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University of Cambridge English Law and Legal Methods Summer Programme 2018

Dear Colleague

I am delighted to enclose information regarding the 2018 University of Cambridge English Law and Legal Methods Summer Programme, which will take place in Cambridge, UK for three weeks from **8 July until 28 July 2018**.

This long-established Programme introduces the central aspects of English law, and attracts participants from around the world. It is designed for lawyers and law students from countries whose legal systems are not based on English common law.

Teaching will be provided by leading academics from the University of Cambridge's Faculty of Law and visiting speakers. Participants will have the opportunity to stay at Selwyn College, and will have access to the world-renowned Squire Law Library. The Programme offers a rare opportunity to experience Cambridge life first-hand and spend this summer as a student in this famous university city.

I would be grateful if you would share the enclosed information with any of your colleagues or students who might be interested. Further details can be found at www.ice.cam.ac.uk/intsummer

The closing date for applications is 31 May 2018 and places are offered on a first-come, first-served basis, so we recommend early application.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at intenq@ice.cam.ac.uk.

Yours faithfully

Sarah J Ormrod
Director of International Programmes

Study at one of the world's leading universities

The University of Cambridge is one of the oldest universities in the world, with over 800 years of history, and is renowned for its academic achievement. The University's International Summer Programmes welcome adults from more than 60 countries each year.

The English Law and Legal Methods Summer Programme has run for over 60 years, in collaboration with the Faculty of Law, and presents central aspects of English Law. Initially, the programme concentrates on the general structure of the law and legal methods, before embarking on the principal areas of English substantive law.

Taught by leading Cambridge scholars, this residential programme offers you the rare opportunity to experience Cambridge life first-hand; to live in one of the Colleges, enjoy a variety of social events, and to spend your summer as a student in one of the most famous university cities in the world.

Stay in a Cambridge College

To add to the academic experience you can stay and dine in Selwyn College, close to the Faculty of Law and within easy walking distance of the vibrant city centre. This gives you the opportunity to meet fellow students studying other subjects. If you prefer, non-residential places are also available.



Who can apply?

This programme is designed primarily for lawyers and law students, both graduate and undergraduate, who have little or no prior knowledge of the English legal system. Law students must have completed a minimum of one year of their legal studies at undergraduate level. Applications from others, however, can be considered. Participants must also meet our English language requirements.

How do I apply?

You can apply online, or request a prospectus and an application form.

Tuition fees

£2,320 (includes non-refundable registration fee of £250).

Accommodation options and fees

Selwyn College

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| • Ann's Court | En suite | £1,745 |
| • Old Court | Standard | £1,505 |

Application deadline

Thursday 31 May 2108

Whilst every effort is made to avoid changes to this programme, published details may be altered at any time. The University reserves the right to amend any part of the programme without prior notice.

Find out more: www.ice.cam.ac.uk/intsummer

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Academic programme

- Two small-group special subject seminars
- Three plenary lectures per day
- Evening talks
- c.65 hours of tuition over 3 weeks
- Reading and private study

Special subject seminars

You choose two seminar subjects. There is a total of 6 hours and 15 minutes' tuition in each seminar subject. You will receive a personal timetable for your seminars. Specialist seminar topics offered are:

- **Civil procedure**
Professor Neil Andrews
- **Company law**
Dr Felix Steffek
- **Contract law**
Dr Roderick Munday
- **Law of torts**
Dr Janet O'Sullivan
- **Private international law**
Professor Richard Fentiman
- **Constitutional and administrative law**
Dr Paul Daly

"Drawing on over 60 years of experience, the programme offers participants an unrivalled introduction to the English common law."

Dr Roderick Munday, Programme Director,
English Law and Legal Methods Summer Programme

Plenary lectures

Three plenary lectures, given by members of the Faculty of Law and other invited experts, are delivered every weekday, and aim to include the following topics:

- The development and structure of English law
- The sources of English law
- Precedent and statutory interpretation
- The courts and legal profession
- Private law (property, obligations, trusts, etc)
- Public law (constitutional and administrative law)
- Civil and criminal procedure

Reading and resources

A resource list will be available at the start of the programme; no pre-reading is required, but reading and private study forms an integral part of the programme. Students will also have access to the Squire Law Library, which maintains one of the largest legal collections in the UK. You will have access to computing and printing facilities, and to our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) which gives access to seminar information and allows interaction with fellow participants before, during and after the programme.

