## Admission to the ''8D04201 Law'' PhD program Questions on the profile of the educational program group D078 Law

## **LEVEL 1**

#### **Question 1**

Composition of a criminal offense: concept, types and meaning. Elements of the composition of a criminal offense

#### **Question 2** The concept and system of punishment. The main types of punishments for criminal offenses

#### Question 3

Unfinished crime. Delineation of the stages of the commission of a crime

#### Question 4

Characteristics of the state as a subject of International Law

#### **Question 5**

Means of expressing consent to be bound by a treaty

## **Question 6**

Elements of customary International Law

#### **Question 7**

The concept and essence of law. Approaches to understanding law

## **Question 8**

Functions of law: content and meaning

#### **Question 9**

Functions of the state: concept, meaning and classification

## **Question 10**

Constitutional and legal status of an individual: concept, classification of the rights and freedoms of citizens. Legal status of foreign citizens in the Republic of Kazakhstan

## **Question 11**

Fundamentals of the constitutional system of the Republic of Kazakhstan: concept, elements and content. The essence and meaning of the Constitution.

## **Question 12**

Electoral law and electoral system: concept, principles and features. Types of the electoral system in the Republic of Kazakhstan

## **Question 13**

Constitutional foundations of political pluralism and ideological diversity

The ratio of the assignment of the right of claim and factoring: give a complete theoretical and doctrinal analysis.

#### **Question 15** The civil nature of consent to legal action: legal effect and consequences

**Question 16** Unilateral transactions in inheritance relations.

Question 17

Specificity of civil law regulation of "living" objects of civil law.

Question 18 Forum shopping: preconditions and ways to prevent (overcome)

Question 19

Public policy: the nature of the phenomenon and its role in Private International Law

**Question 20** 

Renvoi: the nature of the phenomenon, arguments for and against use

**Question 21** One-sided transactions requiring perception

**Question 22** One- sided transactions that do not require perception.

**Question 23** Legal nature of the penalty

**Question 24** Registration system in Kazakhstan

**Question 25** How are the sources of international law formed?

# **Question 26**

What elements/characteristics should a state have to be recognized as a subject of international law?

**Question 27** 

Expand the basic principles of international law and their place in the system of international law

## **Question 28**

Structure, composition and procedure for the formation of the Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan. Competence of the Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan and organizational forms of its implementation.

State sovereignty of the Republic of Kazakhstan: concept, content and essence.

#### **Question 30**

Responsibility in the constitutional law of the Republic of Kazakhstan

## **Question 31**

The Constitution of the Republic of Kazakhstan is the basic law of the state and society.

#### **Question 32**

Implementation of the provisions of international legal acts on the criminalization of criminal offenses in national legislation: opportunities for improving legislation or risks of legislative technique?

#### **Question 33**

The concept and features of the subject of a criminal offense: ways to improve legislation.

#### **Question 34**

Systematization of criminal legislation: ways to improve the structure of the Criminal Code.

#### **Question 35**

Law system. Concept and structure. Branch of law. Legal Institute.

#### **Question 36**

Legal facts. Concept, types and meaning in legal regulation. Actual (legal) composition.

#### **Question 37**

Forms (methods) of implementing the rules of law

#### **Question 38**

Correlation of will and intent as structural elements of a civil law transaction.

#### **Question 39**

Development of the system of sources of law in modern legal systems.

#### **Question 40**

The legality of actions as a condition for transaction validity in the theory of transactions: a critical analysis.

#### **Question 41**

How are sources of international law formed?

#### **Question 42**

What elements/characteristics must a state possess in order to be recognised as a subject of international law?

#### **Question 43**

Disclose the basic principles of international law and their place in the system of international law.

Transaction-like actions and their difference from a transaction.

#### **Question** 45

Characterize the normativity of law. How can the feature of normativity be applied to norms of various sources of law?

#### **Question 46**

How can the structure of a legal norm affect the quality of normative prescriptions?

#### **Question 47**

Describe the mechanism of legal regulation and its elements.

#### **Question 48**

Forms and Significance of Constitutional Accountability in the Republic of Kazakhstan.

#### **Question 49**

Distinctive features of the majoritarian and proportional electoral systems in the Republic of Kazakhstan.

#### Question 50

Labor legislation: scope of application in time and territory.

#### **Question 51**

Discrimination and differentiation in employment: the relationship of concepts.

# **Question 52** Abuse of the right in labor law.

**Question53** System of administrative law.

## **Question 54**

System of sources of the administrative process.

## **Question 55**

Concept and System of administrative bodies of Kazakhstan.

# LEVEL 2

#### **Question 1**

Types of exemption from criminal liability and punishment. Legal basis for their application.

