

## FOCUS, SCOPE AND OBJECTIVES

The Revista General de Derecho Europeo (RGDE) is a scientific journal devoted to the study of European integration from a legal perspective. It is available on the legal portal <a href="www.iustel.com">www.iustel.com</a>. It has been publishing academic contributions since May 2003.

The RGDE aims to contribute to and enrich the scientific debate on European Union law as a generator and driver of integration and a factor of economic and social progress. The RGDE welcomes contributions from different legal branches that carry out a rigorous and critical analysis of European Law, the European Union functioning and policies, and the consequences thereof for Member States legal orders.

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It is intended to be a useful tool for academics, doctoral students, and legal practitioners of national or European law.

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The journal is divided into an *Article* and a (European legal or case-law) *Notes & Comments*, sections. Additionally, a European Union and Council of Europe *Observatory* section is included for informational purposes.

Finally, a *Book Review* section will include descriptive and critical or evaluative accounts of the most relevant publications.

## PUBLICATION FREQUENCY AND MANUSCRIPT SUBMISSION



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