COMPLEMENT TO THE CURRICULAR UNIT

Course unit title (curricular unit's official name in English)

Heritage Family Law and Succession

Class

1st Class

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Syllabus (1000 characters available)

Patrimonial effects of marriage

Management of matrimonial assets

Matrimonial illegitimacies

Liability for spouses' debts

Contracts between spouses

End of property relations. Property division: partition

Ante-nuptial accords. Legal property regime

Concept of succession mortis causa

Death as the requisite for succession. Death as the opening of the succession

Kinds of succession mortis causa: intestate (necessary), legal (suppletory), contractual, testamentary. The hierarchy of succession designations

Inheritance and legacy

Succession calling

The different phenomena of succession mortis causa: right of representation, right of transmission, right to accrue, direct substitution, fideicommissaria substitution

Content of succession calling

Object of succession devolution

Prerequisites of succession calling

Inheritance acceptance and inheritance refusal

Administration of Assets

Liquidation of the inheritance

Distribution on intestacy

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