This 6UOC course will be taught in conjunction with Shanghai Jiao Tong University, a top Chinese university located in Shanghai from Sunday 6 July – Friday 18 July 2014.

Shanghai Summer School will be offered to all eligible Undergraduate law students, Juris Doctor Students, and Postgraduate Masters students.

This course will be taught intensively in 2 weeks in English by law professors from Shanghai Jiao Tong University with field trips provided.

Although this program is called Summer School, it is scheduled as UNSW Semester 2 (T2A) course.

**Course description**

The course provides an introduction into the legal system of the People’s Republic of China with particular reference to modern developments in contract and commercial law. China opened up its economy to market forces thirty years ago. When it did so, law and the legal system lost the pariah role under which they had been cast during the Proletarian Cultural Revolution. The course examines the role law is playing in modern China by reference to its historical antecedents. The course examines particular areas of development for their own sake but also as indicators of the changing role of law in Chinese society. Areas which are the subject of particular attention include:

- the elements and institutions of Chinese legal system
- constitutional law
- contract law
- intellectual property law
- foreign investment law
- corporate and securities law
- foreign trade law and
- mediation, arbitration and civil enforcement procedures.
Classes
Lectures will be held at the city campus of Shanghai Jiao Tong from 9.00am–12.30pm from Monday–Friday for two weeks. In addition, there will be field trips and travel activities organized for some afternoons and weekends to sites such as, the Bund, a cruise of Huang Pu River, Shanghai World Expo, Shanghai Stock Exchange, Xitang Water Town, Shanghai Arbitration Commission, a Chinese court, a Chinese law firm and a foreign law firm. You will also have the opportunities to interact with local students and learn more about legal education and practice in China.

Text and course materials
Some class materials and readings will be available prior to the commencement of the course.

Support for students in Shanghai
Students will be accompanied in Shanghai by Deborah Healey, an associate professor at the faculty of Law, UNSW.

Climate and clothing
July is early summer in Shanghai. Average daily maximum temperature 30°C

Attendance Requirements
100% attendance at courses and field trips is compulsory. Students will not be permitted to sit assessment for the program unless attendance has been satisfactory.

Assessment
The course will be assessed on a graded basis by a research paper with requirement as follows:

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Students can choose their research topics, but the topic must relate to issues covered in the course. Please submit TWO copies of your assignment at Level 2 Student Services Counter with the usual assignment coversheet by 4pm on the above date. UNSW associate academic will grade the papers and results will be available during the S2 2014 official release of results in December 2014.

Format requirements: (1) double-spaced; (2) in no smaller than Times 12 point font; (3) printed on both sides of the page; (4) have numbered pages; (5) have abstract (no more than 150 words), table of contents and bibliography; (6) utilize footnotes instead of endnotes; (7) the word limit includes ALL words in the essay except for the bibliography.

Please write your NAME, STUDENT ID NUMBER and EMAIL ADDRESS on the cover sheet.

A. Late work
Coursework submitted after the applicable deadline will receive a mark of zero except where the student can demonstrate that medical or other compelling reasons prevented the student from meeting the deadline. A student who submits coursework after the applicable deadline may present a written application to the course leader detailing such medical or other compelling reasons. The application must be supported by documentary evidence. The application must be submitted at the earliest possible moment but not later than 10 days after the deadline.

Computer, printer, or other hardware or software failures will never be accepted as compelling reasons for not meeting a deadline.
B. Word limits
Strict word limits will apply to all assessed work. All words in the coursework, including citations, bibliography, table of content, and tables of cases and statutes, whether in the main text or in footnotes or elsewhere, will count towards the word limits. The Word Count function of Microsoft Word will be the official count for these purposes.

Penalties will apply to assessed work which exceeds the word limit as follows:
0-10% 10% penalty
11-29% 20% penalty
30% and over 40% penalty

Cost
Australian students enrolled as Commonwealth Supported students in the undergraduate law program will be charged the Student Contribution Charge for the course. Full fee paying Australian and International students will be charged tuition fees for the course.

In addition, there will be an additional charge AUD$2000 which covers the cost of accommodation, breakfast, welcome and farewell banquets, transportation for field trips and visits, administration costs and additional administrative expenses incurred by Shanghai Jiao Tong and UNSW.

Important: It is compulsory for students to use the arranged accommodation at Shanghai Jiao Tong University for better management and safety reasons.

Note: These figures do NOT include airfares, departure taxes, medical and travel insurance, and telephone and other communication charges. Please read the Cost information very carefully and contact e.song@unsw.edu.au for clarification.

Scholarships available!
Commonwealth-funded scholarships to the value of $2000 each are available to eligible students. More information can be found on the Scholarship website.

Application, Enrolment and Payment Procedure

Eligibility
UNSW students enrolled in the following programs are eligible to apply:
- Dual Law / Graduate Law (LLB)*
- Juris Doctor (9150)*
- Master of Laws (9200)
- Master of Law and Management (9210)
- Master of Business Law (9231)
- Graduate Diploma of Law (5740)
- Graduate Diploma in Business Law (5231)

Non-UNSW law students from an Australian university who are seeking to obtain credit as a cross-institutional student can also apply.

In assessing applications, priority will be given to students in their final year and final selection will be by ballot with quotas for UG, JD and PG students.

