

**Annual Winter Session Program in:
Comparative and International Law**
Sunday, December 19, 2021 - Saturday, January 8, 2022

**Curaçao, The Dutch Caribbean
Study Abroad Application
Winter Session 2021 2022**

**Sponsored by the Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University, the University
of Baltimore School of Law – hosted by the University of Curaçao**

APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION

(please print clearly)

Name _____ Male Female

Social Security No. _____ Birthdate _____ Hofstra I.D. # _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Phone (day) _____ (eve) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail _____ Law School Attending _____

My law school's official mailing address (Office of Registrar) for transcripts:

I authorize Hofstra Law to report my grades to my home institution:

Signature _____ Date _____

How did you learn about the Program? _____

Do you have proficiency in a foreign language? Yes No

If yes, please describe _____

COURSES

Course #1: International Sales Law (2 credits); Professor: Miriam Lyman, Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University

Course #2: Comparative Legislative Process (2 credits); Dean, Professor: Ron Weich, University of Baltimore School of Law

Course descriptions and a tentative schedule will be available online; the schedule is subject to change. Please check website for updates.

COST OF PROGRAM:

Tuition Fee: \$4,420

(4 credits at discounted rate)

Program and Housing Fees (double rooms):
\$4,000 (Airfare not included)

Fee Includes:

- Housing (20 days in a double room accommodation at hotel in Piscadera Bay, wifi, daily breakfast included)
- Emergency Medical Insurance, On-site administration
- Private bus service to and from the hotel for classes
- Specified meals and coffee breaks with snack, on class days
- Academic Field Trips
- Holiday party, Welcome reception & Farewell reception

Application Deadline: October 15, 2021

ACADEMIC STANDING

Law School years completed by December 2021: 1 Year 2 Years

Graduation Date _____ Overall GPA _____ Last Semester GPA _____

Hofstra Law students must have a 2.20 GPA or better to be in good standing.

Good standing at other law schools is determined by the home institution. Please submit an official letter of good standing at home institution.

Yes No Are you in good standing and eligible to participate in the program?

Yes No *Have you ever been subject to academic probation or discipline, including warnings, suspensions and/or dismissal at any institution of higher education?

Yes No *Have you ever been with a violation of law resulting in probation, community service, and/or a jail sentence?

***If yes to either of the last two questions, please provide details on a separate sheet of paper.**

DIETARY RESTRICTIONS: _____

HOUSING SELECTION

I request to room with: _____

_____ I would like a double room and assistance in finding a roommate

_____ I would like a double room with one guest (Extra Cost TBD)

_____ I would like a single room (Extra Cost: \$2,400)

_____ I would like a single room with one guest (Extra Cost TBD)

- Guest Information: (In addition to single/double extra room costs, added costs are associated with hotel [Resort fee, Hotel Breakfast, etc.]

Name: _____

Dates of Stay at Hotel: _____

Please indicate anything else we should know about you or be aware of to help us find a roommate for you (i.e. level of neatness):

Although we make every effort to honor individual preferences, we cannot guarantee that you will receive your choice. Hofstra Law School maintains the right to make the final roommate and housing arrangements for the participants. Hofstra University does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, sex, creed, national origin, gender identity expression, or sexual orientation.

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Course Registration Form

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____

Hofstra ID Number: _____ **Expected Graduation Date:** _____

Phone Number: _____ **E-mail Address:** _____

(Full Time students may not be below 12 credits in fall or spring. Part Time students may not be below 8 credits in fall or spring.)

COURSE INFORMATION:

Semester: Winter 2021 - 2022

CRN	SECTION	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
_____	_____	International Sales Law	2
_____	_____	Comparative Legislative Process	2
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
Total Number of Credits:			4

By signing below, I understand and agree to all of the following:

- 1) that payment for this registration is my responsibility and that if payment is not received or deferred by the due date, I will be assessed late fees which are my responsibility to pay;
- 2) that dropping or withdrawing from courses may result in loss of financial aid for current and future terms, and that it will be my responsibility to reimburse Hofstra for any portion of a refund I receive based on financial aid funds for which I later lose eligibility due to nonattendance, dropping or withdrawing from classes;
- 3) that I am responsible for formally dropping or withdrawing from classes and that I will be held responsible in accordance with all University policies for tuition and fees as stated in the current University Bulletin for my program of study, regardless of my class attendance; and
- 4) that if I do not pay the full amount of my tuition, fees, or other amounts owed to Hofstra, I will be responsible for all costs and expenses associated with the collection of such unpaid amounts, including the fees of any collections agency, which may be based on a percentage of the total balance due (up to a maximum of 45% of the total balance due) and reasonable attorney's fees.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Date Form Received: _____ **Date Form Processed:** _____ **OAR Staff:** _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Financial aid is available to cover tuition, books and program fee, as well as travel costs and miscellaneous expenses. Please check the program website for more information.