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Social events and evening talks

There will be a welcome reception and buffet on Sunday 8 July, and a closing reception and buffet on Friday 27 July. A number of other social events will take place during the programme, and you will also be able to attend evening talks, a ceilidh, and optional weekend excursions with participants on our other International Summer Programmes.

A typical week: Monday to Friday

08.00–08.45:	Breakfast in College (residents only)
09.15–12.45:	Three plenary lectures
14.00–17.30:	One or two 75-minute seminars / private study time / free time
18.30–19.30:	Dinner in College (residents only)
20.00–21.00:	Optional evening talks of general interest / concert or social event / free time

Attendance

A certificate of attendance will be given to those who attend all lectures and seminars. 100% attendance is required, except in exceptional circumstances.



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The **Interdisciplinary Programme** lets you combine courses from a wide range of subject areas, whilst our specialist programmes - **Science, Ancient and Classical Worlds, Art and Visual Culture, Business and Entrepreneurship, History, Medieval Studies, Literature, Shakespeare, Creative Writing, and English Law and Legal Methods** - are more specific.

If you would like to study more than one subject, you can choose two or more programmes, to give you a personalised study programme, lasting from one to six weeks.

Most of the programmes include a series of theme-related plenary lectures which explore new ideas and will extend your knowledge of your chosen subjects. The more general evening talks are designed to add to your enjoyment of the programme and introduce you to other subjects.

Courses are taught by a combination of leading Cambridge scholars and guest subject specialists from beyond the University.



Stay in a Cambridge College

To add to the academic experience you can stay and dine in one of five historic Cambridge Colleges, close to the teaching site and the vibrant city centre. This gives you the opportunity to meet fellow students studying other subjects. If you prefer, there are also non-residential places available.

Enjoy the long summer days

You can venture further afield by joining a weekend excursion or take part in a traditional Ceilidh. Cambridge offers a wide variety of museums, concerts, shops and open-air performances of Shakespeare plays in College gardens. The city is ideal for exploring on foot, or you can simply relax with a trip on a punt on the scenic River Cam.

Who can apply?

All participants must also meet our language requirements. The main programmes are open to university students, professionals, and those with other experience. Gap-year students (who have already finished high school) can be considered for admission. Any student under 18 admitted to the programmes will need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian acting as a chaperone.

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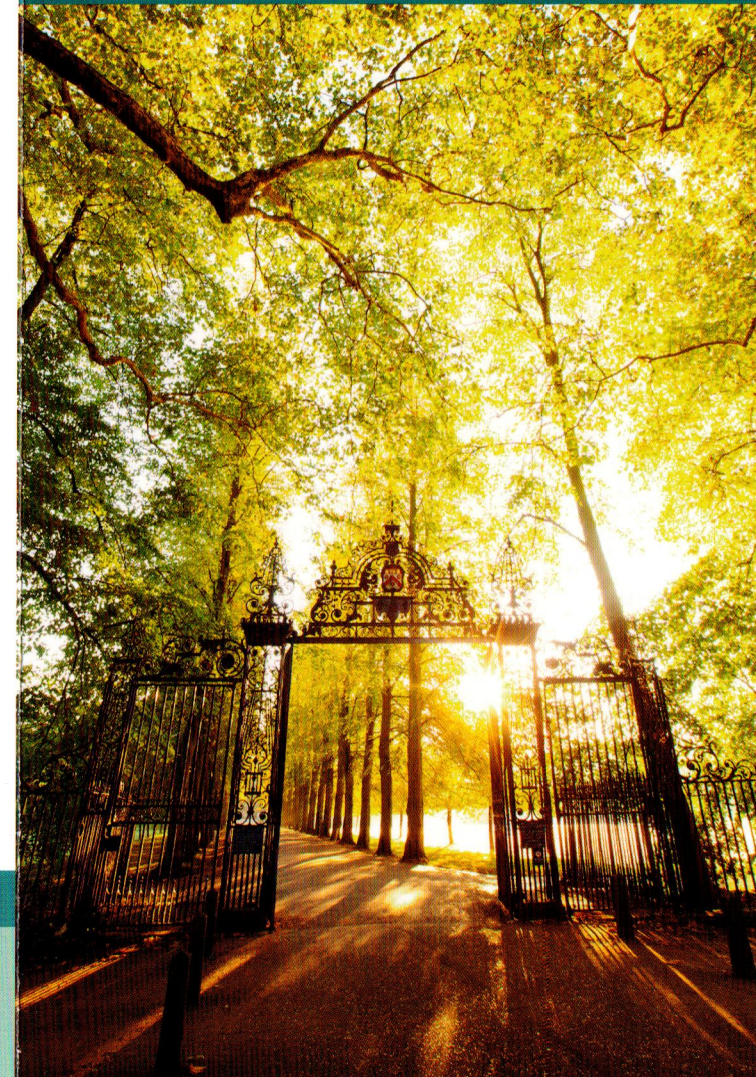
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The Summer Programmes

