



SUMMER IN SPAIN

EL ESCORIAL LAW PROGRAM

MAY 25 - JUNE 25, 2019



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EL ESCORIAL-MADRID LAW PROGRAM

May 25 - June 25, 2019

IMAGINE SPENDING YOUR SUMMER IN THE HEART OF ESPAÑA!

Nestled in the Guadarrama mountain range, only 45 minutes from Madrid, stands the town of San Lorenzo de El Escorial.

Its urban layout is composed of a harmonious collection of ancestral homes in the unique architectural style that emerged at the beginning of the 16th century, quaint avenues, and small squares also built in an earlier style.

Its location offers many opportunities for leisure and cultural exploration.



“Outstanding experience! One of the most memorable experiences of my life! Thank you!

-Student,
Barry University School of Law

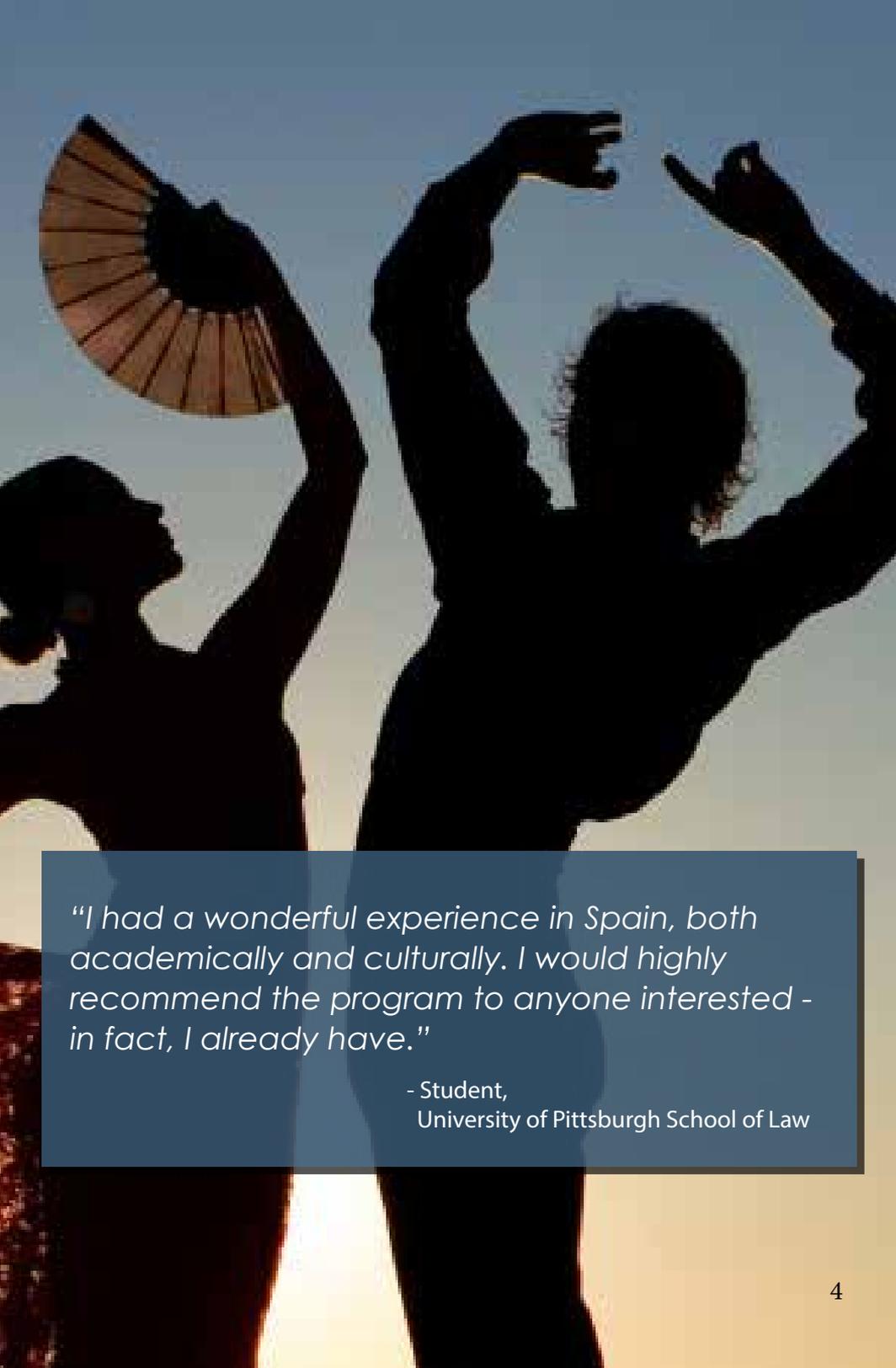


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TOP REASONS TO **STUDY ABROAD**

- Earn six credits towards your law degree
- Immersion in a foreign legal culture provides students with a comprehensive understanding of global legal systems.
- Studying abroad exposes students to unique cultural and linguistic contexts.
- Helps to prepare students to network, negotiate, and collaborate across multiple jurisdictions
- Provides personal and professional opportunities only available in our study abroad program.
- International and comparative study broadens students' perspectives on the American legal system as they get the opportunity to study contrasting laws.



"I had a wonderful experience in Spain, both academically and culturally. I would highly recommend the program to anyone interested - in fact, I already have."

- Student,
University of Pittsburgh School of Law

SPANISH CULTURE & RECREATION

Madrid is home to more than 40 museums; the most famous two – the Prado and the new Thyssen – are within walking distance of each other. The Reina Sofia and Palacio Real museums are an easy walk from either the train or bus stops.

Local recreation includes golf on a beautiful 18-hole course, horseback riding, tennis, and swimming. A modern, well-equipped gymnasium is located in El Escorial.

Weekend trips are at the option of the student and should be arranged through reputable travel agents.

Due to the accelerated pace at which the curriculum is pursued, Monday through Friday afternoons should be devoted to study.



