

Course Unit	Civil Procedure III	Field of study	Law
Bachelor in	Law for Solicitors	School	School of Public Management, Communication and Tourism
Academic Year	2025/2026	Year of study	3
Type	Semestral	Semester	1
Level	1-3	ECTS credits	6.0
Code	9242-317-3105-00-25		
Workload (hours)	162	Contact hours	T - , TP 60, PL - , TC - , S - , E - , OT 20, O -

T - Lectures; TP - Lectures and problem-solving; PL - Problem-solving, project or laboratory; TC - Fieldwork; S - Seminar; E - Placement; OT - Tutorial; O - Other

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Learning outcomes and competences

At the end of the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:

1. List the solicitor's competencies in exercising the judicial mandate and appointment.
2. Acquire Knowledge on the procedure and the law: Restraining Order, Inventory, Labor Procedural.
3. Know the forms of Alternative Dispute Resolution.
4. Apply the rules of court procedural.

Prerequisites

Before the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:
Not applicable.

Course contents

Legal Regime for the acts of Lawyers and Solicitors. Law on access to the law and the Courts. Means of alternative dispute resolution. Process Inventory. Procedure for injunction and simplified procedures Introduction to Legal Costs. Labor law Procedure.

Course contents (extended version)

1. Legal Regime for the acts of Lawyers and Solicitors
 - Mandate court - Law Nº 10/2024 - A brief reference to the EOA and the EOSAE.
2. Law on access to the law and the courts - Law 34/2004 of 29 July.
3. Alternative Dispute Resolution.
4. New legal regime for the inventory process.
 - Judicial inventory regime.
 - Notary inventory regime.
 - Phases of the inventory process.
5. Injunction Procedure:
 - Scope - business transactions.
6. Legal Regime of court procedural:
 - Concepts and applicable law.
7. Labor Procedure:
 - Introduction Characteristics Specifics.

Recommended reading

1. Cardoso, A. L. (2018). Partilhas litigiosas. Volume I. Coimbra: Almedina. ISBN: 978-972-40-7198-5.
2. Gouveia, M. F. (2018) Curso de resolução alternativa de litígios (3ª edição). Coimbra: Almedina. ISBN: 978-972-40-5570-1.
3. Sousa, M. T. et al. (2020) O novo regime do processo de inventário e outras alterações na legislação processual civil. Coimbra: Almedina. ISBN: 978-972-40-8550-0.
4. Valles, E. (2018) Cobrança judicial de dívida, injunções e respectivas execuções (8ª edição). Coimbra: Almedina. ISBN: 978-972-40-7460-3.
5. Costa, S. da (2024) As custas processuais - análise e comentário (10ª edição). Coimbra: Almedina. ISBN: 978-989-40-2072-1.

Teaching and learning methods

Resolution of case studies and study processes. Expository and active methods.

Assessment methods

1. Continuous evaluation. - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final)
 - Intermediate Written Test - 50%
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2. Final evaluation - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final)
 - Final Written Exam - 100% (It is only intended for those who did not opt for the continuous assessment.)
3. Final evaluation - (Regular, Student Worker) (Supplementary, Special)
 - Final Written Exam - 100%
4. Exchange students. - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final, Supplementary, Special)
 - Practical Work - 100% (Individual written work, reasoned on topic versed in the course.)

Language of instruction

Portuguese, with additional English support for foreign students.

Electronic validation

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03-10-2025	06-10-2025	08-10-2025	11-10-2025