

STUDY LAW ABROAD

CARDOZO SEMESTER PROGRAM OFFERINGS

AUSTRALIA

University of Sydney Law School, Sydney, Australia

Established in 1855, Sydney Law School is one of the first law schools in Australia. Its focus is on international and comparative law, as well as strong programs in tax, corporate, criminal, environmental and health law.

Has approximately 3000 law students.

The law school is part of the university's main campus, situated next to the Supreme Court and on the edge of the central business district.

Open for Fall or Spring semester, keeping in mind that the season is opposite in the Southern Hemisphere.

Dates: February—June and July—November

This is a commuter campus therefore there is limited housing available, however, the university will assist students with recommendations to find housing off-campus.



AUSTRIA [THIS PROGRAM IS COMING SOON]

Central European University, Vienna, Austria

Founded in 1991, CEU is a private research university dedicated to interdisciplinary research. They have an international faculty and students from around the world. They are known for their highly intensive programs and low faculty-to-student ratio.

CEU offers only master's and doctoral degrees in law. It is a small program, with about 80 students enrolled each year. Their legal studies are divided into three areas: Comparative Constitutional Law, International Business Law, and Human Rights Law.

Located in Vienna's multicultural 10th District, Favoriten, easily accessible via public transportation from around the city.

Courses are taught in English.

Recommended only for Fall semester. Dates: August—December.

Students find housing on their own.



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CHINA [THESE CHINESE PROGRAMS ARE TEMPORARILY ON HOLD DUE TO COVID]

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

The law faculty was established in 2005. Reflecting Hong Kong's Chinese heritage and its common law inheritance, the Faculty educates lawyers who appreciate how the common law and Chinese culture fit into the modern world.

Located in Hong Kong's central business district.

Open for Fall or Spring semester.

Dates: September—December and January—May.

Courses are in English.

Cardozo students take classes in the LL.M. programs offered in either Chinese Business Law or International Economic Law. Student housing is available, but the dorms are far from the law faculty so students are advised to find their own housing,



Peking University Law School, Beijing, China

Founded in 1902, is the law faculty with the longest history in China of modern legal education. Has 3000 law students from undergraduate to Ph.D. level studies. Specializes in legal theory, constitutional law, administrative law, economic law, and criminal law.

Located in a suburb 1 hour outside of downtown Beijing, it is situated on a beautiful campus near the Summer Palace.

Open for Fall or Spring semester.

Dates: September—January (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early) and February—July (no early exams in Spring)

Many PKU courses are in Chinese only, but students can find English law courses through the LL.M in Chinese Law.

Student housing is available on campus in the Global Village.



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FRANCE

University Paris X—Nanterre, Paris, France

The law faculty was established in 1964, as part of the Paris University system. It is one of only a few law schools within the Paris system and it has one of the best law libraries in France.

This is a large university with 30,000 students and about 8000 law students.

The law school offers a wide selection of law courses, with strong focus in international trade, human rights, and labor law.

Located in a suburb, approximately 20 minutes by train to central Paris.

Open for Fall or Spring semester.

Dates: September—January (it may be possible to arrange early exams) and February—June.

Courses and exams are in French.



University Paris I—Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris, France

With 800 years of excellence, La Sorbonne is one of the largest universities in France. La Sorbonne Law School within the university was founded in 2009 and offers two tracks of a special joint-degree J.D/LL.M. program: Cardozo students may spend their full 3L year in either the French LL.M. program, which offers a wide-range of law courses, or in the English-taught LL.M in Business Law program for non-French lawyers.

These joint J.D/LL.M. programs are open to Cardozo students who have completed 4 semesters and all the core Cardozo requirements for graduation.

Located in the central and vibrant Latin Quarter of Paris.

Students enroll for the full year. Dates: October—May.

Students find housing on their own.



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GERMANY

Bucerius Law School, Hamburg, Germany

Small, private law school, founded in 2000, known for innovative teaching and legal research.

Cardozo students take courses focused on international and comparative business law. The school is actively engaged in international exchange, so Cardozo students would be taking courses alongside students from all over the world.

Open for Fall semester only.

Dates: September—December.

Located in the vibrant port city of Hamburg, the second largest city in Germany.

Courses are in English, with German language instruction provided as well. All exchange students are required to take one survey course in German law.

