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INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, LAW AND DIPLOMACY SUMMER PROGRAM

JUNE 6 - JUNE 24, WASHINGTON, DC
JUNE 27 - JULY 8, GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

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MESSAGE FROM DEAN GOODMAN, DEAN GROSSMAN

In today's global society, there is a rising need for professionals educated to take multi-faceted approaches to contemporary challenges. American University's School of International Service and Washington College of Law are dedicated to educating citizens to be of service in the wider world. Both institutions are important centers for the study of international organizations, law and diplomacy. Accordingly we are delighted to announce our partnership in a joint venture aimed at addressing the complexities of the modern global political era. The new multidisciplinary Program on International Organizations, Law and Diplomacy, bridging the international centers of Washington, D.C. and Geneva, Switzerland promises to open an exciting chapter in the life of American University and the larger study of global governance. We hope you will join us in this exceptional new venture.

Sincerely,



Louis Goodman, Dean
School of International Service



Claudio Grossman, Dean
Washington College of Law

MESSAGE FROM DIRECTOR PORTALES

This new multidisciplinary Summer Program opens outstanding opportunities to participants interested in international organizations, law and diplomacy. While taking courses in this program, participants will have substantive contact through lectures, visits, and participation in activities with a wide variety of the most important international organizations both in Washington, D.C. and in Geneva, Switzerland. In D.C., attendees will meet with officials at the IMF, World Bank, MIGA, OAS, IDB and others. In Geneva, they will participate in activities at organizations such as the WIPO, ILO, WTO, International Committee of the Red Cross and the Office of the High Commissioner on Human Rights. Students can expect direct contact with high officials and to be acquainted with multilateral cooperation and decision-making processes. This invaluable experience aims to educate through both coursework and experiential learning so that, upon completion, participants have gained the contacts and tools to make a real impact on a global scale. We hope you will join us in this exciting opportunity.

Sincerely,



Carlos Portales, Director
Program on International Organizations, Law and Diplomacy

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

Globalization and the changing architecture of global governance pose many challenges to governments and to other international actors. These challenges require scholars and practitioners to rethink the nature of global governance in contemporary international society and to find new ways of understanding multilateralism, international organizations, and rules and practices. American University's School of International Service (SIS) and its Washington College of Law (WCL) have created a new multidisciplinary Program on International Organizations, Law and Diplomacy, combining legal, diplomatic and social scientific approaches to the study of multilateralism.

The Program will cover all aspects of international organizations, including political, juridical, security, economic, social and cultural dimensions. The theory and practice of contemporary international organizations, law and diplomacy will be taught through courses, conferences and seminars and experiential learning with international organizations in Washington and Geneva.

The Summer Program will be open to participants from AU graduate schools, as well as to U.S. and international students from other academic institutions, officials from international organization and individuals working for governments or in the private sector. Successful completion of the requirements will lead to a IOLD Certificate of Completion. Matriculated AU students, including those from SIS and WCL, can receive coursework credit; students from other universities should inquire at their home institutions about the transfer of academic credit.



COURSES:

WASHINGTON, D.C.

June 6th - June 24th, 2011

- **The Law of International Organizations**
- **International Development Organizations**
- **The Law and Politics of the International Criminal Court**
- **Law and Diplomacy in Regional Organizations (ASEAN, Latin America, and Africa)**
- **European Union Law, Policy and Diplomacy**
- **The Role of International Organizations in Crisis Situations (The Case of Kosovo)**
- **International Institutions and Environmental Protection**

GENEVA

June 27th - July 8th, 2011

- **The World Trade Organization: Rule Making and Dispute Settlement**
- **The World Intellectual Property Organization and the New Challenges**
- **Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law: New Challenges**
- **The International Labor Organization Decent Work Agenda**

FACULTY EXPERTS:

Paul Williams, JD Stanford, Ph.D. Cambridge

Luca Barbone, Ph.D. Massachusetts Institute of Technology

David Bosco, JD Harvard

Amitav Acharya, Ph.D. Murdoch (Australia)

Patrick Ukata, Ph. D. American, LL.M. New York University

Carlos Portales, MA Stanford

Fernanda Nicola, SJD Harvard, Ph.D. Trento (Italy)

Ryan Vogel, JD American

David Hunter, JD Harvard

Padideh Ala'i, JD Harvard

Christine Farley, J.S.D. Columbia, JD University at Buffalo

Diego Rodriguez-Pinzon, SJD George Washington

Claudia Martin, LL.M. American

FEES & CREDITS*:

Fees for students seeking academic credit**

1 Credit	\$1,578
6 Credits or More	\$9,468

IOLD Certificate of Completion

1 course	\$1,200
2 courses	\$1,950
3 courses	\$2,700
4 courses or more	\$3,450

AUWCL Alumni and Non-Profit Rates

1 course	\$ 900
2 courses	\$1,450
3 courses	\$2,000
4 courses or more	\$2,600

Non-refundable Application fee: \$100

Tuition includes reading materials.

*Note about credits for law students: JD students may take up to 6 credits in the Washington, D.C. portion of the program. However, JD students intending to go to Geneva must take a minimum of 4 credit hours in the D.C. portion of the program but may increase credit hours earned to a total of 6 through the course activities with international organizations in Geneva.

**These fees include the cost of course materials, housing (only in Geneva), some transportation and some meals.

APPLICATION DEADLINES:

April, 18th 2011

Foreign applicants, please check with the U.S. consulate regarding visa requirement as early as possible. More information at www.wcl.american.edu/internationalorganizations