*To enroll in this course, Dual Law / Graduate Law (LLB) and Juris Doctor (JD) students will need to have completed at least 60UOC of Law courses.
Note: Academic credit will not be given at UNSW for the course if students have already received credit for the course Chinese Law and Legal Systems offered by the University of Sydney in Shanghai. Furthermore, you can only choose either Beijing Winter School OR Shanghai Summer School, NOT BOTH.

Application form (plus transcript)  
Open: 10am Monday 17 March 2014  
Due: 4pm Friday 21 March 2014

Application forms and information sheets will be available on the Law website. The application form, together with academic transcript should be completed and returned to Law Student Counter, Level 2 Law Building by the above due date. Application will be accepted in this period only, and late application will not be considered. Applications will be selected on a ballot basis with a select number of places reserved for UG, JD and PG students and not be considered on first come first served basis. Preference will be given to final year students. Students who have been accepted and eligible to enrol will be notified via UNSW student Zmail account by early April.

Deposit Payment  
Due: Friday 11 April 2014

Payment forms will be sent to eligible students via student Zmail and also be available at Student Services Counter for students to collect. To secure enrolment, a deposit of at least AUD$300 must be paid by the above date. Payments are made at the University Cashier at Treasury office. The cashier will accept cash, cheques (made out to “UNSW”) or credit cards (except for Diners and American Express). After making the payment you should return to the Level 2 Student Centre, Faculty of Law with your deposit receipt for your enrolment to be registered.  
Note: Eligible students will be able to enrol in a normal full time load (24-27uoc) or overload (30uoc) PLUS 6uoc Shanghai Summer School for S2 2014.

Final Payment  
Due: Friday 25 April 2014

The same procedure applies for the payment of the balance: namely, obtain a payment form, pay the cashier and return to the Level 2 Student Centre with your receipt for recording. In order to secure your place in the course, the full cost must be paid before the above date.

Refunds/ withdrawal
Refunds of final payments are available if you withdraw prior to the commencement of the course due to extenuating circumstances. In order to obtain a refund you must provide us with full details of the circumstances, including medical certificate (where appropriate) and the original receipt.  
Note: Refund or withdrawal from the course after 30 May 2014 will NOT be allowed.

Travel
Students are required to make their own travel arrangements. However, it should be noted that there will be a Welcome Banquet from 6:30pm on the arrival day, Sunday 6 July. Please organise your arrival time so that you are able to attend this function (you are advised to arrive in Shanghai before 1pm on that day if possible). Flights to and from China in July could be busy and so it is advisable to book your airline tickets early.

There are two international airports in Shanghai, namely Pudong International Airport and HongQiao Airport. For the Pudong International Airport, a taxi trip will take about 50 minutes and should cost about RMB 150 (AUD$25), plus 30% night extra charge if after 11pm. You can also choose to take airport shuttle or experience the Maglev train, both convenient and cheaper.

For the HongQiao Airport, as it is within the city, the fare is much cheaper. A taxi trip should take about 30 minutes and cost about RMB 60 (AUD$10), plus 30% night extra charge if after 11pm. But there are only a limited number of international flights at HongQiao Airport. Do not negotiate a taxi ride with anyone inside the airport terminal. Students are free to organize their own tours of China (as individuals or in groups) before or after the course dates.

Travel Insurance
You should obtain travel insurance as soon as your flight bookings have been arranged.
Visa
Shanghai Jiao Tong has instructed us to inform students that they should apply for a tourist visa (NOT a student visa). Please go to Chinese Visa Application Centre to fill in the application form. This is not an online application. You should print out the complete application form and visit the visa center located on Level 5, 299 Elizabeth Street in Sydney.

Accommodation & Meals
The $AUD2000 charge includes hotel accommodation and breakfast at the hotel. Students are free to organize lunch and evening meals in a venue of their choice.

Assigned Hotel Details
Faculty Club Hotel, Shanghai Jiao Tong University (上海交通大学教师活动中心宾馆)
Hua Shan Road, No. 1954 (华山路1954号)
Shanghai China (中国上海)
Tel: 86-21-62822822
Web: http://faculty.sjtu.edu.cn/index.php?controller=Hotel&action=Introduction

The $AUD2000 charge also covers accommodation for 13 nights (Sunday 6 July to Friday 18 July inclusive. Departure on Saturday 19 July). For better management and safety reasons, students are required to stay in the designated hotel for the duration of the program. In special circumstances and with special permission, you are allowed to stay elsewhere, but there will be no refund of accommodation costs.

Extra stay will need to be arranged individually.

Telephone and other communications charges remain the responsibility of individual students and will not be paid by UNSW. Since you are sharing the room with another student, please be sure that you have a clear understanding with each other about the use of the telephone and the allocation of expenses between you. Mini bar and other hotel charges beyond those stipulated above are also the personal responsibility of individual students.

Administrative Communication
All administrative correspondence in preparation for the course will be via your official UNSW student email address. Please ensure that you check your student Zmail regularly for updates and important information.

Pre-departure meeting
Successful applicants are required to attend pre-departure meeting. Time will be advised to closer to departure.

*NOTE: This course requires at least 20 enrolments for it to proceed.
Further inquiries

Please direct general inquiries to:

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