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Exams(s)	2 nd 3 rd & 4 th LL.B. 2 nd & 3 rd Bachelor of Civil Law 3 rd & 4 th Bachelor of Arts (Public & Social Policy)
Module Codes(s)	LW370
Module(s)	Comparative Disability Law
Paper No.	1
Repeat Paper __ Special Paper __	
External Examiner(s)	Mr. Ciaran White
Internal Examiner(s)	Professor Gerard quinn
Instructions	Answer THREE questions Erasmus students may have 2½ Hours
Duration	TWO Hours
No. of AnswerBooks	
Requirements:	
Handout	
MCQ	
Statistical Tables	
Graph Paper	
Log Graph Paper	
Other Material	
No. of Pages	2
Department(s)	Law

1. Write an essay on Martha Minow's approach to the theory of human difference in the specific context of disability and its relevance to the role of law
2. Assess the cogency of the arguments to move toward the elaboration of a thematic treaty in the United Nations on the rights of persons with disabilities.
3. How, if at all, has the Council of Europe advanced the rights of persons with disabilities in Europe?
4. Assess the potential relevance of the Framework Directive on employment discrimination [2000/78/EC] in the context of disability.
5. Describe American law prior to the enactment of the Americans with Disabilities Act (1990).

6. Answer either (a) **OR** (b)

(a) Outline the main features of the ADA (1990).

Or

(b) Discuss the attitude of the US Supreme Court to the definition of *disability* under the ADA.

7. Answer either (a) **OR** (b).

(a) Give a general account of Irish anti-discrimination law in the context of disability. What recommendations for change would you make?

Or

(b) Is Irish anti-discrimination law sufficient to advance the educational rights of children, and adults, with disabilities in your view? If not, how can these rights be more fully secured in Irish law?

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