



WILLIAM & MARY LAW SCHOOL

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William & Mary Law School Semester Abroad / Exchange Application

Fall Semester 20: _____

Name: _____

Preferred first name: _____

W&M ID #: _____

Gender: M _____ F _____ Other _____

W&M Email address: _____

Telephone: _____

Academic Standing: 2L _____ 3L _____

GPA: _____

Choose Program or Programs (in order of preference):

Exchange Programs:

_____ China University of Political Science and Law (Beijing, China)

_____ Instituto de Empressa (Madrid, Spain)

_____ Keio Law School (Tokyo, Japan)

_____ Fudan University (Shanghai, China)

Essay Questions:

Please respond to the following on a separate sheet.

- What do you hope to achieve by studying abroad, and how do you expect it to enhance your professional goals? (max. 500 word response)
- Briefly describe any international experiences you have had (broadly defined to encompass any experiences that required you to interact with people from another culture, whether here or abroad), and how those experiences may have encouraged you to study abroad.

Degree Requirements:

Please indicate what degree requirements, other than required credit hours, you still need to meet in your third year. Note that you may NOT satisfy the major writing requirement abroad:

Student Conduct:

Have you been in violation of the student code of conduct while in college or law school?

No _____ Yes _____ (If yes, please explain): _____

Are you currently on academic probation? No _____ Yes _____

I give permission to the Registrar to release my student conduct and academic records to the International Exchange Student Selection Committee.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit completed application to Associate Dean for Student Affairs & Academic Support, [Brian Wall](#) between January and the Friday before spring break, with the following items (incomplete applications will not be accepted):

1. Unofficial copy of your academic transcript
2. Resume
3. Essay question responses

Criteria for Selection:

- Ability to adapt to and thrive in a foreign educational experience;
- Significance of a foreign legal educational experience to the student's long-term educational and professional goals;
- Satisfactory law school academic performance, generally considered to be a GPA or 3.3 or higher;
- Ability to be a good representative/ambassador for the Law School, and;
- Overall quality of the application package.

Selection Committee will consist of a number of faculty and administrative staff members. Selections to be made by March 15th, and selected students will meet with law school administration to discuss course selections.

Associate Dean for Student Affairs & Academic Support, Brian Wall, brwall@wm.edu