

COURSE : BUSINESS AND CORPORATE LAW
LEVEL : LEVEL II
SUBJECT : COURSE STRUCTURE
COURSE CODE : CITA 201

COURSE OBJECTIVE:

To help students understand that aspect of the law which impact on business operations. The module identifies the essential elements of different legal systems relating to state institutions and international businesses.

MODULE SYNOPSIS:

Topical areas are summarised as below:

Contracts, the law of corporations and other business organisations, security law, intellectual property, Antitrust, Secured Transactions, Commercial Paper, Income Tax, Pensions & Benefits, Trust & Estates, Immigration Law, Labour Law, Employment Law and Bankruptcy. The module examines that aspect of the law which impact the operations of businesses. The syllabus has been designed into sections, each section boards on corporate legal issues. Transactions involving international businesses are among the major highlights including general company laws particularly, the operations, financing and ethics.

MODULE DETAILS

1. Introduction to the U.N convention on contracts for the international sale of goods and ICC incoterms
2. Obligations of the seller and buyer, and law provisions common to both.
3. Agency law and partnerships
4. Corporations and legal personality
5. The formation and constitution of companies

6. Share Capital and loan capital
7. Capital maintenance and dividend law
8. Company directors and other company officers
9. Company meetings and resolutions
10. Insolvency administration

SECTION I

1.1	Agency law, Arbitration & Bankruptcy
1.2	Commercial crimes, Competition crimes and Competition Law.
1.3	Consumer protection law, Contract law and Financial regulations
1.4	Fisheries law, Industrial law and Insolvency
1.5	Joint ventures and Negotiable instrument law
1.6	Corporate taxation
1.7	Advertising regulation, Arbitration award and Arbitration clause.
1.10	Fraud deterrence and Fraudulent trading

SECTION II

2.1	Board of directors' regulations
2.2	Banker's lien
2.3	Business courts
2.4	Types of businesses
2.5	Business license and Patent
2.6	Business ownership within
2.8	Business valuation



SECTION III

3.1	Companies Act 2014
3.2	Consignment agreement and Consularization
3.3	Consumer privacy and Contracts
3.4	Copyright transfer agreement
3.5	Corporations



SECTION V

4.1	Economic torts
4.2	Enhanced use of lease, Equity redemption and European Patent Convention
4.3	Extraordinary resolution, Law of agency, and Agency in English law
4.4	Legal tender, Lessor (leasing), license and lien
4.5	Limited liability, Partnerships and Sole proprietors
4.6	Operation lease and Finance Lease
4.7	Ordinary resolution



SECTION VI

5.1	Shareholders agreement and Single business enterprise.
5.2	Software patents under sole proprietorship
5.3	Tax lien, Tax patent and Transactional Law.
5.4	Undervalue Transaction, Unfair business practices and Commercial Law.