For U.S. Law students, a non-refundable registration fee of \$500 is due upon submission of the application. The fee is applied to the total amount owed for the program. **The balance of the program fee is due by December 1, 2021 and will be billed directly from Hofstra University.** *However, extra room charges will be invoiced separately through our office.* **Accepted students who cancel participation on or before October 15, 2021, are not required to pay the balance of the program fee or tuition but will not receive the registration fee of \$500 refunded. Students who cancel participation after October 15, 2021 deadline are required to pay the full program balance and tuition.** If you apply for financial aid but do not receive the aid by the payment deadline, Hofstra will accept a letter from your school stating that you will receive financial aid for the program. The balance must be paid as soon as you receive your financial aid funds. Please make any checks payable to "Hofstra University".

_____ I have enclosed a check or money order for the registration fee of \$500 (U.S.)

_____ I would like Hofstra to charge my credit card*: Amount _____ MasterCard Visa

Name on Credit Card _____

Card No. _____ Exp.Date _____

Cardholder's Signature _____ Date _____

*Please note that credit card payments are subject to 2.85% service fee.

CERTIFICATION

Please submit this completed application, statement of interest, scanned passport and a non-refundable deposit of \$500 payable to Hofstra Law School. Your application will be reviewed upon receipt of all materials.

I certify the information on this application to be correct and understand that on becoming a participant in the Curaçao Program, I shall be subject to Hofstra University and Hofstra Law School regulations and program guidelines. I understand that Hofstra Law School reserves the right to require withdrawal of any student as a result of unsatisfactory academic performance or behavior. I authorize Hofstra Law to report my grades to my home institution.

Signature _____ Date _____

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To apply, please mail or email the completed application to:

InternationalPrograms@hofstra.edu

Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University
Office of International Programs
Attn: Joanne Masci, Curaçao Program
121 Hofstra University, Room 203
Hempstead, NY 11549

*Applications are reviewed on a first come, first serve basis once complete with the deposit.

How may I receive federal financial aid for the cost of study abroad?

Curaçao – If you are already utilizing a Grad PLUS loan you may submit a Grad PLUS increase form to the Law School’s Office of Financial Aid, noting that it is for the Curaçao trip. Your Grad PLUS loan will be increased to the cost of attendance for the trip. Please visit the Office of Financial Aid to discuss further your specific federal financial aid eligibility for this trip.

Immigration Law & Border Enforcement- As this trip is part of the Summer term, you must submit your 2021-2022 FAFSA to Hofstra as it is considered a part of the upcoming academic year. Furthermore, per federal regulations to be eligible for federal financial aid you must be enrolled in at least 5 credits for the Summer. You must submit a Summer Loan Request form to the Office of Financial Aid, for your summer financial aid package to be created.

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When do funds disburse?

Federal regulations allow funds to disburse approximately 10 days prior to the first day of classes. No exceptions can be made to the date of disbursal per federal regulations. Please plan accordingly when making your travel arrangements.

When can I expect to receive a refund?

Refund requests typically take up to 15 business days to be processed from the date of the refund request. Please note that the Office of Financial Aid is unable to advance funds, expedite refund requests or overnight refunds. You must follow the same refund policies that are in effect for all other students. It is important that you plan accordingly with your travel arrangements.

Please sign and return indicating whether you will be utilizing federal financial aid for your selected study abroad program.

Print Name

I will use federal financial aid

I will not be using federal financial aid

Student Signature

If you are a Hofstra student studying abroad and need a loan/aid of any kind, please visit Hofstra Law’s Office of Financial Aid to discuss your options/eligibility. Non-Hofstra students studying abroad with Hofstra Law, please visit your home institution’s financial aid office to discuss your options/eligibility and to submit a consortium agreement to Hofstra Law’s Office of Financial Aid.