

Title and Code of Course: **Comparative criminal procedure law ERP 6156**

Venue and Time of Course: tbd.

Instructor's Name: **Dr. Szilvia Dobrocsi**

Credit Point Value: 6	Number of Lessons per Week: 2	Type of Course: Seminar	Method of Evaluation: Presence at least half of the classes and preparation of home essay.
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Course Description:

Aim of the course: the introduction of certain rules of criminal procedure law from various aspects. By analysing Hungarian, several European and American criminal procedure codes and systems their similarities and differences will become apparent. Beyond the knowledge of the teacher the course requires the preparedness and activity of students. The language of the course is English.

Main topics

1. Definition of comparative law and criminal procedure law.
2. Historical systems of criminal procedure.
3. The main institutions of Hungarian criminal procedure law. The same institutions and their regulation in various European countries (France, Germany, Italy, Spain, etc.). For example:
 - The system of courts
 - Investigative judge
 - System of special procedures
 - System of appeals
 - Juveniles
 - Specialities of trial and evidences
4. The peculiarities of the American criminal procedure.
5. Movie to analyse the jury system.