

## Information on the European Legal Studies Program and the ERASMUS+ Mobility Program at the Faculty of Law of the Trnava University in Trnava, Slovakia

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### European Legal Studies in the Slovak Republic



Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law ("the Faculty"), is an important centre of legal education and legal research that emphasizes Christian moral values and fundamental principles of democracy and rule of law. Its activities



are focused on the teaching, interpretation, and application of the Slovak public and private law, international law, and European law.

Faculty declares that its educational and scientific activities, based on Christian principles, want to serve the truths, equities, freedoms, ideals of humanity, and protection of both moral and spiritual values. Faculty nurtures and educates in accordance with its core values, in the spirit of ecumenism, tolerance, and mutual respect.

Faculty has been involved in the European students' mobility programs since 2001 (i.e. only three years after its establishment). Implementation of such a program is necessarily connected with the adaptation of the Faculty's curricula to the latest development and progression as well as to the latest requirements on alternative and innovative education. This corresponds to the needs of civil society. To support and develop students' mobility, the Faculty has adopted the ECTS System.

Faculty has also adapted its educational system in such a way that it corresponds to quality and quantity of knowledge. The students are taught at other law faculties across Europe.

Table 1 European Legal Studies – Study Program in the Slovak Republic, European Union

European Legal Studies – Study Program in the Slovak Republic, European Union		
Mode and duration	Full time (2 semesters)	Part time (1 semester)
Credits needs to achieve	Minimum 60 credits for 2 semesters	Minimum 30 credits for 1 semester
Language of courses	English	English
Tuition fee	1 200 EUR for full time (2 semesters)	600 EUR for part time (1 semester)
Starts	October/February	October/February
Deadlines for application	30 June	30 June/31 December

Source: Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law.

Figure 1 Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law, Slovakia



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## European Legal Studies

### Study plan

*Winter Semester:* International Public Law I; European Law I; Jurisdiction of the European Court of Human Rights I; European Competition Law; Civil Law; International and European Family Law; Commercial Law (Doing Business in Slovakia); Religious Freedom Cases at the European Court of Human Rights; Roman Law of Succession; Interpretation and Argumentation in Decision Making of Constitutional Courts and Supreme Courts; History of State and Law in the Territory of Slovakia; World History of Law (Constitutional and Legal Developments of England, France, Germany, and Austria in the Modern Era in the First Half of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century); Philosophy of History (Comparison of Philosophy of History of State and Law in the West European and Central European Area); Theory of Law I; World History of Law I; History of Law in the Territory of Slovakia I; Philosophy of History.

Figure 2 Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law, Slovakia



Source: Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law.

*Summer Semester:* International Public Law II; Law of Internal Market in the EU; Jurisdiction of the European Court of Human Rights II; European Law II; Introduction to the Criminology; Introduction to the Criminal Law; EU Environmental Law; EU Labour Law; European Contract Law; Innovative Technologies and Law; International Private Law; Roman Law; Canon Law; Tort Law; Theory of Law II; World History of Law II; History of Law in the Territory of Slovakia II.

Furthermore, the Faculty provides courses in the Russian language: Criminal Procedure Law I, II, and Criminalistics, and in the German lan-

guage: Civil Law. Faculty also provides language courses of the Slovak and French languages.

Figure 3 Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law, Slovakia



Source: Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law.

### ***Labour market***

The program is designed for students interested in pursuing a career in any various legal professions, both in and outside the European Union. Graduates go on to careers in internationally-oriented law firms, in-house law departments in multinational companies around the world, the EU institutions, national public institutions responsible for private law legislation, and adjudication and academic research. Getting one year permanent visa for the EU countries is a good opportunity for the students to establish the business contacts in the EU, using the knowledge about doing business in the European Union.

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Figure 4 Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law, Slovakia



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### **ERASMUS+**

International cooperation of the Faculty of Law of the Trnava University in Trnava with foreign educational institutions ERASMUS+ provides an opportunity for students to study abroad as well as for students from abroad to study at the faculties of the Trnava University.

Figure 5 Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law, Slovakia



Source: Trnava University in Trnava, Faculty of Law.

New opportunity for students and staff of the Faculty of Law of the Trnava University in Trnava, related to foreign mobility, present intern-

ships, within which they, for the purpose of an active participation in the educational process, can visit various foreign educational institutions, including not only those with which the Faculty cooperates within the ERASMUS+ Program, but even for shorter, respectively longer period.

The Faculty of Law of the Trnava University in Trnava cooperates within the implementation of the international mobility (due to the increase in opportunities of participating in an internship the enumeration is not exhaustive) with the following universities:

- + Univerzita Palackého v Olomouci;
- + İzmir University of Economics;
- + Universidad de Santiago de Compostela;
- + Universitat de les Illes Balears;
- + University of Ljubljana;
- + University of Bucharest;
- + Uniwersytet Wrocławski;
- + Uniwersytet im. Adama Mickiewicza;
- + Universitetet i Bergen;
- + Vytautas Magnus University;
- + Università degli Studi di Salerno;
- + Universität Osnabrück;
- + Aristotle University of Thessaloniki;
- + Pázmány Péter Catholic University;
- + Université de Strasbourg;
- + Université de Haute-Alsace;
- + Tilburg University;
- + University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne;
- + University of Zagreb;
- + University of West Bohemia;
- + Universitaet Salzburg;
- + University of Malta;
- + Mykolo Romerio Universitetas (Mykolas Romeris University);
- + University of South Bohemia in Ceske Budejovice;
- + University of Rijeka.

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