

# Diploma in Law (Malta): Intake October 2024

Assessment Task: Written assignment based on chosen questions	
Module: Award in Information and	Tuition Centre: 21 Academy
Communication Technology Law	Licence Number: 2018-017
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**Assignment Deadline:** 10 July 2025

#### Task

The purpose of this unit is to develop an understanding of a particular topic you will write about which forms part of Information and Communication Technology Law.

#### Note

This assessment provides students with an opportunity to put into practice the relevant provisions of the law in relation to the topic they choose to write about forming part of Information and Communication Technology Law.

#### Note

You should plan to spend approximately 20 hours researching each assignment question, preparing for and writing the assignment for assessment. The nominal word count for each assignment is 1,700 words.

### Choose and answer 2 questions from the following:

#### Question 1

Outline the basic principles underpinning data protection legislation. How have these principles been challenged by rapid technological advancements, and what are some of the legal responses to these developments at both the local and EU level?

#### Question 2:

Critically analyse the legal framework governing electronic commerce in the EU, with particular reference to e-contracts and e-signatures. What are the main liability concerns for parties involved in digital transactions, and how does legislation address them?

### Question 3:

Define cybercrime and explain the role of cybersecurity in mitigating such threats. Discuss the legal challenges involved in prosecuting cross-border cybercrimes within the European Union.

## Question 4:

Explain the main forms of intellectual property protection applicable to digital content. Discuss the challenges posed by digital technologies to the enforcement of IP rights and how legal frameworks are adapting to address these issues.

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