



CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW

SEMESTER STUDY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PARIS-DAUPHINE, FRANCE

Saint Louis University School of Law has a cooperative agreement with the Université Paris-Dauphine, which makes it possible for students to study at that university during the fall semester of their third year. Candidates who successfully complete courses at Université Paris-Dauphine receive credit toward their J.D. degrees from the School of Law. Coordinated through the Center for International and Comparative Law, this program is open only to students and recent graduates of Saint Louis University School of Law.

The Université Paris-Dauphine specializes exclusively in the areas of business and commercial law. Students must fluently speak, read and write French *since classes are taught entirely in French. Students must take an official French state language examination or prove to a French-speaking SLU law faculty member that he or she is fluent.*

Recent graduates of the School of Law may also have the opportunity to study at Paris-Dauphine. After receiving the J.D. degree, graduates will be entitled to apply again during the following year to complete the Master's degree, which makes one eligible to sit for the French bar examination upon completion of an apprenticeship in France.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The Université Paris-Dauphine requires that all students enrolled in the semester abroad program take all of the classes offered in their Masters 2 Program. The maximum number of credits that SLU will grant for these credits is 14 transfer credits. These credits will not factor into the student's G.P.A. but will be reported as letter grades on their SLU transcript.

FINANCES AND HOUSING

Students enrolled in the semester abroad program at Université Paris-Dauphine remain students of Saint Louis University. Tuition and fees (other than travel and living expenses) are paid to Saint Louis University. Saint Louis University students studying in Paris do not pay tuition or program-related fees to Université Paris-Dauphine. Law School scholarships and other forms of financial aid remain available to the students studying in Paris. In other words, Saint Louis University law students finance their semester in Paris in the exact same way they would finance a semester in Saint Louis. Students bear incidental expenses, including airfare and ground transportation, lodging, meals, medical insurance, and so forth. Students find their own housing for the program. Students must purchase health insurance coverage from Saint Louis University for their study abroad program period.

INFORMATION AND APPLICATION

For more information about a fall semester studying at Université Paris-Dauphine contact Beth Anderson Jennings (bander29@slu.edu), Professor Isaak Dore (doreii@slu.edu), or Professor Henry Ordower (ordoweh@slu.edu). Applications for fall semester 2010 should be submitted to Student Services no later than Friday, March 5, 2010 at 5:00 p.m.