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**EU Law and Institutions**

1. **Competences of the EU:** Arts. 2-6 [TFEU](http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A12012E%2FTXT), principles governing the division and the exercise of the competences: Arts. 4-5 [TEU](http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A12012M%2FTXT)

Handbook: Chapter 3

1. **The Court of Justice**: goals (Art. 19 [TEU](http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A12012M%2FTXT)), institutional arrangements (Art. 251-257 [TFEU](http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A12012E%2FTXT)) and the reform of the Court of Justice

Handbook: Chapter 2

1. **Vertical/horizontal direct effect**: Case 152/84, [M. H. Marshall v. Southampton](http://old.eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=CELEX:61984CJ0152:EN:PDF),

Paola Faccini Dori v Recreb Srl C‑91/92

Handbook: Chapter 7 (5)

1. **The EU Charter of Fundamental Rights application** - Åklagaren v Hans Åkerberg Fransson (C-617/10); Stauder v City of Ulm - Sozialamt (C- 29-69)

Handbook: Chapter 11 (8)

1. **EU Citizenship**: C-34/09 Zambrano, C-434/09 McCarthy, C-256/11 Dereci

Handbook: Chapter 23

1. **Area of Freedom Security & Justice** - Melloni Case C-399/11

Handbook: Chapter 25

1. **EU international relations law** - C 402/05 Kadi & C 415/05 Al Barakaat

Handbook: Chapter 10

**Treaties:** Consolidated versions of the Treaty on European Union and the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union

**Available at:** http://eur-lex.europa.eu/en/treaties/index.htm

**Handbook, available in the library:** Paul P. Craig, Gráinne De Búrca, EU Law: Text, Cases, and Materials, Oxford University Press, 2011

**Non-attendance: 1 allowed**

**Graded assignment:**

1. Final test – to answer 3 open questions (60 minutes)
2. Active participation, discussion etc.
3. Homework - your own essay (2-4 page-long) + presentation during the classes – deadline the 6th of Nov.

Essay Topics:

1. Loyal cooperation principle in EU law
2. The EU law principle of conferral
3. Subsidiarity principle in EU law
4. Proportionality principle in EU law
5. Role of the Court of Justice of the European Union
6. M. H. Marshall v. Southampton C-152/84 - case comment
7. Paola Faccini Dori v Recreb Srl C‑91/92 – case comment
8. Åklagaren v Hans Åkerberg Fransson (C-617/10) - case comment
9. Stauder v City of Ulm - Sozialamt (C- 29-69) - case comment
10. C-34/09 Zambrano - case comment
11. C-434/09 McCarthy- case comment
12. C-256/11 Dereci- case comment
13. Melloni C-399/11 - case comment
14. C 402/05 Kadi & C 415/05 Al Barakaat- case comment