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2015 Academy of American and International Law



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May 17 – June 26, 2015

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SWIICL is an Institute of
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Highlights

- A hands-on introduction to the U.S. legal system and international business law.
- Learn from top legal scholars and practitioners.
- Remarkable multi-cultural environment - Interact with participants from over 20 countries.
- Form international alliances that last a lifetime.
- Sharpen English-language skills through total immersion.
- Return better able to represent the interests of clients.

Earn 3 hours of credit towards a Master of Laws degree at Southern Methodist University's Dedman School of Law.

About the ACADEMY OF AMERICAN AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

OVERVIEW OF COURSES

Bankruptcy

Business Organizations

Contract Law

International Business
Transactions

International Commercial
Arbitration

International Litigation in U.S.
Courts

Intellectual Property Law

Introduction to the U.S.
Legal System, Including the
Distinction Between Common
Law and Civil Law Systems

Legal Accounting

Legal Writing in Plain English

Mergers and Acquisitions

Mock Trial – Conducting a
Civil Trial in U.S. Courts

Negotiations and Mediation

Professional Responsibility
and Legal Ethics

Securities Regulation

Symposium on Global
Markets

Taxation of International
Transactions

Transnational Arbitration
Workshop



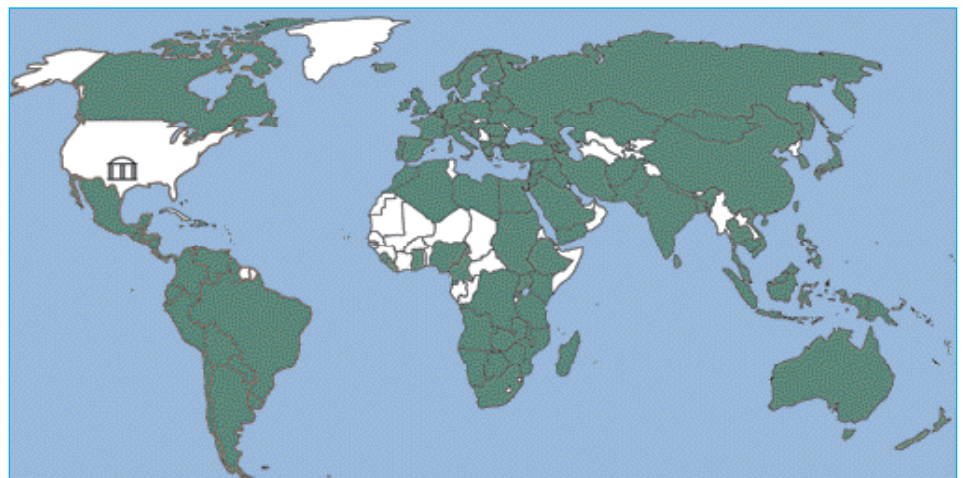
The Academy is a **six-week** business-oriented course of study that addresses a wide range of law-related commercial topics. It gives lawyers and judges from outside the United States an opportunity to study American law and international business transactions.

The program is particularly valuable for those who work for multi-national corporations or law firms that represent either U.S. clients or multi-national clients with U.S. interests.

The interactive curriculum includes lectures, small group discussions, a mock trial, writing exercises, a mock law firm problem, and much more.

Since **1963**, more than **3,100** participants from **121** countries have taken part in the Academy.

Past attendees have advanced to positions such as Prime Minister of Peru, President of the General Assembly of the United Nations and Chief Justice of the Philippines; as well as lead counsel to many major corporations. **Learn more at cailaw.org/iicl**



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AMONG THE ACADEMY FACULTY



JACK J. COE, JR.

(International Commercial Arbitration) is a professor at Pepperdine University School of Law. He has chaired the Academic Council of the Institute for Transnational Arbitration. Prof. Coe is a reporter for the Restatement of the U.S.

Law of International Commercial Arbitration. He authored *International Commercial Arbitration: American Principles and Practice in a Global Context*, and has co-authored and co-edited two other books.



CHARLES B. DOLEAC

(Legal Ethics and Professional Responsibility) is a partner in the Portsmouth, New Hampshire law firm of Boynton, Waldron, Doleac, Woodman & Scott. He has developed and moderated applied ethics programs for lawyers, court-appointed mediators, and law enforcement

professionals in the United States and Canada.



BRYAN A. GARNER

(Legal Writing), is the editor-in-chief of Black's Law Dictionary. His books include *Garner's Modern American Usage and Elements of Legal Style*. He has co-authored two books with U.S. Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia: *Making Your Case: The Art of Persuading Judges* and *Reading*

Law: The Interpretation of Legal Texts. Prof. Garner is also a Distinguished Research Professor of Law at Southern Methodist University's Dedman School of Law.



CHARLES H. GUSTAFSON

(International Tax Law) is Professor of Law and former Associate Dean for International and Graduate Programs at the Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C.. Prof. Gustafson is co-author of several casebooks on federal income taxation, including *Taxation of International*

Transactions.

SUSAN L. KARAMANIAN

(U.S. Justice System; Common Law vs. Civil Law) is Associate Dean for International and Comparative Legal Studies and Professorial Lecturer in Law at the George Washington University Law School in Washington, D.C. She is a former Vice President of the American Society of International Law.



