

Duquesne University School of Law Summer Study of Law in China May & June 2017

Abbreviations used in this Program:

DUQ=Duquesne University (School of Law)

SWUPL=Southwest University of Political Science and the Law

ZJU=Zhejiang University Guanghua Law School

I. Faculty and Staff

Duquesne:

Co-Directors: Associate Dean and Professor Jacob Rooksby
Professor Steven Baicker-McKee

Administrator: Ms. Robin Connors

Advisor: Associate Dean and Professor Frank Liu

China:

Chinese Faculty Director: Professor/Dr. Chu Zhang
Professor of Law and Director, Center for Intellectual Property
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International Adjunct Professor, Duquesne University,
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Beijing Coordinator: Ms. (Violet) Qingzi Luo, Esq.

Chongqing Coordinator: Ms. Julia Ju, Senior Program Officer, SWUPL International and
Exchange Center

Hangzhou Coordinator: Mr. Jidong Zhang, ZJU Director of Continuing Education
Center

II. Overview of Academic Content

Students will earn up to 5 academic credits through participating in the program. The program consists of three distinct courses, each of which will be graded separately on Duquesne's standard letter scale. Grades earned in these courses will count toward students' QPA and graduation requirements, and may also be used to fulfill concentration requirements.

Students are required to attend all lectures and sponsored excursions during the program. The examination for these courses will occur on the final day of the program, and will consist of a combination of multiple-choice and essay questions. Students will be permitted to refer to notes during the exam, provided that they took the notes themselves during the course of the program.

The following provides an overview of the courses, as further detailed in Part III below:

Chinese Language, Culture, Legal History, and Law – 1 credit

This course will introduce students to the overview of Chinese language, culture, legal history, and law, including classroom instruction at Duquesne, augmented with in-person visits to sites of legal and cultural importance in China. Course taught by Associate Dean Frank Y. Liu. Course held at Duquesne and on-site at legal and cultural institutions in China.

Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context – 2 credits

This course will provide an overview of U.S. energy policy and regulation and environmental laws and regulation, including challenges and enforcement through the administrative agency and court systems. Guest lectures by partner faculty at SWUPL will provide comparative perspective on energy and environmental law in China. Course taught by Professor Steven Baicker-McKee. Course held at SWUPL.

Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context – 2 credits

This course will cover the basic features of U.S. intellectual property law, including how one obtains and enforces copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets, and patents. Guest lectures with partner faculty at ZJU will provide comparative perspective on how intellectual property laws function in China. Course taught by Associate Dean Jacob H. Rooksby. Course held at ZJU.

III. Itinerary

Week 1: Duquesne and Beijing

Monday, May 22

8:30 – 12:30: Chinese Language, Culture, Legal History, and Law

Tuesday, May 23

8:30 – 10:50: Chinese Language, Culture, Legal History, and Law (cont'd)

Wednesday, May 24

Depart for Beijing

Thursday, May 25

Arrive in Beijing

Opening Dinner (Peking duck)

Friday, May 26

Tour Tian'anmen Square, Forbidden City, and Summer Palace

Saturday, May 27

Tour Great Wall and Olympic Stadiums

Sunday, May 28

Depart for Xian by air in the Afternoon

Week 2 : Xian and Chongqing at SWUPL

Monday, May 29

Tour Terra Cotta Warriors
Dumpling dinner

Tuesday, May 30

Tour Big Wild Goose Pagoda, Ancient City Wall, and Provincial History Museum
Depart for Chongqing in the afternoon

Wednesday, May 31

8:30 – 1:00: Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context

Thursday, June 1

8:30 – 1:00: Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Friday, June 2

8:30 – 1:00: Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Saturday, June 3

Free time to explore Chongqing

Sunday, June 4

Free time to explore Chongqing

Week 3: Chongqing at SWUPL and Shanghai

Monday, June 5

8:30 – 1:00: Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Tuesday, June 6

8:30 – 1:00: Energy & Environmental Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Wednesday, June 7

8:30 – 1:00: Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context

Thursday, June 8

8:30 – 1:00: Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Friday, June 9

8:30 – 1:00: Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)
Depart for Shanghai by air in the afternoon

Saturday, June 10

Free time to explore Shanghai

Sunday, June 11

Free time to explore Shanghai
Depart for Hangzhou by high-speed train in the late afternoon
Group dinner in Hangzhou

Week 4: Hangzhou at ZJU

Monday, June 12

8:30 – 1:00: Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Tuesday, June 13

8:30 – 1:00: Intellectual Property Law in Comparative Context (cont'd)

Wednesday, June 14

Examination at ZJU
Closing Dinner

Thursday, June 15

Depart for the U.S.