THINGS TO DO IN MADRID

Experience flamenco. Madrid is a stage for some of the best flamenco dancers in the world. Visit a flamenco restaurant for the perfect night-out.

See a bullfight. The best bullfighters show off their skills in Madrid.



Take an open-topped bus tour. See the most important sights and monuments in under two hours, enabling you to choose which to visit later.

Eat at the world's oldest restaurant. Botin Restaurant is recognized as such in the Guinness Book of Records.



Walk in the Park. Enjoy the wide open spaces, rose-garden, boating lake, and the wonderful street theater at the Retiro Park.

Try some tapas. The quintessential and ubiquitous Spanish food.

Take a ride on Madrid's cable car. The Teleférico gives visitors wonderful panoramic views of many of the capital's best sights & attractions.

Go to the Rastro. Madrid's weekly flea market allows you to buy almost anything under the sun!

CURRICULUM AND GRADING

The Spain curriculum is designed to prepare students to practice law in the globalized atmosphere of the 21st century by broadening their understanding of International and Civil Law. Four, 3-credit courses are generally offered and each student must enroll in two of the four courses available.

Final grades for the courses (using the A, B+, C+, C, C-, D, and F grading system) will be delivered to the Registrar of St. Thomas University School of Law.

All credits and grades transfer to St. Thomas and Barry students. For other schools, the transferability of credits and grades will be determined by the student's law school, and inquiries must be addressed prior to travel.

COURSE OFFERINGS MAY INCLUDE*:

Human Trafficking Law and Policy
International Aviation Law
Comparative Public Health Law
Comparative Environmental Law
International Criminal Law

International Copyright
International Treasure Salvage
Internet Governance
Human Rights and Religion

**Does not represent a comprehensive list of courses offered during the Spain program, nor does it imply that the course listed will be offered during any given year.*



All courses comply with the standards of the American Bar Association and the program has been approved by the Accreditation committee of the ABA Section on Legal Education.

Students must purchase required casebooks and text materials prior to departure for Spain. Enrollment is limited to 140 students.

