The discipline "History of the State and Law of Ukraine" is a fundamental discipline that belongs to the cycle of professional training of applicants for the first degree of higher education "Bachelor" in the specialty 081 "Law". The purpose of the discipline "History of State and Law of Ukraine" is to study the history of origin, formation, development of various types and forms of state and law, as well as state and legal institutions and socio-political systems that functioned and function in Ukraine, in their historical specificity and chronological sequence. According to the requirements of the curriculum, students must demonstrate the following learning outcomes: mastering the concept of historical development of Ukrainian statehood and law, which is divided into four logically connected parts. The first is devoted to the problems of the origin and formation of the state and law in the Ukrainian lands during the first non-Slavic state formations, the state of Eastern Slavs - Kievan Rus and its successor - the Galicia-Volyn state. The second - the stage of formation and development of the Ukrainian Cossack state - Hetmanate. The third is the complex evolution of Ukrainian statehood and law in the early twentieth century. (UPR, Ukrainian state of Hetman Pavlo Skoropadsky, UPR during the Directory, ZUNR). The fourth covers the development of the Ukrainian state and law of pre-Soviet times and in the conditions of independence of Ukraine.

During the study of the discipline "History of State and Law of Ukraine" applicants for higher education:

Will be able to objectively consider and analyze the phenomena of state and legal life, both in the past and in the present;

Gain skills to use the historical experience of Ukrainian statehood and law in the practical construction of an independent, democratic, legal, social state - Ukraine;

Will be able to analyze legal acts and other documents using various scientific methods, and above all, based on the principle of historicism;

They will be able to independently study and evaluate previously silenced and distorted processes, facts, reproduce historical objectivity and justice;

Learn the characteristics and features of political, state organization and legal system of society in a given period;

In the 1st semester, students prepare an essay, the requirements for which are set out in the Guidelines for the preparation of essays on the subject "History of State and Law of Ukraine".

Interdisciplinary links: the discipline "History of State and Law of Ukraine" is studied in parallel with the study of disciplines "Theory of State and Law" and "Constitutional Law", which is a necessary prerequisite for effective learning and mastering the material given the systematic and interconnected presentation material with the specified academic disciplines.