

BETTER REGULATION ADVANCED

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WHAT IS IT?

- Advanced Better Regulation is a multidisciplinary course of 20 hours
- The course deals with the notion of better regulation and with the tools necessary to attain it. The course covers all stages of the regulatory process and examines not merely how regulation ought to be carried out and evaluated, but also how it may be enriched by behavioural insight in order to draft more effective regulation and enforcement strategies. A transnational approach is followed which adopts the EU experience as the main model for national and sub-national decision-makers

PROGRAM

Lectures: Better regulation tools; Impact assessment; Consultation in impact assessment and rule-making; Regulation and competition; Assessing regulation; Cognitive-based regulation and enforcement strategies

Current regulatory challenges seminars: highly qualified experts from the EMLE associated partners and the OCDE will join the class, sharing their field experience on better regulation

ASSESSMENTS

In-class exercises. Exercises concerning the solution of regulatory problems are assigned at the end of the majority of the lectures. For instance, students might be asked to critically analyse an inception impact assessment concerning a real regulatory proposal, or to take part in a real consultation proceeding. These exercises are uploaded on google classroom and graded 0-3 or 0-5 points, according their complexity. The answers are discussed at the beginning of the following class

Final assessment. The final assessment should be prepared on the PowerPoint presentations and readings provided during the course. Students are asked to solve problems related to major class topics. It is written and is meant to verify the understanding and acquisition of the critical thinking skills. It is graded from 0 to 10.

Final mark: 75% final assessment + 25% in-class exercises

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- Excellent professional contacts are provided thanks to internship opportunities with EMLE associated partners, i.e. [AGCOM \(the Italian authority for electronic communication regulation and supervision\)](#), [CONSOB \(the Italian authority for financial markets regulation and supervision\)](#), [GSE \(the Italian public-owned company responsible for the promotion of renewable resources\)](#); [LEAR \(a specialized economic consultancy that offers services in the field of competition policy, regulation and procurement\)](#); [CIMEA - Centro Informazioni Mobilità Equivalenze Accademiche](#)
- EMLE students might also profit from other internship opportunities related to the Jean Monnet Chair on EU approach to better regulation: <https://betterregulation.lumsa.it/eu-approach-better-regulation/internship>

REFERENCES (a final reference list of papers is provided at the beginning of the course)

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3. Thaler R.H., Sunstein C.R. (2021), [Nudge. The final edition](#), Penguin
4. Zamir E., Techman D. (2021), [Behavioural law and economics](#), OUP