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Kevin R. Johnson
Dean
UC Davis School of Law

FROM THE DEAN

The University of California, Davis School of Law (King Hall) is proud of the innovative educational programs we have designed and implemented for international lawyers for almost three decades. Our goal is to provide the knowledge and skills contemporary lawyers need to serve their clients in the global economy.

Our school is proud of its leadership in welcoming and supporting lawyers from throughout the world to our school and the UC Davis campus. We value the exchange of ideas and perspectives that define these international law programs. Members of our outstanding faculty as well as distinguished members of the California legal community participate as instructors in our programs.

We hope you will join one of our international programs and that we will see you soon in Davis. You will find the educational experience professionally enriching, and you will encounter an intellectually stimulating community of friends, faculty and colleagues.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Johnson

Dean

UC Davis School of Law





Beth Greenwood
Associate Dean
International Programs
UC Davis School of Law

FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEAN

We are pleased to share with you the latest information about our International Law Programs for 2018.

This summer marks the 29th anniversary of the International Law Programs. We invite you to join us here, at King Hall in Davis, where the dynamic California legal and business communities stand at the crossroads between East and West. You will enjoy a unique opportunity to gain cutting edge legal knowledge while you build camaraderie with international lawyers and judges through cross-cultural experiences that last long after the program ends.

Our new and returning students and alumni inspire us to continue expanding our programs, which combine knowledge with practical application in an exciting community of legal practitioners. Our programs continue to serve the world's best legal professionals because of the expertise and support of our instructors, colleagues and friends. Look for more of these unique programs in the future.

See you in California!

Beth Greenwood
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UNIVERSITY AND LOCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

The University of California (UC) is one of the finest public institutions of higher education in the United States, with many professional schools including five law schools located at its campuses in Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles and San Francisco. The UC Davis University Library contains more than three million volumes, and the Mabie Law Library houses more than 375,000 print volumes and volume equivalents, and provides access to a wealth of licensed online resources as well as electronic access to journals and databases via the California Digital Library.

The UC Davis School of Law is a top-tier U.S. law school. Our students consistently perform well on the California bar examination. All courses offered through the International Law Programs are MCLE-approved by the California and New York Bar Associations. The International Law Section of the State Bar of California is a co-sponsor of these programs.



ABOUT THE CITY OF DAVIS

The UC Davis campus is located in the city of Davis. Davis has a population of 66,205 and is a popular place for professionals and their families because it is safe, comfortable and has a variety of recreational opportunities. Known as an ecologically aware and socially innovative town, Davis has more than 160 kilometers of bicycle paths and boasts the highest percentage of bicycle commuters in the United States. It also has 210 hectares of parks, greenbelts and open spaces.

Davis is located in the Central Valley about 20 kilometers from Sacramento, the state capital, where many of the trade and business policies for California are determined. Davis is within two hours of the San Francisco Bay Area and the world famous Napa Valley. Only two hours from Lake Tahoe, Davis is also within close proximity to some of California's most beautiful and historic areas such as the Sierra Nevada Gold Country, Yosemite Valley and Monterey.



ADVANCED LAW DEGREE

MASTER OF LAWS (LL.M.)

A one- or two-year, in-residence program

August – May each year

The UC Davis School of Law LL.M. offers a superior educational experience for foreign lawyers, judges, prosecutors and other legal professionals. Classes are taught by outstanding faculty scholars, and students are integrated into J.D. classes. The program is designed around individual student needs, and LL.M. students can pursue a general course of study or a specialization from an area within the UC Davis School of Law curriculum such as Business Law, private and public International Law, Criminal Law and Procedure, Intellectual Property, Human Rights and Social Justice Law, Public Interest Law, Environmental and Natural Resources Law, Health Law and Bioethics and many others. Students may also take a pre-Bar study program. UC Davis offers one- and two-year options.

LL.M. candidates must complete a minimum of 20 semester units. Foreign LL.M. candidates take two courses especially designed for foreign law graduates that provide a foundation for understanding the U.S. legal system. Participants earn the remainder of their required course credit by taking regular courses at the UC Davis School of Law with American J.D. students.

The law school also admits foreign LL.M. candidates on a thesis rather than a course basis. The thesis track requires a substantial proposed research project falling within the area of expertise of a law faculty member who is willing to supervise the student's research and who strongly recommends graduate study for the applicant. The law school accepts thesis-track students only if their proposed thesis is likely to make a significant scholarly contribution.

