



Module Syllabus

Module Title:	Social Security Law		Module No: 410318	
Pre-requisite:	Labor Law		Co-requisite:	
Module level: Third year		Module Type: specialization required elective		
Credit Hours: 3 Credit Hours		Lecture Time	Daytime Study	Evening Study
Programme of Study: Daytime & Evening Study				

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Office Hours	Special Educational Guidance	Tutorial Guidance	Research

Module Description:

This course deals with the general principles of the social security law insofar as definition, significance, development and scope of application. It also addresses the rules of insurance against work injuries and illnesses, insurance against old age, incapacitation and death, and insurance against temporary incapacitation due to illness and maternity, and comprehensive health insurance for workers and the eligible, family grants, and finally unemployment insurance with a focus on the detailed rules of insurances currently applied in Jordan.

Module Aims: This module aims to:

1. provide students with the basic as well as advanced knowledge in Social Security Law: its sources, elements and development
2. develop and enhance students analytic cognitive skills as well as practical skills in Social Security related topics
3. enhance students skills in writing theoretic as well as practical legal research paper on subjects related to Social Security

Learning Outcomes (*Knowledge & understanding, intellectual skills, practical skills & transferable skills*)**At the end of this module, a student will be able to:**

A/1 express the basic principles and concepts of Social Security Law in Jordan

A/2 display advanced knowledge in social security related topics, including employer's liability insurance, occupation illness, in addition to the other social securities items

A/4 become abreast of topics relevant to social securities, especially that concerns social, ethical and political areas.

A/5 become abreast of the institutions and quarters that are linked to the application of Social Security Law like the Social Security Institution.

A/6 to be exposed to the methods and paradigms of legal academic research and the sources of legal knowledge

B/1 apply theoretic knowledge to actual practical cases and problems relevant to Social Security

C/1 try to find intact logical solutions to actual and/or presumed problems related to the field

Practical Training (Depends on module Practice

General topics of field related topics (workshop in the multipurpose room)
An outside lecturer
Field visit
Research paper

Teaching Methods

Methods	Number of Lectures	Scores' distribution
Lectures	38	80%
Multipurpose room and field visits	2	---
Student's involvement in seminars, tutorials, and group discussions	4	5%
Quizzes and Assignments	4	5%
Paper research & Essays (maximum of 3000 words)	---	10%
Total	48	100%

Modes of Assessment

Modes		Score	Date
Exams	First exam (written)	15%	
	Second exam (written)	15%	
	Final exam (written)	50%	
Multipurpose room and field visits		---	
Student's involvement in seminars, tutorials and discussions		5%	
Quizzes and assignments		10%	
Paper research essays		5%	
Total		100%	

Module Outline

This module consists of (48) hours allocated into (16) weeks, (3) hours a week, divided as follows:

Week	Subject	Notes
1 st	Defining Social Security and its development in Jordan	
2 nd	Defining the (insured employer) according to Social Security Law and terms	
3 rd	Defining occupation, its basis and premises	
4 th	Defining occupation illness	
5 th	Optional Insurance	
6 th	Physical disability, meaning and terms or conditions	
7 th	Settling employee's rights in cases of physical disabilities	
8 th	Provisions and terms or conditions for senility	
9 th	Early senility and terms or conditions	
10 th	Specific provisions for mortality. Conditions and beneficiaries	
11 th	Cases of quitting Social Security	
12 th	Employee acquired rights in social security law	
13 th	Committees in Social Security Institution/ right settlement committee, wages committee	
14 th	Security matters committee	
15 th	Security matters committee	
16 th	<i>General discussions</i>	

Reading List

A- Recommended Text Book

Book Title	Author	Edition	Publisher	Publishing Year

B -Additional Reference *(Student will be expected to give the same attention to these references as given to the textbook)*

Book Title	Author	Edition	Publisher	Publishing Year

C -Legal Journals & Magazines

Law Society Journal/Amman
Jordanian Journal of Law
Kuwaiti Journal of Law

D -Useful Websites

www.murdoch.edu.au/elaw
www.lawresearch.com

Attendance Policy (See Article 8 of the University regulation Guideline)

Attendance will be taken by the instructor at the beginning of each class. **On-time** and **regular** attendance is necessary for you to successfully achieve a good mark. Habitual tardiness is considered to be rude and disruptive behavior. An absence is recorded for any reason the student fails to attend class. However, an accumulation of 15% absentia of the total module's hours result in that student will be withdrawn from the module by the module's instructor.

Module policy requests

The instructor of the Module is the last person to enter and the first to leave the classroom. Therefore, students will not be permitted into the classroom once the lecture has started.

Cell phones or beepers must be either turned off or silent. If any student should receive a call during the lecture, he/she must leave the classroom immediately out of courtesy for fellow students. However, students need to bear in mind that they will not be allowed back into the classroom.

Expected Workload

On average, the student is expected to spend at least (3) hours per week self-studying for this module. The student will be expected to spend 1 hour in reading the lecture's topic before the lecture's due time and half an hour for revision of the lecture.

From time to time, I will give you a quiz to examine your preparation for the lecture. This quiz will be counted towards the total average of the module.

My role is to help you understand the module's material, so please ask if you are unclear about anything.

Important Dates & Holidays

DATE	SUBJECT	NOTE
Oct 4	The start of Ramadan	Ramadan is holiday for Evening Study students
Nov 3-5	Festival of Eid al-Fitr	Public Holiday
Nov 14	Commemoration of the late King Hussein's birthday	Public Holiday
Dec 25	Christmas Holiday	Public Holiday
Jan 1	New Year	Public Holiday
Jan 9-12	Festival of Eid Al-Adha	Public Holiday
Jan 30	Birthday of HM King Abdullah II	Public Holiday
Jan 31	Islamic New Year (Hijra New year)	Public Holiday

Good Luck!!