A choice of over 200 open-access courses gives you the opportunity to create your own personalised study programme. In addition, each programme offers a series of themed plenary lectures together with more general evening talks.

■ Interdisciplinary

Term I: 8 – 21 July, Term II: 22 July – 4 August,

Term III: 5 – 18 August 2018

The ideal programme if you want to combine subjects from different disciplines. You choose from a rich selection of courses which include philosophy, politics, economics, international relations, psychology, history and literature. The terms are independent: you may enrol for one, two or all three terms.

■ Science

Term I: 8 – 21 July, Term II: 22 July – 4 August 2018

This programme has been expanded this year and draws on the expertise of senior academics from a University renowned for its innovation and scientific breakthroughs. You can focus on courses in the same discipline or choose courses from different scientific fields. Many include practical sessions and visits to famous laboratories and institutions.

■ English Law and Legal Methods

8 – 28 July 2018

Designed primarily for lawyers and law students who have no prior knowledge of the English legal system, this well-respected programme presents the central aspects of English law, with emphasis on the general structure of the law and legal methods. Teaching is through lectures and seminars.

■ NEW Art and Visual Culture

22 July – 4 August 2018

For undergraduates, graduates, teachers and those with a passion for art and visual culture. The programme offers a multidisciplinary approach encompassing art, architecture, sculpture and film, and draws on the magnificent collections across the University of Cambridge.

■ Ancient and Classical Worlds

8 – 21 July 2018

This rich, multidisciplinary programme helps you to explore and immerse yourself in the latest thinking on ancient and classical worlds through their artistic, literary, philosophical, religious, economic and scientific characteristics. The focus is on the historical and cultural dimensions of these worlds.

■ History

22 July – 4 August 2018

This programme attracts new and returning students to study specific historical figures, periods or events in detail. Ranging from Roman times to the present day, eminent historians offer courses that cover a wide range of problems and themes in British, European and global history.

■ Medieval Studies

5 – 18 August 2018

This ever-popular programme offers you a unique and unparalleled opportunity to work with some of the finest British medievalists. Our Course Directors encourage you to develop your own arguments about big historical issues while guiding you to understand the complexities of your chosen field.

■ NEW Business and Entrepreneurship

5 – 18 August 2018

For current undergraduates, recent graduates, and all aspiring entrepreneurs with a basic understanding of business. The programme combines core sessions from business school academics with hands-on sessions from business practitioners and successful entrepreneurs.

■ Literature

Term I: 8 – 21 July, Term II: 22 July – 4 August 2018

Join a mix of adults of all ages, from the widely read to keen beginners, to study world-renowned poets, playwrights and novelists. Paying particularly close attention to the words on the page, enthusiastic lecturers draw on writings of many different kinds and periods to offer a rich variety of voices and approaches.

■ Shakespeare

5 – 18 August 2018

Learn about the latest developments in Shakespeare studies. Choose complementary courses or a selection offering a broad range of Shakespearean study. Some courses are workshop-based, some focus on specific plays; some address recurring themes; others are actor-led, centering on performance.

■ Creative Writing

5 – 18 August 2018

For those wishing to develop their existing writing skills, either for professional use, or out of personal interest. Workshop courses focus on practical writing skills and critical reflection. Plenary lectures welcome novelists, poets and writers of creative non-fiction to discuss their own work and the craft of writing.