LL.M. candidates must complete their degree during two consecutive semesters of residential study for the one-year program; please inquire about our two-year LL.M. option. LL.M. candidates are encouraged to enroll in *Orientation in U.S.A. Law*, offered the month before the Master of Laws (LL.M.) program begins.

To ensure a top quality experience for its students, the Master of Laws (LL.M.) program is selective. Applicants must have a minimum TOEFL iBT score of 88 (or 230 computer-based or 570 paper-based score). An IELTS score of 6.5 is also acceptable.

Graduates of this master's degree program have gone on to sit for the bar examinations in New York and California in order to become U.S. attorneys.

TWO-YEAR ADVANCED LL.M.

For some students, a longer period of study is vital to meeting educational and career goals. For more information about our two-year Advanced LL.M. Program, please contact LL.M. Admissions Director Concha Romero at cromero@ucdavis.edu or +1 (530) 752-6081.

SPRING START LL.M. OPTION

For some students, starting the LL.M. program in spring semester is vital to meeting educational and career goals. For more information about our Spring Start LL.M. option, please contact LL.M. Admissions Director Concha Romero at cromero@ucdavis.edu or +1 (530) 752-6081.

WHERE

University of California, Davis School of Law

COST*

Tuition for the 2017–2018 academic year was U.S. \$50,686, plus additional fees.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

We encourage students to apply by January 10th and will accept and review applications thereafter, until the academic year begins. To apply, visit law.ucdavis.edu/go/international or contact us at internationallaw@ucdavis.edu.

INSTRUCTORS

University of California, Davis, School of Law faculty

**Tuition, fees and course topics subject to change.*



“The LL.M. Program is perfect. The professors are outstanding. Davis is a quiet town and living in the United States is its own kind of education. The King Hall building is beautiful and a great place to study and to engage with classmates and faculty. Professor Greenwood and the program staff welcomed us and are always here for us, educationally and personally.”

~ Dania, Saudi Arabia,
LL.M. Program graduate

SUMMER PROGRAMS

ORIENTATION IN U.S.A. LAW

Sunday, July 8 – Saturday, August 4, 2018

PROGRAM AUDIENCE AND CONTENT

This summer we celebrate the 29th anniversary of this superior international summer law program. Lawyers, judges, prosecutors and defenders, notaries, law professors, pre-LL.M. candidates and business professionals attend this program to gain a better understanding of the theories and practices of the U.S. legal system. Participants engage in more than seven units of classes, seminars and on-site observations. At the same time, participants enrich the program with diverse perspectives from their legal systems. While the program is fast-paced, there are numerous social activities that foster the building of strong and lasting friendships and professional connections.

Academic credit from this program may be applied toward the Licentiate in International Transactions Involving the United States.

This course is open to anyone from the legal or business community. There are no admission requirements or prerequisites. This program does not require a TOEFL score. However, we do recommend that participants have a good working knowledge of the English language as all lectures are in English.

WHERE

University of California, Davis School of Law

COSTS*

Nonrefundable application fee: U.S. \$150

Tuition: U.S. \$4,795

FACULTY

University of California law school faculty and members of the legal community who have expertise in specialized areas of interest.

SAMPLE GENERAL COURSE TOPICS*

- U.S. legal system, including the Constitution, Bill of Rights, adversarial system, legislative process and courts
- Business planning and structure, contracts, commercial and consumer law, corporations and securities law
- Intellectual property law and real property law
- Torts
- Business entities
- Civil procedure
- Antitrust regulations
- Taxation
- Ethics
- Remedies

**Tuition, fees, course topics and dates subject to change.*

- Environmental law
- Domestic and international dispute resolution
- Trial demonstrations/workshops on negotiation, arbitration, mediation and other dispute resolution techniques
- Legal research and analysis

ADDITIONAL COURSE TOPICS MAY INCLUDE:

Business and trade

- Taxation
- Laws related to international trade
- Product liability, sales and warranty issues in the United States
- U.S. antitrust regulations
- Mergers and acquisitions
- Bankruptcy
- Environmental law

U.S. criminal justice system

- Structure of the criminal adversarial system
- Criminal justice agencies
- Bill of Rights protections relating to criminal charges and defendants
- Basis of criminal liability
- Federal criminal laws
- Observation of criminal justice system, including courts and prisons
- Death penalty

Judicial management

- U.S. judicial system at the local, state and federal levels
- Organization and management of the U.S. judicial system
- Administration of civil and criminal justice
- Visits to courts and meetings with judges