## **Question 2**

The concept of circumstances precluding the criminality of an act. Differentiation of the types of circumstances.

#### **Question 3**

The concept and forms of guilt. The legal meaning of a crime committed with two forms of guilt.

Extention of universal jurisdiction to crimes.

## **Question 5**

Admissibility criteria for human rights restrictions under International and national law.

#### **Question 6**

Eligibility criteria for extradition under International Law.

#### **Question 7**

Application of law: concept, signs, features. Stages and acts of application of the law.

#### **Question 8**

Legal relations: concept, signs, composition, types. Legal fact: concept and types.

#### **Question 9**

Interpretation of law. Methods of interpretation of law, types of interpretation of law by subject and by volume. Features of acts of interpretation.

#### **Question 10**

Constitutional foundations of the organization and activities of public associations and political parties in the Republic of Kazakhstan.

## **Question 11**

Constitutional and legal status of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan. The procedure for the election of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan and dismissal. Administration of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan. Advisory and advisory bodies under the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

## **Question 12**

Citizenship concept. The procedure for acquiring, terminating and changing citizenship.

## **Question 13**

Constitutional foundations of the judiciary in the Republic of Kazakhstan. Judicial power: concept, essence, place in the system of separation of powers. Functions of the judiciary. Constitutional principles of justice. The system of the judiciary. Requirements for judges and selection procedure.

## **Question 14**

The mechanism of judicial application of the principles of good faith, reasonableness and fairness.

## **Question 15**

Innovation as a substitute for causa.

#### **Question 16**

Argument the presence or absence of binding of the assignee by the propogation agreement of the assignor.

## Question 17

Problems of acquisitive law enforcement practice.

## **Question 18**

The role of the closest connection principle in Private International Law

## Question 19

The problems of application of the law of a country with multiple legal systems

#### **Question 20**

Lex mercatoria: the legal nature and problems of application

## **Question 21**

Dispositional and obligatory transactions.

# Question 22

Abstract transactions: legal implications.

**Question 23** Elasticity of collateral.

**Question 24** Deposit in the preliminary contract.

# **Question 25**

Expand the criteria of legal personality in international law.

## **Question 26**

Expand the main elements of an international treaty.

## **Question 27**

Expand diplomatic privileges and immunities.

## **Question 28**

The concept and principles, the subject of the republican referendum. Appointment and preparation of the republican referendum. The procedure for conducting and deciding the republican referendum.

## **Question 29**

Institutions of state power. Implementation of state power through a system of checks and balances.

## Question 30

Constitutional and legal foundations for the organization and activities of public associations in the Republic of Kazakhstan.

## Question 31

Implementation of the fundamental ideas of natural law at the heart of the modern constitutional status of the individual.

The role of normative resolutions of the Supreme Court of the Republic of Kazakhstan on the issues of determining the content of the provisions of the Criminal Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

## **Question 33**

Criminal law as a legal means of ensuring the fight against corruption.

## **Question 34**

Criminal offense: theoretical significance and practical significance.

## **Question 35**

The structure of the legal norm. The rule of law and the article of the normative act, their correlation.

## **Question 36**

Lawful behavior: concept, types and mechanisms of formation.

## Question 37

Lawmaking: concept, principles, stages. Subjects and types of lawmaking

## **Question 38**

Reveal the content of modern approaches to the analysis of the effectiveness of legal regulation.

## Question 39

Discuss the criteria for the limits of liberty of contract when determining the terms of contracts.

## **Question 40**

Discuss the content of the fairness doctrine in the law of property.

# Question 41

Disclose the criteria of legal personality in international law.

## **Question 42**

Disclose the main elements of a treaty (international agreement).

## **Question 43**

Disclose diplomatic privileges and immunities.

# **Question 44**

Explain the content and purpose of the "bankruptcy test".

## **Question 45**

Characterize the main procedures of lawmaking. Are there differences in lawmaking forms depending on the type of legal source?

## **Question 46**

How and in what cases can legal principles take precedence over legal norms in law enforcement/

## **Question 47**

Analyze similarities and differences between a legal institution and a legal sub-branch.

Legal Attributes Defining the People as a Subject of Constitutional Law.

## **Question 49**

Constitutional and Legal Regulation and Assurance of the Checks and Balances Mechanism Among Branches of State Power in the Republic of Kazakhstan.

## Question 50

Hierarchy of sources of labor law.

#### **Question 51**

Prohibition of forced labor in the labor law of Kazakhstan.

#### **Question 52**

The definition of employment relationship: problematic aspects.

