



# University College Dublin PRE-LAW



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## STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

The UCD School of Law offers visiting students the opportunity to study and immerse themselves in the largest Law School in Ireland. The School has an exceptional academic community where students enjoy direct engagement with experts in the field who are at the cutting edge of teaching and research. We specialise in a range of high quality degree programmes in law as a stand alone discipline or in combination with a number of other disciplines. Opportunities are also given for students to develop their legal skills through participation in mooting events and the UCD Law Review which is a student run legal journal.



## Facilities

UCD Sutherland School of Law is located on the Belfield Campus where students receive support from the dedicated student co-ordinator. The School of Law is home to the only Institute of Criminology in Ireland. Students enjoy lectures in large theatres, small group tutorial sessions and mock trials in the moot court.

## Law Subject Choices

Students are invited to take School of Law modules as an introduction to different areas of the legal system.

Modules such as;

- Advocacy and Mooting
- Contract Law
- Criminal Law
- Criminology
- Environmental Law
- EU Law
- History of Law
- International Economic Law
- International Human Rights
- Introduction to Legal Studies
- Law and Politics
- Law and Religion
- Media Law
- Philosophy of Law
- Sports Law

Many other modules are available to students, for further information on all of the modules offered to students please see contact details below.

## Module Details

Details of the modules available within the Law major for Study Abroad students may be obtained from [www.ucd.ie/law](http://www.ucd.ie/law)

Students can take a minimum of 20 credits (ECTs) and a maximum of 30 credits each semester. The majority of classes will be taken from the Law School and students are encouraged to combine these with courses from the other Schools in UCD.

## Assessment

Formal examinations are set at the end of each semester in December and May. Study Abroad students are expected to undertake examinations in accordance with University regulations. Increasingly, project and class-based work forms a component of the assessment process.

## Credit Transfer

At the end of the semester, the UCD School of Law sends an official transcript to the home institution and a copy to the student. Your home institution decides on credits to be awarded for modules pursued at UCD. We will be pleased to provide full information on our modules to enable institutions to make decisions regarding the transfer of credits.

**PLEASE NOTE** It is not possible to extend study in UCD beyond the year for which an application had been accepted or subsequently to register as a full-time undergraduate student in the School of Law.

## Eligibility

**THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENT IS 3.00.**

In addition to completing the UCD on-line application process, a standard form of identification i.e. copy of passport, a transcript of academic record to date and a letter of recommendation from an academic referee should be sent to the Law Programme Office before the application deadline.

## To Apply:

[www.ucd.ie/apply](http://www.ucd.ie/apply)

### APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Full year or first semester (Fall):	May 1st
Second semester (Spring):	October 15th

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