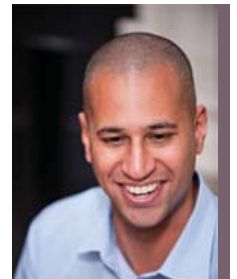
STANLEY SIEGEL

(Business Organizations, Securities, Regulation, and Legal Accounting) is Professor of Law, Emeritus, at the New York University School of Law. He is one of the first law professors in the U.S. to teach a course in Corporate Finance, and he has authored or coauthored six books, most recently *International Accounting Standards for Non-public Enterprises*. He is considered to be one of the best law school teachers in the U.S.



ROBERT WILKINSON

(Negotiations) has been a faculty member of the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University since 2009. He currently teaches graduate courses on international negotiation and global aid management. He has taught in executive education and leadership programs for Harvard University and the White House.



STEPHEN T. ZAMORA

(International Litigation in U.S. Courts) is a professor and former Dean of the University of Houston Law Center in Houston, Texas. Prof. Zamora is a member of the Board of Editors of the American Journal of Comparative Law and the lead author of the book *Mexican Law*.



WHAT PEOPLE SAY



“Over the years, my firm has sent more than 20 lawyers to the Academy. It is an incredibly valuable introduction to international and American law.

Our lawyers come back with a much better understanding of international legal issues and are much better able to represent the interests of our business clients.

For international businesses and law firms, this is a great program and opportunity.”

Francesco Gianni
Gianni, Origoni, Grippo, Cappelli & Partners
Rome, Italy



“The Academy was one of the best experiences of my professional and personal life.

The Academy gave me great exposure to the international legal world, including knowledge, professional contacts and friends. It enhanced my professional reputation and I developed friendships and business contacts that are still strong today. Actually, I met one of my best friends worldwide during the Academy.

It was such a great experience that we now routinely send lawyers from our firm to the Academy. Every one of them has found the experience to be personally and professionally rewarding.

I could not recommend the Academy more highly. If you want to be a successful international lawyer, the Academy will be a great boost to your career.”

Marcela Hughes
HUGHES & HUGHES
Montevideo, Uruguay

“The team leader for Kimberly-Clark’s Moscow legal team attended the Academy in 2013. His experience enabled him to be more comfortable and productive in his interactions with lawyers in common law jurisdictions, such as the U.S., and he is now better able to spot “red flag” issues when counseling clients.



I highly recommend the Academy for corporations that want to improve the ability of their international lawyers to operate globally.”

Thomas J. Mielke
Senior Vice President and General Counsel
Kimberly-Clark Corporation



“I think the Academy is the best opportunity in the world for international lawyers.

I’ve never seen a comparable program of its kind.”

Bryan A. Garner
Editor-in-chief
Black’s Law Dictionary

REGISTRATION

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Academy tuition includes classroom instruction, lunches each class day, a variety of field trips and extra-curricular activities, and entrance to both the Symposium on Global Markets and the Transnational Arbitration Workshop. Travel, hotel, and other meals are not included.

Members of the Southwestern Institute for International and Comparative Law (SWIICL) receive a substantial discount for Academy tuition:

Current SWIICL Members	Tuition for 1st Participant	For 2nd Participant
Sustaining Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0
Supporting Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000
Sponsoring Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,300	
Associate Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500	
Individual Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,850	

If you or your organization are not current members of SWIICL, you may become a member and apply these discounts immediately:

Level of SWIICL Membership	Annual Dues	Academy Tuition	Total
<input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining Member	\$7,500	plus \$0	= \$7,500
<input type="checkbox"/> Supporting Member	\$5,000	plus \$0	= \$5,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Sponsoring Member	\$2,500	plus \$1,300	= \$3,800
<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Member	\$1,000	plus \$2,500	= \$3,500
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual Member	\$650	plus \$2,850	= \$3,500

If you are not a SWIICL member, Academy tuition is \$8,000.

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MEMBER BENEFITS

Sustaining Member – \$7,500 annual dues

- Send two people tuition-free to the Academy
- Name six people to the Advisory Board; appoint six deputy Advisory Board members
- Send an unlimited number of people tuition-free to the annual Symposium

Supporting Member – \$5,000 annual dues

- Send one person tuition-free to the Academy
- Name four people to the Advisory Board; appoint four deputy Advisory Board members
- Send eight people plus Advisory Board members tuition-free to the annual Symposium

Sponsoring Member – \$2,500 annual dues

- Send one person to the Academy by paying an additional \$1,300 for tuition
- Name two people to the Advisory Board; appoint two deputy Advisory Board members
- Send four people plus Advisory Board members tuition-free to the annual Symposium

Associate Member – \$1,000 annual dues

- Send one person to the Academy by paying an additional \$2,500 for tuition
- Name one person to the Advisory Board; appoint one deputy Advisory Board member
- Send two people plus the Advisory Board member tuition-free to the annual Symposium

Individual Member – \$650 annual dues

- Become a member of the Advisory Board and attend the Symposium tuition-free
- Attend the Academy yourself or send someone by paying an additional \$2,850 for tuition

Academy Alumni Member – \$150 annual dues

- Must be a former Academy participant
- Become a member of the Advisory Board
- Attend the Symposium tuition-free



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