#### **Question 53** Concept of an administrative act and its characteristics.

## **Question 54** Theories distinguishing private and public law.

**Question 55** System of administrative claims.

# LEVEL 3

#### **Question 1** Forms of complicity. Delimitation of types of criminal group and its criminal legal significance.

#### **Question 2**

Theoretical and practical issues of establishing the criminal liability of legal entities.

## **Question 3**

The system of punishments: new types of punishments and their practical significance.

## **Question 4**

The role of the UN International Law Commission in the development and codification of International Law.

## **Question 5**

Application of self-executing and non-self-executing provisions of treaties in the domestic legal system.

## Question 6

Constitutionalism and Fragmentation in International Law.

## **Question 7**

The ratio of the legal and social state. Individual rights in the context of the theory of the welfare state

#### **Question 8**

Methodological aspects of general and sectoral principles of law in the system of sources of Kazakh law

#### **Question 9**

Problems of the impact of globalization processes on the sovereignty of states and national legal systems

#### **Question 10**

Legislative process in the Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan. The main stages, the voting procedure and the adoption of the bill. Resolution of conflicts between the Houses of Parliament.

#### **Question 11**

Local self-government in the Republic of Kazakhstan: issues of legal regulation and improvement of the national model

#### **Question 12**

Constitutional supervision and constitutional control: origin, purpose, features.

#### **Question 13**

Legal status and guarantees of independence of the Commissioner for Human Rights.

#### **Question 14**

Correlation of the doctrine of frustration with the institution of impossibility of execution.

#### **Question 15**

Correlation of Iniusta causa and antisocial doctrines.

#### **Question 16**

Reflection of the doctrine of "Rei Vindicatio" (vindication) in law enforcement practice in cases of reclaiming a thing from someone else's illegal possession.

#### **Question 17**

Abstraction of managerial transactions: justification of positions "for" or "against".

#### **Question 18**

Impact of the unification of substantive law on the development of Private International Law

#### **Question 19**

Affiliation of Private International Law to international or national law

#### **Question 20**

Private International Law in the era of digitalization: new problems and methods of solution

#### Question 21 Accessory collateral.

**Question 22** Proprietary security structures.

## **Question 23**

Personal security structures.

# **Question 24**

Expand the main elements of international custom as a source of international law.

# **Question 25**

Expand the criteria for the admissibility of countermeasures in international law.

# **Question 26**

Expand the legal criteria for the admissibility of restricting human rights in international law and / or national law.

# **Question 27**

Institution of the Ombudsman, legal status and guarantees of independence.

# **Question 28**

Constitutional and legal regulation of the organization and activities of state bodies with a special status.

# **Question 29**

The role and competence of the Government of Kazakhstan in the system of separation of powers. Responsibility and accountability of the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

# Question 30

The significance of the constitutional reform of Kazakhstan in 2022 in the further modernization of society and the state.

# **Question 31**

Subjects of corruption crimes: issues of classification and differentiation by type.

# **Question 32**

The system of punishments as a tool for determining a fair measure of responsibility.

# Question 33

The principle of humanism in criminal law and its impact on the fight against crime.

# Question 34

Gaps in the law and ways to fill them. Collisions in law and ways to resolve them.

# Question 35

Correlation between law and morality: unity, difference, interaction, contradictions.

# **Question 36**

The concept of law and order. Relationship between law, order and democracy.

## **Question 37**

The system of law and the system of legislation: correlation problems

# **Question 38**

The will-substituting effect of the judicial act.

Methods of analyzing causal relationships in law.

## **Question 40**

Quasi-contract as a special legal category.

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Disclose the main elements of international custom as a source of international law.

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## **Question 43**

Disclose the legitimate criteria for permissible limitations of human rights in international law and/or national law.

## **Question 44**

Accessoriness of security structures.

## **Question 45**

Characterize the common law family and its sources of law. In which regulatory areas is precedent not the primary source of law?

## **Question 46**

*Fiqh* as a source of Islamic law. Are there differences in the understanding of the role of doctrine in Islamic law and common law?

## **Question 47**

Analyze similarities and differences between methods of scientific research in law and methods of interpreting legal norms."

## **Question 48**

Mechanisms and Provisions of the Constitution Revealing the Principles of the Rule of Law

## **Question 49**

Theoretical and Legal Significance of Interpretation of the Norms of the Constitution of the Republic of Kazakhstan

# **Question 50**

Labor legislation: personal scope of application

# Question 51

The right to form trade unions

# Question 52

The combination of legislative and contractual regulation in labor law

# **Question 53**

Administrative discretion and the criteria for its legality

# **Question 54**

Non-formalised constitutional principles and their application in public administration

# **Question 55**

Criteria for the reasonableness of a claim for contestation (4 elements)