Students must find housing on their own, although the law school does assist.



Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany

A large public research university, situated in East Berlin. It was established in 1809, making it the oldest university in Berlin.

Courses are taught mostly in German. There are a limited number of law courses in English as well. There is an intensive German language course offered before the start of the semester, which is recommended.

Open for Spring semester only.

Dates: April—July.

Housing is available to exchange students through the international office.



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Freie University, Berlin, Germany

A leading research university in Germany, Freie was founded in 1948 during the Cold War in West Berlin with funding from the United States and the international community.

Located in a beautiful suburb of West Berlin, about 35 minutes by train from central Berlin.

The Law department is divided into three units: civil law, criminal law, and public law.

Courses are taught in German and English. Intensive German language is offered before the start of the semester at an additional cost, and is recommended.

Open for Spring semester only. Dates: April—July.

Limited number of student housing options are available through the university housing office.



ISRAEL

Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel

Founded in 1955 and located just 20 minutes outside of Tel Aviv, Bar-Ilan is a large university with a Faculty of Law being one of 9 academic faculties on the campus.

Courses are taught in Hebrew and English.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: October—January; March—August (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early).

Dorms on campus are available for international students on a first-come basis, or else students can find housing in the surrounding area near the campus.



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College of Law and Business, Ramat Gan, Israel

A private college founded in 1995 by members of the law faculty of Hebrew University, it offers courses in English for both law and business studies.

Open for Fall or Spring semester.

Dates: October—January; March—August (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early).



Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel

#1 university in Israel, the law faculty was founded in 1945 as the first law faculty in Israel. They focus on international law and human rights. Internship opportunities are available.

Courses are taught in English.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: October—January; March—August (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early).

On-campus housing in dorms is guaranteed to international students if they apply by the deadline.



Reichman University, Herzliya, Israel

Founded in 1994, a privately-funded university with a global and interdisciplinary focus. The Radziner Law School offers joint programs in Law and Business, Law and Government, Law and Psychology, and Law and Technology.

Courses are taught in English,

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: October—January; March—August (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early).

On-campus housing is available but very limited.



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ISRAEL

Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv, Israel

Considered one of Israel's top universities, it is the largest and most comprehensive university in Israel. However, the Law Faculty is small by design with excellent research, legal centers, and clinical training.

Courses are taught in English.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: October—January; March—August (Cardozo students can arrange to take final exams early).

Students must find housing on their own.



ITALY

Palermo University, Palermo, Italy

Founded in 1806, a large university with over 40,000 students and 16 faculties, including Law.

Most courses are taught in Italian, with a small offering of options in English. Italian language classes are available for international students.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: September—January; February—June.

Students find housing on their own,



Roma Tre University, Rome, Italy

Founded in 1992, a modern public university. The Law Faculty has approximately 6000 students, attracting many international students from around the world.

The courses in the English-language track of the law school offer smaller seminar-style classes and more engagement with the faculty than in the larger law department. There are a limited number of courses in English and the focus tends to be on European Union Law.

Roma Tre is conveniently located in Rome with easy access on public transportation.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: September—December; March—June.

Students find housing on their own.



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NETHERLANDS

Amsterdam Law School, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Large law school with approximately 3500 students.

Located in the center of Amsterdam.

Cardozo students take classes in the LL.M. programs offered in English in European Private Law and in International and European Law. These programs attract students from around the world and generally do not enroll Dutch students.

Courses are in English.

Open for Fall or Spring semester, but Fall is better. Dates: September—December and February – May.

Student housing is available.



SPAIN

ESADE Law School, Barcelona, Spain

Founded in 1958, ESADE is an independent university. Originally founded as a Business School, the law department opened in 1993 and has a strong focus on Business and Technology Law.

Open for Fall or Spring semester. Dates: August—December and January—May.

Courses are taught in English and Spanish in the Fall, but only in Spanish in the Spring.

Students find housing on their own.



UNITED KINGDOM

Oxford University, Oxford, England

Program of Comparative Media Law and Policy. Founded in 1996 by the Centre for Socio-Legal Studies. This is a research and policy program for Ph.D. students, so Cardozo students must be invested in conducting supervised but independent research. Students also have access to attend lectures, participate in seminars, and contribute to group research projects while in residence.

Open for Spring semester only. Dates: January—May.

Students find housing on their own.

