

## Visiting Professor Program - Global Law Program at FGV DIREITO SP

**São Paulo School of Law of Fundação Getulio Vargas (FGV DIREITO SP)** believes in an enabling system of preparation of new bachelors of law, which is different from the systems traditionally observed in other Brazilian law schools, public or private.

To form this new kind of law professional, the project envisioned by FGV DIREITO SP had to be, by definition, innovative and global. As a result, more than restructuring the current law teaching system, FGV DIREITO SP also seeks to consolidate itself as a new alternative to the traditional curriculum.

For this reason, FGV DIREITO SP has created the **Global Law Program**, which is taught in English in order to stimulate our exchange student agreements. This program not only attracts a larger number of foreign students and professors, but also increases our globalized experience.

Within the **Global Law Program**, FGV DIREITO SP offers a series of short-term courses for foreign and Brazilian students regarding contemporary legal topics taught by foreign professors from the most prestigious law schools.

**FGV DIREITO SP's Visiting Professor Program** is based on short-term courses without any fixed standard; where the visiting professor has complete freedom on how he will conduct the class.

The course is one week (15 hours/3 hours per day) long and happens from **Monday to Friday from 5pm to 8pm**. Additionally, we require the visiting professors to stay 05 extra hours during the week in order to develop other activities besides the course. We have an office reserved for the visiting professor with a phone line and a computer with internet access.

In the end of the course, we ask the professors to do an evaluation with the students based on the course. The evaluation can be an exam in the last day of the course or an essay or paper to be delivered by the students a week or two, after the completion of the course.

### SHORT TERM COURSE PROPOSAL

As part of **FGV DIREITO SP** vision, we are always looking for new short-term courses taught by professors from our partner Law Schools to offer to our students.

If any of your professors are interested in teaching a short-term course in the **FGV DIREITO SP's Visiting Professor Program**, please ask him/her to submit a short summary of the course, the objectives and methodology.

The course proposal will be analyzed by the **FGV DIREITO SP** Board and, once approved, the professor will be informed. After receipt of the notice, the professor has to prepare the course syllabus.

## **SYLLABUS**

The Course Syllabus should include the following information:

1. Résumé of the professor including previous education/professional experience
2. Course description and objectives
3. Methodology
4. Evaluation Criteria and System
5. List of Required Course Materials
6. Recommended Readings

## **ADDITIONAL COURSE MATERIALS**

All professors will also be contacted by the International Affairs Office requesting any course materials that will be needed during the course. Any material the professor wishes to hand out to the students should first be sent to the International Affairs Office – [cri.direitosp@fgv.br](mailto:cri.direitosp@fgv.br).

## **COURSE SCHEDULING**

The courses will happen during the Academic year 2020, in the following period:

- **Spring Semester 2020** – First week of March to end of May.
- **Fall Semester 2020** – end of August to beginning of November.

Exactly date will be provided once the course is selected.