

## SUMMER LAW PROGRAMS FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS AND LAWYERS

The following document profiles a select number of summer programs hosted by American law schools of potential interest to foreign lawyers and law students. Unless otherwise specified, the information provided refers to programs scheduled for the summer of 2020. In general, these programs are offered yearly, and cover the same material. For further information concerning a particular program, please contact the administrator directly.

### AMERICAN UNIVERSITY – WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW

<b>Program title</b>	Summer Law Programs
<b>Dates</b>	Several seminars in May, June and July
<b>Contact Address:</b>	American University, Washington College of Law, 4300 Nebraska Ave NW, Washington DC 20016
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 202-274-4070
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:summer@wcl.american.edu">summer@wcl.american.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://www.wcl.american.edu/academics/summer-programs/dc/">www.wcl.american.edu/academics/summer-programs/dc/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Anti-Corruption Law; Campaign 2020 & the Law; <b>English for Lawyers</b> ; Environmental Law; Health Law; Hospitality & Tourism Law; Human Rights & Humanitarian; Intellectual Property Law; International Arbitration; Litigation Skills; U.S. & Int'l Trade Law & Policy
<b>Participant profile:</b>	U.S. and foreign attorneys and international students from foreign law schools
<b>Application deadline:</b>	May 1, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$70 of application fee; \$150 of facilities fee  Diploma: \$4,000 in course fees Certificate of Attendance: \$1,300 for one course; \$2,125 for two courses; \$2,960 for three courses; \$3,720 for four courses

### BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL

<b>Program title</b>	Legal English Summer Course
<b>Dates</b>	Three-week course: June 29 - July 17, 2020 Four-week course: June 29 – July 24, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Brooklyn Law School, 250 Joralemon St, Brooklyn, NY 11201
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: (718) 625-2200
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:intlprograms@brooklaw.edu">intlprograms@brooklaw.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://www.bu.edu/celop/academics-programs/legal-english/">http://www.bu.edu/celop/academics-programs/legal-english/</a>

<b>Course offerings</b>	The primary subject areas are: listening and speaking: meeting and interview skills; formal and informal presentations; legal writing: case briefing; legal summaries; predictive writing; and, reading skills and analysis: reading and interpreting cases; common law legal principles; legal vocabulary; the U.S. legal system; fundamental areas of U.S. law. The fourth week of the course will focus intensively on legal writing.
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Current law student or law graduate Must be able to read and correctly pronounce basic words in English
<b>Application deadline:</b>	Admission is granted on a first-come, first-served basis..
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$3,525 for the four-week ; \$2,699 for the three-week

### BOSTON UNIVERSITY (CENTER FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND ORIENTATION PROGRAMS)

<b>Program title</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Legal English &amp; Foundations of the US Legal System</li> <li>• U.S. Business Law for the International Lawyer</li> </ul>
<b>Dates</b>	July 27 – August 14, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Boston University, CELOP, 890 Commonwealth Avenue, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Boston, MA 02215
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 617-353-4870
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:celop@bu.edu">celop@bu.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://www.bu.edu/celop/academics-programs/legal-english/">http://www.bu.edu/celop/academics-programs/legal-english/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	English language skills, US legal system
<b>Participant profile:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Legal English &amp; Foundations of the US Legal System: for students who plan to begin LLM studies at a US law school in the fall semester or students who have not yet received admission to a US law school but have completed at least three years of full-time law studies outside the US</li> <li>• U.S. Business Law for the International Lawyer: for International Lawyers interested in enhancing their careers or practitioners needing a foundational understanding of U.S. corporate, business and transactional law</li> </ul>
<b>Application deadline:</b>	As early as possible, Application are available in January.
<b>Expenses:</b>	Legal English & Foundations of the US Legal System: \$10,433 (fees, living and personal expenses, medical insurance) U.S. Business Law for the International Lawyer: \$5,439 (idem)

### CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

<b>Program title</b>	Summer Language and Law Institute
<b>Dates</b>	Classes start the second week of July and end during the first week in August
<b>Contact Address:</b>	The Summer Language and Law Institute, Attn: Adria J. Sankovic, School of Law, Case Western Reserve University, 11075 East Boulevard, Cleveland, OH 44106-7148
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 216-368-2083
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:llm-sjd@case.edu">llm-sjd@case.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://law.case.edu/Academics/Degrees/LLM/Summer-Language-and-Law-Institute">https://law.case.edu/Academics/Degrees/LLM/Summer-Language-and-Law-Institute</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	English for legal purposes, US legal system

