



At Washington University Law, we strive to be the best place to study law in the United States. Along with our world-class faculty who provide excellent instruction inside the classroom, we provide our LL.M. students with unparalleled opportunities for professional growth outside the classroom.

## **Judicial Experiential Learning Program**

Too often law students from abroad experience the U.S. justice system only through readings and classroom discussion. Seeing it come alive, much less rolling up one's sleeves and becoming immersed in the process, is a rarity. The Judicial Experiential Learning Program at Washington University Law offers international students a bird's-eye view of the courts, as well as the chance to meet and discuss cases directly with judges.

## **Washington University Global Studies Law Review International Advisory Board**

LL.M. students at Washington University Law have the opportunity to join an advisory board for the [Washington University Global Studies Law Review](#). Participation on the International Student Advisory Board (ISAB) allows graduate students to enhance their research and writing skills while contributing to the journal's outstanding scholarly work.

## **Attorney Advisor Program**

At the beginning of the fall semester, LL.M. students are assigned an 'attorney advisor.' This advisor is a local practitioner who meets with the student several times throughout the year, helping them to develop the lawyering skills needed to be effective practitioners.

## **Opportunities to Compete in Skill Competitions**

LL.M. students at Washington University Law have the opportunity to compete in four skills competitions held throughout the academic year: 1) Client Interviewing and Counseling Competition; 2) Motions Practice Competition; 3) Trial Advocacy Competition; and 4) Jessup International Moot Court Competition. The first three competitions listed are intra-school competitions, designed specifically for international students, and are open to all interested students. The fourth, Jessup, is an inter-school competition, which requires that students compete for limited spots on the team.

## **LL.M. to JD Transfer for foreign-trained lawyers**

Washington University Law graduates from our residential LL.M. program who excel in the LL.M. may apply to transfer to the JD program without submitting an LSAT score. Successful applicants enter the JD program as second-year law students, and most of their LL.M. course credits transfer to the JD program, enabling students to graduate in as few as two additional years.

## **LL.M. English Advantage Summer Language Program**

For those students who need additional training in legal English, the English Advantage Summer Language Program immerses students in 20 hours per week of English language training for academic and professional communication.