



# Law Schools Global League Summer School 2021 – Call for Modules

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The LSGL Summer School offers students of member schools the chance to participate in a truly global discussion about legal education, research, and the changing practice of law. Building on the global reach of the League and the fact that its member faculty come from all major legal systems, the Summer School offers a unique professional and social opportunity for development and enrichment.

## 1 Themes

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The LSGL is calling for proposals for four mini-modules to be taught, either individually or in teams. The subject matter can be on any aspect of the globalization of law, but we particularly encourage proposals that focus on:

- Legal issues of the pandemic (and post-pandemic) — examining, for example, the impact on commercial law, employment law, discrimination law, surveillance, human rights, etc.
- Law and technology — encompassing the role of law in regulating new technologies as well as the impact of technology on the practice of law.
- Emerging aspects of global law — regulation in a globalized world, the sharing/gig economy, the new cosmopolitanism, etc.

## 2 Venue and Duration

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The LSGL Summer School is held annually. Given the exigencies of Covid-19, the 9th LSGL Summer School will be held over one week in the period 12-16 July 2021. It will take place virtually (via Zoom) and will be convened by the National University of Singapore Faculty of Law.

### 3 Audience

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The Summer School is intended for students enrolled in LSGL member institutions who have completed at least one year of legal education. Member schools attract and recruit applicants. Each LSGL member school is normally responsible for a payment of at least €1,000, which is the tuition fee for one (1) student. Please note that payment is due even if no students are sent by the institution member.

For the 2021 Summer School, which will take place online, the **tuition fee will be waived**. Each school will be entitled to choose up to **ten** students.

### 4 Format

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Courses for the Summer School should ideally be designed and taught collaboratively by LSGL member faculty, bringing together knowledge from different legal systems, sources in different languages that could be translated into English, and methodological diversity. Given that classes will be taught online, for 2021 we will consider individual modules also.

To avoid “Zoom fatigue”, the 2021 Summer School will be comprised of four mini-modules and two professional development sessions with international organizations.

There will be no examination or grading for this year’s Summer School. Note that this means that students attending will normally be unable to claim credit for doing so. The sessions are intended as enrichment.

### 5 Time Zones

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Choosing time periods that work for all member schools is a challenge. We will therefore schedule the mini-modules in two blocks, running through the week of 12-16 July 2021:

|         | Los Angeles (PDT) | UTC/GMT  | London (BST) | Sydney (AEST)  |
|---------|-------------------|----------|--------------|----------------|
| Block A | 4am-7am           | 11am-2pm | 12noon-3pm   | 9pm-12midnight |
| Block B | 7am-10am          | 2pm-5pm  | 3pm-6pm      | 12midnight-3am |

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| London Time | M        | T        | W        | T        | F        |
| 12noon-3pm  | Course 1 | Course 1 | UNIDROIT | Course 3 | Course 3 |
| 3pm-6pm     | Course 2 | Course 2 | UNCTAD   | Course 4 | Course 4 |

Students may choose to take from one to four modules, and are strongly encouraged to attend the UNIDROIT and UNCTAD sessions also.

## 6 Administrative Details

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For each mini-course offered in 2021, we will pay a total honorarium of **€1,250** for two sessions of 140 minutes each (offered within the 180 minute window, starting promptly on the hour). If more than one faculty member teaches then the honorarium will be divided between them.

Please submit proposals by 3 May 2021 through the [online form here](#).