<b>Participant profile:</b>	Open to any foreign legal professional and foreign-educated law students
<b>Application deadline:</b>	April 15, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$2 800 for tuition

## COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

<b>Program title</b>	English for Professional Purposes: Law
<b>Dates</b>	July 20 – August 14, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	American Language Program, Columbia University, 504 Lewisohn Hall, Mail Code 4113, 2970 Broadway, New York, NY 10027
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 212-854-3584
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:alp@columbia.edu">alp@columbia.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://sps.columbia.edu/alp/programs/english-for-law">http://sps.columbia.edu/alp/programs/english-for-law</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Legal English, U.S. judicial system
<b>Participant profile:</b>	This course is open only to LL.M candidates who are entering Columbia Law School in the fall.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	June 14, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$7,811 for tuition and living expenses

## DUKE LAW

<b>Programs titles</b>	Summer Institute on Law, Language, & Culture
<b>Dates</b>	July 20 - August 12, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Ms. Isik Cotton, Summer Institute on Law, Language, & Culture, Duke University School of Law, Box 90365, Durham, NC 27708-0365 USA
<b>Telephone</b>	919.613.7130
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:isik.cotten@law.duke.edu">isik.cotten@law.duke.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://law.duke.edu/summerinstitutes/sillc/">https://law.duke.edu/summerinstitutes/sillc/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	four-week intensive course that will introduce students to common law doctrines, legal writing, legal English, the U.S. legal system, and the law school experience.
<b>Participant profile:</b>	While the majority of SILLC students then matriculate in the Duke or other LLM programs, SILLC students also include law students and attorneys who want to improve their legal English while receiving an introduction to the US legal system but do not intend to immediately, if ever, enroll in an LLM program.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	May 1, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	tuition is \$4,880

## FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

<b>Programs titles</b>	Fordham Law Summer Institute
<b>Dates</b>	July 6 – 24, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	International and Non-J.D. Programs, Fordham Law School, 150 W 62 Street, Suite 8-131, New York, NY 10023
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 212-636-7854
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:summernyc@law.fordham.edu">summernyc@law.fordham.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://www.fordham.edu/info/23342/summer_institute">https://www.fordham.edu/info/23342/summer_institute</a>

<b>Course offerings</b>	Bankruptcy Law, Civil Procedure and Litigation, Constitutional Law, Contract Drafting and Negotiation, Contract Law, Corporate Reorganization in Bankruptcy, Corporations, Corporate Compliance, Evidence and Trial Practice, Financial Crime and Compliance, Information Technology Law, Intellectual Property Law, International Arbitration, Introduction to the U.S. Legal System, Labor and Employment Law, Mergers & Acquisitions, Product Liability Law, U.S. Tax Law and Policy Legal English: Drafting and Research & Special Workshops
<b>Participant profile:</b>	International law students and graduates and practitioners with an interest in U.S. law
<b>Application deadline:</b>	June 15, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$2,750 for program with no accommodations; \$5,150 for program with double-occupancy accommodations; \$6,150 for program with single occupancy accommodations

#### INSTITUTE FOR US LAW (WITH GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY)

<b>Program title</b>	Intensive Summer Program for Lawyers (U.S. Legal Methods: Introduction to U.S. Law)
<b>Dates</b>	Annually, late-July to mid-August
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Institute for U.S. Law, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Seventh Floor, Washington, DC 20004, USA
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 202-204-3032
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:info@iuslaw.org">info@iuslaw.org</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://www.iuslaw.org/intro-us-law/">https://www.iuslaw.org/intro-us-law/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Subjects covered include most major aspects of U.S. law and the U.S. legal system
<b>Participant profile:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-U.S. lawyers who represent either U.S. clients or multi-national clients with U.S. interests</li> <li>• Non-U.S. lawyers working for governments or multi-national corporations</li> <li>• Non-U.S. lawyers who will soon enter an LL.M. program in the United States</li> <li>• Non-U.S. legal professionals or law student with an interest in U.S. Law</li> </ul>
<b>Application deadline:</b>	Apply at least three months before the start of the program
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$3,495 in tuition (with housing from \$55-\$109 per night not included)
<b>Note:</b>	This program may be preceded by a 9-day intensive <b>U.S. Legal English Program</b> .

#### NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

<b>Program title</b>	Accelerated Summer LLM Program: Executive LLM Chicago Program
<b>Dates</b>	15 weeks from May to mid August
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Northwestern University School of Law, 375 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611-3069, USA
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 312-503-0725
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:allm@law.northwestern.edu">allm@law.northwestern.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://www.law.northwestern.edu/llm/accelerated/">http://www.law.northwestern.edu/llm/accelerated/</a>

<b>Course offerings</b>	Intro to Constitutional Law, Negotiations, Antitrust, Civil Procedure, Contracts, Strategy, Business Associations, Intellectual Property, Business Bankruptcy, International Taxation, Ethics and Professional Responsibility
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Graduates of non-U.S. law schools working in their home countries
<b>Application deadline:</b>	February 1th, 2020
<b>English test scores:</b>	Submit TOEFL iBT scores demonstrating a high level of English proficiency
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$69,580 in tuition (+ \$12 620 estimated living expenses)

#### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

<b>Program title</b>	LL.M Professional Track
<b>Dates</b>	May through August during two consecutive 10-or 13-week summer semesters.
<b>Contact Address:</b>	University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, Advanced Degree Programs Office, 214 Law Building, Berkeley, CA 94720-7200
<b>Telephone</b>	510-642-1476
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:llm@law.berkeley.edu">llm@law.berkeley.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://www.law.berkeley.edu/academics/llm/professional-llm/">www.law.berkeley.edu/academics/llm/professional-llm/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Core curriculum: Fundamentals of U.S. Law and Legal Research and Writing.; Elective Curriculum: Business Law, Law & Technology; General/Other
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Lawyers educated outside the U.S. who want a Berkeley Law degree but can't leave professional or personal commitments for an entire standard academic year.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	December 18, 2020 (for summer 2021)
<b>English test scores:</b>	TOEFL: 100 ; IELTS: 7.0
<b>Expenses:</b>	Total Tuition and Fees for both summer semesters: \$61,853.50

#### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS

<b>Program title</b>	English for Legal Professionals
<b>Dates</b>	June 28-July 11, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	International Law Programs, UC Davis School of Law, 400 Mrak Hall Drive, Davis, CA 95616-5201
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 530-757-6081
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:internationallaw@ucdavis.edu">internationallaw@ucdavis.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://law.ucdavis.edu/international/summer/english.html">https://law.ucdavis.edu/international/summer/english.html</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	The program includes these core classes: Legal Reading and Analysis, Vocabulary and Legal Writing Seminar. The program provides an introduction and review of English as used by legal professionals in the United States.
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Intermediate to advanced level English speakers interested in improving their English language skills for success in legal-oriented careers. Participants include practicing attorneys, judges, pre-LL.M. students, business professionals
<b>Application deadline:</b>	June 1st, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	Tuition : \$2,115

## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA HASTINGS COLLEGE OF THE LAW

<b>Program title</b>	Summer Legal Institute
<b>Dates</b>	Session 1: May 12 – June 18, 2020; Session 2: June 29 – August 6, 2018; Full summer Session: May 12 – August 6, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Summer Legal Institute, UC Hastings College of the Law, International and Graduate Programs, 200 McAllister Street, Room 325, San Francisco, CA 94102
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 415-581-8941
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:cndr@uchastings.edu">cndr@uchastings.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://www.uchastings.edu/admissions/summer-legal-institute/">https://www.uchastings.edu/admissions/summer-legal-institute/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Business Associations, Advanced Legal Research, Essential Lawyering Skills, Applied Contracts, Legal Ethics, Will s& Trust, Negotiation, Evidence, Remedies
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Any J.D. student currently enrolled and in good academic standing at an ABA-accredited law school and to UC Hastings JD, LL.M. and MSL students
<b>Application deadline:</b>	Registration opens March 23, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$1,323 per credit so \$3,969 for a three-unit course

## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

<b>Program title</b>	Intensive Legal English
<b>Dates</b>	2020 sessions: Jan 2 – February 28, March 9 – May 8, Oct 5 – Dec 4
<b>Contact Address:</b>	University of California, San Diego, Extension International Student Services, 9600 North Torrey Pines Road, Bldg. E, La Jolla, CA 92037-1100
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 858-534-6784
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:ipinfo@ucsd.edu">ipinfo@ucsd.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://extension.ucsd.edu/departments/elip/coursesprograms/index.cfm?vAction=10wkintensivelegalenglish">http://extension.ucsd.edu/departments/elip/coursesprograms/index.cfm?vAction=10wkintensivelegalenglish</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Review of the U.S. legal systems, the court system and trial procedures, landmark cases, social/cultural trends that affect the law, advanced case studies in business; Academic Writing, Business Presentation Skills, Business Reading and Discussion, Conversation, Idioms for Business, Negotiation and Debate, Oral Presentations, Vocabulary for Business and Finance, Test Preparation: TOEFL, IELTS, TOEIC Required: Grammar class
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Those who have advanced English proficiency and would like to improve English skills while learning about the U.S. Legal System
<b>Application deadline:</b>	It is recommended to submit applications four months in advance.
<b>English test scores:</b>	TOEFL iBT 85 or IELTS 7.0
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$4,000 tuition (+ \$380 for international student); \$150 non-refundable application fees
<b>Notes:</b>	Students who complete this program with strong grades and references from all UC San Diego English Language Institute instructors may be eligible for conditional admission to the California Western School of Law, the University of San Diego (USD) School of Law, or the University of Arizona College of Law. For more information please contact <a href="mailto:ipinfo@ucsd.edu">ipinfo@ucsd.edu</a>

## UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

<b>Program title</b>	American Law and Legal English Institute (ALLEI)
<b>Dates</b>	Summer Session: July 6 – July 31, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	University of Delaware English Language Institute (ELI), 189 West Main Street, Newark, DE 19716
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 302-831-2674
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:ud-eli@udel.edu">ud-eli@udel.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://sites.udel.edu/eli/allei/">http://sites.udel.edu/eli/allei/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	American Law, Legal English and Communication, Legal Seminars and Workshops
<b>Participant profile:</b>	For international legal professionals training in American law and legal English communication
<b>Application deadline:</b>	It is advised to apply 3 months in advance.
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$5,706 for all expenses

## UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

<b>Program title</b>	Summer Law & English Program
<b>Dates</b>	July 13 – August 7, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	USC Gould School of Law, Graduate & International Programs University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 90089-0071
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 213-821-5916
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:gipadmissions@law.usc.edu">gipadmissions@law.usc.edu</a> / <a href="mailto:sle@law.usc.edu">sle@law.usc.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="http://lawweb.usc.edu/how/gip/sle/">http://lawweb.usc.edu/how/gip/sle/</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	Courses in legal English, and various areas of U.S. law and law school preparation
<b>Participant profile:</b>	International lawyers; corporate legal counsel; business professionals; government officials; international law students, particularly those who have earned or will soon earn their first law degree (LLB or equivalent) and are interested in pursuing legal studies in the U.S.; anyone interested in the U.S. legal system who has earned a non-law undergraduate degree outside the United States
<b>English test score</b>	A TOEFL or IELTS score is not required for the SLE application, but please submit your score report if you have one, as it will assist our ESL instructors in planning your courses.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	May 15, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$4,200 for tuition and fees; plus housing \$1,550 - \$2,050



## VERMONT LAW SCHOOL

<b>Program title</b>	Environment Law Center Summer Session
<b>Dates</b>	2020 calendar : Term 1 (3 weeks course): May 26 – June 11 Term 2 (2 weeks course): June 15 – June 25 Term 3 (2 weeks course): July 6- 16 Term 4 (2 weeks course): July 20 – 30 8 week courses : June 5 – July 31
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Summer Session, Environmental Law Center, Vermont Law School, 164 Chelsea Street, South Royalton, VT 05068
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 802-831-1201
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:ccollins@vermontlaw.edu">ccollins@vermontlaw.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://www.vermontlaw.edu/summer">https://www.vermontlaw.edu/summer</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	25 Courses in environmental law such as energy law, international environmental law, water law, land use law, or agricultural law
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Students attending the Environmental Law Center’s Summer Session include Vermont Law School students, as well as students from other law schools and graduate institutions. The Summer Session has also drawn participants from other walks of life, including practicing attorneys, planners, state and federal agency personnel, teachers, and citizen advocates.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	April 1, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$1,345 tuition per credit

## YALE UNIVERSITY

<b>Program title</b>	Law Seminar
<b>Dates</b>	June 29 – July 31, 2020
<b>Contact Address:</b>	Yale English Language Institute, P.O. Box 208355, New Haven, CT 06520
<b>Telephone</b>	Tel: 203-432-2430
<b>E-mail:</b>	<a href="mailto:eli2@yale.edu">eli2@yale.edu</a>
<b>Web site:</b>	<a href="https://summer.yale.edu/academics/law-seminar">https://summer.yale.edu/academics/law-seminar</a>
<b>Course offerings</b>	intensive introduction to the American legal system. Class content includes civil procedure, contracts, professional responsibility, constitutional law, criminal law, torts, and corporate law, among others.
<b>Participant profile:</b>	Designed for non-native speakers of English who are planning to enter law school in the U.S. or who will be working in the field of law in an international context.
<b>Application deadline:</b>	May 15, 2020
<b>Expenses:</b>	\$5,500 for tuition

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