

# Legal literacy

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### Course description

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The lecturer of the course has gathered her experience and knowledge to teach students how to solve legal problems without consulting a lawyer. Students will learn key concepts of Russian law, master the main areas of regulation (contract law, corporate law, labor law), and learn where to look for information about law and when to seek help from a lawyer.

### Course requirements, grading, and attendance policies

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The course requires no special prerequisites other than those students already know from their high school courses. Regular class attendance is not a strict obligation of the student, but the student is responsible for class work, including midterm tests, which will be announced separately. Students are graded on the basis of intermediate tests (60%), and a final exam (40%).

### Course contents

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1. Introduction to Russian law
2. Contracts
3. Labor law
4. Tax regulation
5. Business and corporate law
6. Intellectual property
7. Courts and justice

### Description of course methodology

Classes are held in the form of short lectures, discussion on the selected topics and class work on real documents. The final exam is held as a written answers to specific legal questions. The exam is held in an closed-book format.

### Course materials

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#### Required textbooks and materials

1. Роман Янковский. Правовое регулирование бизнеса: материалы для самостоятельной работы. МАФ, 2023

#### Additional materials

2. Роман Янковский. Закон стартапа. М., Стартап, 2017. Available at: <http://законстартапа.рф>
3. Дмитрий Гриц. Адвокат бизнеса. М., Альпина, 2019.
4. Юрий Крысанов: Как защитить свои права? Ликбез по общению с полицией и ГИБДД. М., Эксмо, 2017.

5. Артём Русакович. Правоведение для всех: понятно и доступно о государстве, законах, судах и полиции. М., URSS, 2017.

6. Анатолий Тилле. Занимательная юриспруденция. М., Галарт, 2000.

7. Archie Zariski. Legal Literacy - An Introduction to Legal Studies. Athabasca University Press, 2014.

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