ORIENTATION IN U.S.A. LAW ALSO INCLUDES

LAW SCHOOL PREPARATION FOR PRE-LL.M. CANDIDATES

- Legal research and writing
- Oral presentations
- Participation in the Socratic method
- How to succeed in law school
- Briefing cases
- LexisNexis and Westlaw online computer-based legal research

SUMMER PROGRAMS

STRUCTURING INTERNATIONAL JOINT VENTURES

Sunday, August 5 – Saturday, August 18, 2018

This program is designed for experienced legal practitioners who wish to learn about complex international and U.S. business and legal transactions. Participants will acquire practical skills for representing their clients in international joint ventures. Daily classes consist of presentations by faculty followed by simulations of joint venture transactions, based on case studies. Participants will:

- Learn contract negotiation skills
- Discuss substantive issues and how these issues are incorporated into contractual language
- Examine and analyze contract models
- Learn about dispute resolution including mediation, arbitration and litigation strategies as they relate to International Joint Ventures

INSTRUCTORS

University of California law faculty, legal practitioners and business experts representing major California firms that perform international legal work.

WHERE

University of California, Davis School of Law

COSTS*

Nonrefundable application fee: U.S. \$150

Tuition: U.S. \$3,210

FACULTY

University of California law faculty, legal practitioners and business experts representing major California firms that perform international legal work.

**Tuition, fees, course topics and dates subject to change.*

SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS IN INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LAW

Intensive two-week programs that provide participants with specialized knowledge in international commercial law.

These two-week specialized programs are offered every August on a rotating three-year cycle:

THE GLOBAL TRADING SYSTEM

August 2019

FINANCING INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS

August 2020

STRUCTURING INTERNATIONAL JOINT VENTURES

August 2021



PROGRAM TOPICS*

- Structural Issues in an International Joint Venture
- Financial Considerations in Multinational Transactions
- Corporate Aspects of an International Joint Venture
- Negotiating an International Joint Venture
- Environmental Law and International Joint Ventures
- Intellectual Property Issues in an International Joint Venture
- Antitrust and Government Regulatory Issues in an International Joint Venture
- Choice of Law and Dispute Resolution
- Advanced Litigation Processes and Strategies

As part of the program, participants will discuss contract models and draft contract provisions, which will be evaluated by an experienced professional.

RESEARCH—LIBRARY AND COMPUTER

Participants can also engage in legal research through computer and library sources:

- Online computer-based legal research (Lexis/Nexis and Westlaw databases)
- Law library (treatises, practitioners' guides, form books, law firms)
- Law firm computer-based research using in-house databases

"I CHOSE THE UC DAVIS SUMMER LAW PROGRAMS because they allow lawyers to spend a few weeks each year with colleagues from all over the world in a very pleasant place. The programs are very educational in every sense, not only because of the lectures but also because of the people that you meet. The diversity of cultures, perspectives and ideas immediately expanded my perspectives."

~ Fernando, Mexico

FOLLOW UC DAVIS INTERNATIONAL LAW PROGRAMS ON



SUMMER PROGRAMS

ENGLISH FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS

Sunday, June 24 – Saturday, July 7, 2018

This two week program, designed for practicing lawyers and law students, provides an ideal training ground to improve your English communications skills, especially your legal English. The program includes the following core classes: Legal Reading and Analysis, Legal Vocabulary, Presentation and Communication Skills and a Legal Writing Seminar. English for Legal Professionals is conveniently scheduled immediately before the *Orientation in U.S.A. Law* program.

COSTS*

Nonrefundable application fee: U.S. \$150

Tuition: U.S. \$2,030

LICENSING ACADEMY IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Tentative Dates: Sunday, June 17 – Saturday, June 30, 2018

This two-week program has been developed for international lawyers, technology managers and scientific professionals in the public sector or small-to-medium enterprises who want to understand successful U.S. models of intellectual property management. Participants will learn strategies and tactics for managing intellectual property (IP) that maximize the commercial success and public benefit of their research and development investments.

The course will cover topics* such as U.S. and international IP protection, IP management for commercialization, licensing, IP issues in negotiating an international agreement, starting IP and technology transfer offices, start-ups and spin-offs from public-sector institutions.

This unique course is hosted by the UC Davis International Law Programs and Public Intellectual Property Resource for Agriculture (PIPRA). Lecturers include world renowned instructors from the UC Davis School of Law and other UC Davis campus departments, outstanding legal practitioners and business experts representing major U.S. firms.

