

## **Rights and Science**

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**Abstract:** The Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence "Rights and Science", funded by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) of the European Union, is aimed to develop the academic activities related to the legal and societal aspects of Science and Innovation.

These aspects are considered as dimensions of the European integration process, especially in the development of the "European Research Area". Research and Innovation matters also offer opportunities to share and exchange experiences with other countries, especially with Latin America.

The Centre of Excellence "Rights and Science" coordinates the research and teaching activities at the Università degli Studi di Perugia related to other EU projects such as the Jean Monnet Chair "TeKla", the Jean Monnet Chair "SWING", the Jean Monnet Module "EuPlaw", the Horizon 2020 MSC-Rise "BeFOre" (which is leaded by CNR-ISAFoM).

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