Cardozo School of Law

J.D./LL.M. INTERNATIONAL DUAL DEGREE PROGRAM HOW

TO APPLY

Applicants to the dual degree program should submit the study abroad application and supporting documents to the Senior Director of Graduate and International Programs, Hui Yang, hui.yang@yu.edu, no later than February 15 of their 2L year.

Required documents include:

1. Application form
2. Resume
3. Statement of Purpose in English and in French for the French track or just in English for the English track.
4. The statement of purpose should be no more than 2 pages single-spaced detailing interest in the program and how study abroad will complement your educational and professional or personal goals.
5. Explanation of French proficiency
6. Letter of recommendation from a Cardozo faculty member
7. Students holding an editorial position on a journal must arrange for the journal editor-in-chief to send an email to Amy Sugin which authorizes you to complete your responsibilities abroad. Staff members on a journal must also notify their board of their intent to study abroad.

Deadline:

March 1st of 2L year

Students should begin preparing materials at least 1-2 months prior to deadlines. Students will be notified by email whether they have been approved for study abroad approximately one month after the application deadline.

After receiving approval from Cardozo for the program, the resume, transcript and letter of recommendation of nominated Cardozo students(s) will be forwarded for consideration to the Sorbonne Law School. Though SLS retains discretion to accept or deny any applicant, the school will consider our nominations strongly. An interview, by telephone or in person, with a member of the Cardozo or Sorbonne faculty may also be required, and students should be prepared to conduct the interview in French for the French track.