ACCOMMODATIONS

The Summer-in-Spain tuition includes a double-occupancy hotel room for 31 days at Hotel Florida or Los Lanceros Hotel, daily buffet breakfast buffet, a mid-day meal, as well as use of the community sports facility which is located a short distance from the hotel. A limited number of single-occupancy rooms are available for an additional charge.

HOTEL AMENITIES

Air conditioning

Television

Private Bath

Mini Fridge

Telephone

Free Internet Accessibility (WiFi)

Dining Facilities

Public space for studying and/or socializing



GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS

Admissions Requirements

Candidates from U.S. law schools must be in good standing at an ABA or state-approved law school and have completed one year of law studies at the time of the summer program, or have a J.D. (or equivalent) degree.* Students must arrange for their home law school to send a transcript and letter of good standing. Current St. Thomas Law students whose records are already on file need only fill out the application form; the requirements of a transcript and letter of good standing are waived. Candidates from non-U.S. law schools must also have completed one year of legal studies in their home countries and must arrange forwarding of a certified translation of their transcript or equivalent official documentation of their studies. Attorneys admitted, or to be admitted to the bar in their respective home countries may also be admitted to the Summer in Spain Program.

GPA

Students from Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law must have a cumulative GPA of 2.3 to apply to the Program. Students from St. Thomas University School of Law must have a cumulative GPA of 2.3 to apply to the Program. The required GPA for each university must be maintained and achieved, at the end of the corresponding spring semester, in order to attend the Spain Program. If a student receives a cumulative GPA below the requirement of their university, the student will not be allowed to participate in the Program.

Accreditation

Barry University and St. Thomas University are accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia, 30033- 4097; telephone number (404) 679-4501) to award Bachelor, Master, and Juris Doctor degrees. St. Thomas University School of Law and Barry University School of Law are accredited by the American Bar Association (ABA). St. Thomas University School of Law is accredited by the American Association of Law Schools (AALS).



Transportation

Students attending the Summer in Spain Program are expected to make their own arrangements for transportation to and from Spain. Early booking is advised.

Disabled Students

Compared with those in the United States, most cities in Europe, including El Escorial, are not as accessible for individuals with physical disabilities. Though hotel facilities have modern elevators, they are not generally accessible to individuals with physical and mobility challenges.

Insurance

St. Thomas University School of Law and Barry University School of Law will not be responsible for personal injury or illness or for loss or damage to personal property in the program. We advise participants to take out health insurance for their trip, insurance for lost or damaged baggage, and accident and trip cancellation insurance.

Non-Discrimination Policy

St. Thomas University School of Law and Barry University School of Law are equal opportunity institutions of higher education, conform to all applicable laws prohibiting discrimination, and are committed to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, social condition, sex, sexual orientation, age, and disability in its programs and activities. The Director of the Program has been designated to handle inquires regarding the non-discrimination policies.

Privacy Act

Barry University School of Law and St. Thomas University School of Law adhere to the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, which addresses students' rights with regard to educational records maintained by the law school and the university. Students are permitted to review their educational records upon written request. However, letters of good standing, transcripts, certificates of completion, and diplomas are not released until all financial obligations to the law school and the university have been met. Students may challenge the content of records considered to be inaccurate and may control disclosures from their records with certain exceptions.

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Persons for whom English is not the native language must certify to the satisfaction of the Director, by submitting a TOEFL score, a letter from an instructor, or a description of their language instruction and experience, that they are able to follow instruction in English.

2019 Spain Program Schedule

Saturday, May 25	3 p.m. hotel check-in
Sunday, May 26	Orientation and Evening Welcome Reception
Monday, May 27	First day of classes
Friday, June 21	Last day of classes
Saturday, June 22	Exam Day
Sunday, June 23	Exam Day
Monday, June 24	Exam Day
Tuesday, June 25	Exam Day
Tuesday, June 25	Check out of hotel



2019 REGISTRATION AND COMPOSITE FEES

Registration Fee:	\$75
Payable at time of registration	
Non-refundable unless applicant is denied admission	
Composite Fee:	\$7,900
Includes tuition, buffet breakfast, mid-day meal and use of the community sports facilities. Based upon double occupancy for 31 days.	
Total Program Cost:	\$7,975
Based upon double occupancy	
Single occupancy available for additional fee:	\$900
Limited number of rooms available	

Payment Schedule

The Spain registration fee of \$75 must be received at the time of online application. If an applicant is denied admission, the registration will be refunded. Notification of cancellation must be received no later than May 15, 2019.

