

Business Law: New Developments in Theory and Practice

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Institute of Advanced Legal Studies
17 Russell Square, WC1B 5DR London

The summer course 2024 organized by the GOP International Academy for Italian lawyers and English solicitors, PhD students, LL.M. students, trainees and postgraduate diplomas shall be on:

Business Law: New Developments in Theory and Practice

The course shall consist of five lectures on each day of the week, from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm, and from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

The members of the organizing committee are Francesco Gianni, GianBattista Origoni, Guido Alpa, Nello Pasquini, Andrea Biondi, Emanuele Bosia, Raimondo Premonte and Marco Zaccagnini.

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The course shall be hosted by the GOP International Academy at the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, 17 Russell Square, WC1B 5DR, London, United Kingdom.

The main topics of the course shall be (subject to further amendments):

- *Future of commercial law*
- *Main characteristics of English contract law that differentiate it from Italian law/other civil law systems*
- *Good faith in English Contracts and the Italian system*
- *Enforcement of Italian judgements in UK and English judgements in Italy*
- *Principles of European Contract Law in Commercial Law*
- *Foreign direct investments in UK, US Listing for Italian companies and Sanctions (US and UK&International law firms' speakers)*
- *General Counsels' day (dedicated day with General Counsels of the most important Italian and English listed companies)*
- *Making commercial law through practice*
- *How is AI reshaping the legal profession*

The number of candidates admitted to the course shall be limited to one hundred. The candidates who will be applying for the first time to the course and/or a GOP International Academy event shall be requested to provide a brief *curriculum vitae* upon submission of the application form.

The registration fee for the entire course 2024 is GBP 900 plus VAT*, payment shall be carried out only upon receipt by the candidate by e-mail of a formal acceptance of the application by the organizing committee of the GOP International Academy. Such formal acceptance shall also provide relevant bank account's details. Travel and hotel expenses are not included in the registration fee, and shall be borne by each candidate, who will be provided with a list of partner hotels with special discounted daily rates.

The attendance to the course 2024 shall award **20 (twenty) crediti formativi** granted to the candidate by the *Scuola Superiore dell'Avvocatura*. Lectures will be in English language. It is assumed that each candidate will be able to attend and understand the lectures, as no specific English language certificates will be requested.

Late afternoon guided visits to the most iconic places for the legal profession, such as the Royal Courts of Justice, the Law Society of England and Wales, a barristers' chamber with cocktail reception, Gray's Inn and an evensong in Temple Church, and a social event are also included in the registration fee.

THE DEADLINE FOR THE REGISTRATION TO THE COURSE IS 2 JULY 2024. Registration will be carried out by the candidate by sending an email stating the candidate's interest in the attendance to the course together with a brief curriculum vitae, and indication of the relevant local bar association (*foro di appartenenza*) to the following e-mail address:

registration.GOPinternationalacademy@gop.it

For any further information please contact:

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