

LAW 3110 Elements of Planning Law*

Hours Per Week			Hours per Semester	Weighted Total Mark	Weighted Exam Mark	Weighted Continuous Assessment	Credit Units
LH	PH	TH	CH	WTM	WEM	WCM	CU
3	0	3	45	100	60	40	3

Course description

The course provides an introduction to the elements of planning law and their application to the construction industry with particular emphasis to Uganda.

Objective(s)

To acquaint students with the basic principles of planning law and its applicability in the Ugandan construction industry

Course contents

- 1.** Development of planning law and practice [15 CH]
 - Introduction
 - The industrial revolution
 - The early 20th century
 - The new millennium
- 2.** Development plan structure [15 CH]
 - Regional planning
 - Local development frameworks and schemes.
- 3.** Development control codes and regulations, operation of planning law in Uganda. [15 CH]

Learning outcomes.

Upon completion of the course students will understand the applicability of planning law in the construction industry.

Method of delivery.

The course will be conducted through a mixture of lectures, group discussions and reading assignments. Basic lecture materials and data will be provided by the Lecturer and this will be supplemented by individual reading effort by students.

Method of assessment.

Assessment will be done through continuous coursework and final written examination. Continuous assessment will include assignments and classroom tests. A final examination will be offered at the end of each semester and will carry 60% of the total mark. Coursework will carry a total of 40% and will be divided into: assignments 20%, and written tests 20%.

Reference books and materials.

1. Williams G. 1973. *Learning The Law*. Stevens and Sons, London
- Frank, W.F. 1971. *English Law*