Students Applying for Financial Aid

Students applying for financial aid should contact their school's financial aid advisor.

Applications for financial aid should be processed no later than February 2019. Payment of the balance of the composite fee will be deferred until the student receives their financial aid/loan checks.

Students Not Applying for Financial Aid

Students not applying for financial aid for the Spain Program must pay one half of the balance of the composite fee by April 2, 2019 and the remaining balance by April 30, 2019. In the event that the program or any course is cancelled due to insufficient enrollment or unavailability of faculty members, all payments will be refunded.

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2019 Summer in Spain Curriculum

MORNING SESSIONS

Students choose one course from the morning session and one course from the late morning/afternoon session.

CONFLICT OF LAWS

LAW 866 (3 credits)

Professor Alfred Light

Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 10:50 am

With the expansion of communications in the world it is inevitable that there will arise in most every lawyer's practice a conflict between and among the laws of the several jurisdictions involved in even the least complex of legal transactions. This course takes the student from the classroom to the courtroom in understanding these problems. The development of the Internet has generated many new and difficult problems dealing with traditional conflict of laws. Conflicts in contractual and marital problems are considered as are conflicts in the international setting. An important aspect of the course is preparing the practitioner to detect a lack of conflicts, which saves time and expense of litigation.

Conflict of Laws course materials typically include topics covered in a rudimentary way in the first year Civil Procedure course such as domicile, personal jurisdiction, the Erie Doctrine, choice of law, and recognition of judgments (including preclusion), all topics covered on the Multistate Bar Examination.

BOOK: Richman, Reynold & Whytock, UNDERSTANDING CONFLICT OF LAWS (Lexis Nexis, 4th Edition, 2013) ISBN 978-0-76986449-5

INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

LAW-955, 3 credits

Prof. Keith Rizzardi

Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 10:50 am

Although there are hundreds of international legal instruments containing provisions addressing "environmental" issues, international environmental law remains in a formative stage. Modern international environmental law began in 1972 with the United Nations Stockholm Conference on the Human Environment and the establishment of the United Nations Environment Program ("UNEP"). While there was an explosion of U.S. domestic environmental law during the decade of 1970s, actual progress of the global community has been slow. Trade and environmental issues began to emerge in the late 1980s. Today, U.S. foreign policy, international financial institutions such as the World Bank, non-governmental organizations, and UNEP probably make the field of international environmental policy more active, important, and interesting to policy analysts than domestic environmental policy. A policy analysis approach to international environmental law presumes some familiarity with sources of international law and their limitations, material not typically addressed in the required law school curriculum. After a short introduction to principles of international law and environmental policy, we will survey many of the most critical global environmental concerns. Our focus will be on the relative effectiveness of international environmental regimes.

LATE MORNING SESSIONS

COMPARATIVE LAW AND RELIGION

LAW-804A, 3 CREDITS

PROFESSOR EANG NGOV

Monday - Friday, 11:00 am - 12:50 pm

This course will provide a comparative approach to religion. The focus on U.S. law will be on the interpretation and application of the Free Exercise Clause and the Establishment Clause of the First Amendment. A variety of judicial, historical, and theoretical readings will be assigned to illustrate historical tensions between law and religion in the United States. We will explore theories of neutrality, separation, and accommodation that have been advanced for the Establishment Clause. The focus on international law will be illustrated through Article 9 of the European Convention of Human Rights and the interpretations by the European Court of Human Rights. Modern considerations of Christianity and sharia law will be examined. To ensure a robust and thoughtful discussion, students are requested to be respectful of differing views.