Academic credit from the *Licensing Academy* seminar may be applied toward the summer International Commercial Law LL.M. This seminar also qualifies for continuing legal education (CLE) credit in New York and California. Please see website for complete program information, or contact us at internationallaw@ucdavis.edu.

COSTS*

Nonrefundable application fee: U.S. \$150

Tuition: U.S. \$3,230

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OTHER PROGRAMS

CUSTOMIZED TRAINING FOR ORGANIZATIONS OF ALL SIZES

We can present many of these courses and programs for your organization. Don't see exactly what you need? We'll create a customized program specifically designed to meet the needs of your law firm or company. For example, if your firm needs a one- or two-week overview of the U.S. legal system at your office for your associates in your country, we can create a program to fit your needs. In addition, if your company only desires to learn certain aspects of the American legal system, a program can be customized for any length of time. For more information or a detailed program proposal, please contact us.



JURIS DOCTORATE PROGRAM

In addition to the International Law Programs, UC Davis School of Law offers a three-year, full-time program leading to the Juris Doctor degree. King Hall's areas of strength include Business Law, Criminal Law and Procedure, Environmental and Natural Resources Law, Health Care Law and Bioethics, Human Rights and Social Justice Law, Intellectual Property Law, International Law and Public Interest Law.

At UC Davis School of Law, you'll learn from one of the nation's best law faculties. Students also gain hands-on, real-world experience in our award-winning trial and appellate advocacy programs, clinics and externship programs.

For more information and application information, please contact the J.D. Admissions Office at +1 (530) 752-6477 or by email at admissions@law.ucdavis.edu. Also, more information is available online at law.ucdavis.edu/go/international

CALIFORNIA INTERNATIONAL LAW CENTER (CILC)

Building on a tradition of international law scholarship and programs that dates to its founding more than 40 years ago, the University of California, Davis School of Law proudly launched the **California International Law Center at King Hall** in February 2009. CILC (pronounced "silk") fosters the work of faculty, students and alumni in international, comparative and transnational law through speakers series, curricular and career development, and partnership with organizations such as the American Society of International Law and the Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights. Our location in California, a state that enjoys both the most diverse population in the nation and one of the largest economies in the world, positions us well in this effort.

For more information, visit us at law.ucdavis.edu/centers



STUDENT LIFE

Students at UC Davis School of Law enjoy a thriving community inside and outside of King Hall. From first-rate campus resources to attractions in Davis and across Northern California, here's a look at what UC Davis offers our dynamic student body. There's something for everyone!

FRIENDLY COLLEGE TOWN

Outdoor cafés

Farmers Market and movie theaters

Community parks, swimming, tennis courts and equestrian center

Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts

Manetti Shrem Museum of Art

EXCEPTIONAL CAMPUS SETTING

UC Davis Arboretum—41 hectares of beautiful gardens

The “Bike Capital of the United States” with more than 160 kilometers of bicycle lanes and paths

A short drive to San Francisco, Silicon Valley, Napa Valley, Lake Tahoe and Yosemite National Park

VIBRANT LAW STUDENT COMMUNITY

51 student-led cultural, academic, social and political organizations

Five student-run journals

UC DAVIS CAMPUS SERVICES

UC Davis International Center

Activities and Recreation Center

Student Community Center

Services for International Students and Scholars

Student Health and Wellness Center

Student Disability Center



GENERAL INFORMATION

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOXES.

Complete and return this form by fax or contact us by email. We will send you a detailed Information Handbook that provides more information.

- Master of Laws (LL.M.)
- Orientation in U.S.A. Law
- Structuring International Joint Ventures
- English for Legal Professionals
- Licensing Academy in Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer
- Licentiate in International Transactions Involving the United States
- Juris Doctorate Program
- Customized Training

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE INTERNATIONAL LAW PROGRAMS?

- Advertisement (publication): _____
- Bar association Brochure Friend or colleague
- Internet search, please specify search engine
(i.e., Google, Yahoo!, Bing): _____
- Law school _____
- University poster _____
- Web page _____
- Other _____

Name (please circle family name) Male Female

Organization _____

Business address or Home address

City _____ State or province _____

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Email _____ If you do not wish to receive periodic email announcements, check this box .

We encourage you to register by June 1, 2018. Since enrollment for these programs is limited, we recommend you register early to ensure your enrollment.

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International Programs

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