

2.00 credits

15.0 h

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This biannual learning is being organized in 2026-2027

Teacher(s)	Christians Louis-Léon ;
Language :	French
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Learning outcomes	
Evaluation methods	In-class written exam in essay format, without external documentation. A list of questions is provided at the end of the course. The exam consists of a theoretical question and a practical case study. The same arrangements apply to the September session.
Teaching methods	The teaching is based on a portfolio of readings. Hybrid modalities for online teaching are possible. The course is grouped on two Saturdays in February.
Content	An introductory course in canon law from a theological perspective, challenged by a pragmatic ecclesiology. A theology of canon law based on a commentary on De omnium christifidelium obligationibus et iuribus (Codex 1983). This course will be the occasion for brief introductory excursuses : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The importance of history for canon law</li> <li>• Major conceptual elements: the main areas of contemporary canon law</li> <li>• The Code of Canon Law 1983: conception and structure</li> <li>• Theologies of canon law: between law, pastoral care and theology</li> <li>• (Fundamental) Rights of faithful</li> </ul>
Inline resources	See the moodle website of the course
Bibliography	1. Un portefeuille d'articles constitue le support principal : cfr le moodle du cours. 2. Un manuel de référence : L. GEROSA, Le droit de l'Église. Manuel de théologie catholique, Luxembourg, Saint-Paul, Paris, Le Cerf, 1998 3. Les étudiants devront disposer d'une version papier ou électronique du code de droit canonique
Faculty or entity in charge	TEBI

<b>Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)</b>				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes
Bachelor in religious studies	RELI1BA	2		