BOOK: Ravitch & Becker, LAW AND RELIGION: CASE, MATERIALS & READINGS, 3rd Edition (West) ISBN 978-0314284075

GLOBAL LEGAL SKILLS

LAW-832A2, 3 CREDITS

PROFESSOR CATHREN PAGE

Monday - Friday, 11:00 am - 12:50 pm

Whether at home or abroad, the best advocates know how to find an answer and adapt to audiences. While attorneys gain substantial knowledge to pass the bar and earn their degrees, legal problem-solving is a lawyer's greatest strength. This course provides a starting point for problem-solving in foreign and international forums and for adapting verbal, non-verbal, and written communication styles to various audiences and forums. Through examples based on real world scenarios, students in this course will practice hands-on, in-class exercises on matters like cross-cultural client counseling and adaptation to differences in communicating and advocating in foreign and international forums. Upon successfully completing this course, students will employ strengths and skills to venture into new territory. In these new settings, students can problem solve and find answers regarding issues involving foreign clients or parties, regarding issues in international forums, and regarding issues in other nation-states' forums.

BOOK: Moylan & Thompson's GLOBAL LAWYERING SKILLS, 2nd Edition (West), ISBN 978-1683283171

2019 Summer in Spain Faculty



Alfred R. (Fred) Light is Professor of Law at the St. Thomas University School of Law and, beginning in 2018, Director of its Summer-in-Spain program. At St. Thomas, he currently teaches Conflict of Laws, Federal Courts, How Lawyers Get Paid, Law Office Management, Legislation and Regulation, and various Environmental courses, mostly on-line. He also serves as the law school's Chair of the Committee on Tenure, Promotion, and Reappointment.

In the 1980s, he was Counsel in the Energy and Environmental Team at Hunton & Williams (now Hunton Andrews Kurth), with practice before various federal and state agencies and the Congress, including especially regarding amendments to the Comprehensive Environmental Response,

Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA or Superfund). Professor Light has written a treatise on the statute. He also has taught in the Department of Political Science and Center for Public Service at Texas Tech University, after receiving his Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He served to Captain in the U.S. Army Reserve. He was Interim Dean at St. Thomas University the year he received tenure there. He is the recipient of grants and fellowships from the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. He was director of STU's LLM Program in Environmental Sustainability, and became Director of the Summer-in-Spain program in 2018, in which he had previously participated numerous times.

Over the years, Professor Light has also had extensive service as chair of various committees in the American Bar Association's Sections of Environment, Energy and Resources Law, and Tort and Insurance Practice, as well as serving on the Board of the Association of Climate Change Officers (ACCO).



Before joining Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law, Professor Eang Ngov practiced domestically and internationally. She served as a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in Washington and a Civilian Attorney to the Department of the Army JAG Corps in Germany. The U.S. Department of the Army awarded her the Commander's Award for Civilian Service and Performance Awards for her legal service to deploying soldiers and their families during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Her scholarship focuses on individual rights and Equal Protection, and her writing has appeared in *American University Law Review*, *Loyola University Chicago Law Journal*, and *Tennessee Law Review*.

Professor Ngov has taught Constitutional Law, Federal Jurisdiction, First Amendment, Civil Procedure, and Trial Advocacy. Prior to joining the Barry faculty, she taught at Florida A&M University College of Law, where she established the Prosecution Clinic.



Professor Cathren Page has presented nationally and internationally regarding legal skills topics, such as Cultural Competence, Applied Legal Storytelling, and Skills Instruction. Some of her recent speaking engagements include No Strangers in Fiction: Using Story to Teach Cultural Competence at the Global Legal Skills conference in Monterrey, Mexico and Astonishingly Excellent Success or Sad! Loser! Failure: Why Propaganda Narratives ‘Win’ with Some Audiences and ‘Lose’ with Others at the Global Legal Skills conference in Melbourne, Australia in December 2018. She has published numerous Applied Legal Storytelling articles and is one of the most published scholars in that field. Her OpEds

on legal narratives have been published in Salon.com and Ms. Magazine blog. A retired litigator and appellate attorney and professor with over ten years teaching experience, she has taught courses including Evidence, Appellate Advocacy, Practice-Ready Affidavits (including client interviewing procedures), Bar Essays, Legal Research and Writing, and Advanced Legal Research and Writing. She has also co-chaired committees for the Legal Writing Institute, an over 500 member organization, and AALS’s Legal Writing, Research, and Reasoning section.



