

Information Sheet/Reference Guide for Incoming Exchange Students to University of Virginia School of Law for Fall 2020

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| Name of University | University of Virginia School of Law |
| Exchange Program Website | www.law.virginia.edu (main website) |
| Exchange Program Contact Details | <p><u>Mailing & Street Address:</u> University of Virginia School of Law 580 Massie Road Charlottesville, VA 22903-1738 U.S.A.</p> <p><u>Student Records Office</u> Phone: (434) 924-7347 Fax: (434) 924-4672 Email: studentrecords@law.virginia.edu</p> <p><u>Prof. Mila Versteeg</u> Faculty Advisor and Chair of International Relations Committee versteeg@law.virginia.edu</p> |
| Language of Instruction | English |
| Language Requirements | <i>TOEFL</i> test (less than 3 years old); look for minimum scores of 600PBT. On <i>iBT</i> : reading (26); listening (26); speaking (22); writing (24). For <i>IELTS</i> : minimum score of 7 . |
| Application Procedure | <p>There are two parts to the application process.</p> <p><u>PART 1:</u> Law School Portion http://www.law.virginia.edu/html/academics/incomingexchange.htm</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete the Incoming Exchange Student Application form found through the above link 2. Obtain an official letter of nomination from home institution 3. Obtain an official (sealed) transcript from home institution <p>Submit the above materials to the Law School address listed above or via e-mail to studentrecords@law.virginia.edu (an electronic copy of the transcript will be accepted until a hardcopy of the official transcript sent directly from the home institution is received)</p> <p><u>PART 2:</u> International Studies Office (ISO) Portion http://issp.virginia.edu/admissions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Your home school's exchange advisor must nominate you through ISO's Fall 2020 EXCHANGE NOMINATION link found through the above link. |

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| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Complete the Exchange Student Application sent to you after nomination is complete 3. Transcript Request Form (last page of the Exchange Student Application) 4. English language proficiency documentation 5. Copy of passport ID page 6. Documentation of funding <p>Submit the ISO materials online here.</p> |
| Application Deadline | March 15, 2020 |
| Academic Requirements for Admission to the Exchange Program | Students must have completed at least one year of law studies at home institution prior to participation in exchange and be in good academic standing at the home institution. |
| Semester Dates 2020 | <p>Semester Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • August 19 – December 17, 2020 <p>Exam Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • December 5 – December 17 <p>Fall Break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • October 12 – October 14 |
| Orientation Program | <p>http://issp.virginia.edu/orientation - this orientation is required and offered by the International Students & Scholars Program, a division of the International Studies Office.</p> <p>The Law School also holds an orientation program that begins after ISO's. <u>Law School Orientation</u>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday August 17 – Tuesday August 18, 2020 |
| Course Enrollment/Registration | <p>Are students pre-enrolled or pre-registered? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, can students do this themselves on-line? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Do all or some courses have quotas?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All <input type="checkbox"/> Some <input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>Any other comments regarding quotas? Class sizes vary, but there are a finite number of seats in each class. There is no guaranteed enrollment in all desired courses.</p> |
| Mandatory Course Load for Exchange Students | UVa requires a minimum course load of 12 American Bar Association (ABA) credits per semester for full-time enrollment. Also required for U.S. visa purposes. |

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| On-Campus Housing | http://issp.virginia.edu/housing |
| Off-Campus Housing | http://offgroundshousing.student.virginia.edu/ |
| Health Insurance Requirements | http://issp.virginia.edu/health-insurance-requirement |
| Immigration Information | http://issp.virginia.edu/admissions |
| Estimated Cost of Living per Semester | http://issp.virginia.edu/costs NOTE: The minimum cost of \$9,340 is not yet updated for the 2020-21 academic year. Total is forthcoming and may increase. |
| Other Important Information | <p>While exchange students are not required to have laptop computers, exams are taken on laptop computers so students should be comfortable with computers. Exchange students who do not have laptop computers can borrow one from our Technology Office for exams but cannot borrow for the entire semester.</p> <p>Students will need to submit the pre-entrance health form. See: http://www.virginia.edu/studenthealth/ and are subject to the hard-waiver requirement: https://www.studenthealth.virginia.edu/pre-entrance-health-form</p> |

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