



Legal Theory

05.01.2024

Duration: 120 minutes

- Please check at receipt of the exam the number of question sheets. The examination contains 2 pages and 6 questions.

Notes on marking

- When marking the exam each question is weighted separately. Points are distributed to the individual questions as follows:

Question 1	10 points	10 %
Question 2	10 points	10 %
Question 3	25 points	25 %
Question 4	25 points	25 %
Question 5	20 points	20 %
Question 6	10 points	10 %
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Total	100 points	100 %

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1. What are core theses of “ontological dualism” in the theory of mind? What speaks for, what against this theory? (10%)
2. Currently, the meaning of international humanitarian law is very contested. The same holds for the ethical limits of military action. What speaks against studying human moral cognition by analysing these debates? Which other approach is preferable and why? (10%)
3. What speaks for, what against the thesis that moral judgement is the expression of emotions? (25%)
4. Humans develop a “sense of justice”. What does this mean concretely? What is known about the development of this faculty during childhood? (25%)
5. Has neuroscience proven that humans do not enjoy free will? (20%)
6. What is – in your view – the importance of moral psychology for the understanding of the foundations of law? (10%)