Keith W. Rizzardi joined the St. Thomas Law faculty as a visitor in 2011, and his action-oriented scholarship helped him become a tenured Professor of Law. His articles helped convince the Florida Legislature to change the public records laws, the Florida Board of Bar Examiners to modify its application for admission, and the architectural profession to contemplate the ethics of coastal construction in the face of rising seas. His areas of teaching and scholarship include administrative law, civil procedure, environmental law, negotiation, professional responsibility and regulatory compliance. A passionate voice on matters involving climate change, rising seas, and professional ethics, he helped develop the code of ethics for the Association of Climate Change Officers, and shared his insights with

students at the Yale Law School, the UNESCO Water Institute in the Netherlands, and the China University of Political Science and Law in Beijing. Prior to joining the academy, Prof. Rizzardi was an accomplished public servant. With the U.S. Department of Justice, he litigated wildlife and water disputes from Washington, D.C. to Hawaii. As a managing attorney for the South Florida Water Management District, he navigated the intense politics of regulating and protecting the Everglades watershed. As Chair of the U.S. Marine Fisheries Advisory Committee, he helped NOAA Fisheries develop policies and solutions to ocean issues from aquaculture to rising seas. And as Chair of the Florida Bar Government Lawyer Section, he appeared before the Florida Supreme Court to help refine the professionalism rules. A Board Certified Specialist in State & Federal Administrative Practice, Professor Rizzardi is currently working on a West Academic Press casebook on Administrative Law, and previously contributed to a Carolina Academic Press casebook on civil procedure. He continues to contribute to the practice of law by consulting or appearing as an expert witness in malpractice and complex litigation matters, by writing proposed opinions and rules for the Florida Bar Professional Ethics Committee, and by mediating employment disputes for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia (B.A. 1991), University of Florida (J.D. 1994) and Florida Atlantic University (M.P.A. 1998).

NETHERLANDS WATER LAW PROGRAM

May 14 - 22, 2019

In addition to Summer in Spain Program, students have the option of attending a one-week program in the Netherlands.

Based in Delft, Netherlands, the program runs from Tuesday, May 14, 2019 – Wednesday, May 22, 2019; a week prior to the Summer in Spain program.



2019 SCHEDULE

Tuesday, May 14	Arrival and Orientation
Wednesday, May 15	Class
Thursday, May 16	Class
Friday, May 17	Class
Saturday, May 18	Field Trip
Sunday, May 19	Free Time *
Monday, May 20	Class
Tuesday, May 21	Class
Wednesday, May 22	Check Out

TUITION

Cost of the program is \$1,750.00 and includes tuition for the one-credit course, lodging, and the costs of the bus and admissions fees for the field trips. Students will incur additional expenses for plane and train tickets, food, drink and entertainment. A \$750.00 non-refundable deposit is due by January 25, 2019 and the second payment of \$1,000.00 will be due in April 30, 2019.

ATTENDANCE

Students must attend ALL weekday sessions. One pre-trip lecture will be held at Barry University and St. Thomas University in Spring 2019.

COURSE DESCRIPTION FOR NETHERLANDS WATER LAW

International Water Law

LLME 503A/LAW 503A (1 credit)

Professor Keith Rizzardi

This course compares the formal institutional informal intergovernmental structures that shape water law, policy, and management in the Netherlands and in Florida. The course also explores the challenges of regulating and adapting to sea level rise. Assisted by faculty from UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education, the program includes briefings on U.S. and Florida water management at UNESCO-IHE in Delft, and field trips to destinations such as the windmills at Kinderdijk and the flood control structures in Zeeland.



Professor Keith Rizzardi
Director, Netherlands Water Law Program



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