1L Registration Information Session

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Purpose: To give you the information you need to complete each preferencing and registration round successfully in the coming weeks.
Before Preferencing Begins...

Utilize all available resources:

➢ Online Resources:
  ▪ Course Catalog:
    o Class size and type
    o By permission courses – not available for preferencing
    o Prerequisites/course details
  ▪ 1L Registration Information page:
    o includes section lists, curated for each section
  ▪ Course and Schedule Updates page:
    o New courses will become available throughout the year. Check this page regularly to be aware of any new additions or scheduling updates.
  ▪ Course Evaluations
  ▪ Tentative Spring 2018 Exam Schedule

➢ Offices and Programs:
  • Office of the Registrar
  • BSA Advisors
  • Programs of Study
2017-2018 1L Registration Information

For the 2018 Spring term, 1L students must enroll in both an International/Comparative Law course and an upper-level spring elective. Registration for those courses will take place in two separate registration rounds; all course preferences will be entered via HELIOS.

The following information is aimed at helping you select courses.

International/Comparative Law Course Registration (Spring 2018)

- Begin entering course preferences: Thursday, October 26, 9am
- Course preferencing deadline: Monday, October 30, 5pm
- Students must rank all 7 courses in order of preference

- Public International Law (Modirzadeh, Naz K.)
- Legal and the International Economy (Wu-Mack)
- International Commercial Arbitration (Blum, Gabriella)
- International Human Rights: Practice and Policy (Koren)
- International Environmental Law (Muller)
Preferencing Dates:

1L International/Comparative Round:
- Opens: Thursday, October 26 @ 9am
- Closes: Monday, October 30 @ 5pm
- Results posted: Weds, November 1 by 5pm

1L Spring Elective Round:
- Opens: Thursday, November 2 @ 9am
- Closes: Tuesday, November 7 @ 5pm
- Results posted: Friday, November 9 by 5pm

All registration results will be available in HELIOS.
1L International/Comparative Round

All 1Ls must enroll in one International/Comparative course during their spring semester.

Students must preference all 7 offerings in this round.

The 1L International/Comparative courses available in Spring 2018 are:

- Public International Law (Modirzadeh, Naz K.)
- Public International Law (Blum, Gabriella)
- Law and the International Economy (Wu, Mark)
- Human Rights and International Law (Neuman, Gerald L.)
- The Legal Architecture of Globalization: Money, Debt, and Development (Desan, Christine Adrienne)
- Comparative Constitutional Law (Jackson, Vicki) **
1L Spring Elective Round

- All 1Ls must enroll in one, 2-4 credit elective during their spring semester.

- Students **must** preference between 5 and 10 courses during this registration round.

- When preferencing, all courses available to 1Ls will be listed. *However, you should only preference courses included on your section list.*
  - If you preference a course not included on your section list, you will not be enrolled and will be wasting a bid.

- A list of elective courses available for each section are listed here on the [1L Registration Information page](#).
Helios & Registration Demo

Welcome to HELIOS.law

Welcome to the 2016-2017 academic year!

Helios Update: Degree Audit is currently under construction and will not be available until fall. Please consider the worksheet found [here](#). LLM and SJD students should contact the Graduate Program Office.

Reminder: As a Harvard Law student you have been assigned an official HLS email account. If you choose to forward this account, keep in mind that the email is forwarding correctly. All communications coming from Harvard Law School are intended for your official HLS email account. Any email which is not delivered is not an excuse. We have taken steps to forward emails to your official HLS account. Any emails which are not delivered...
Step 1: Select the Registration Tab & Review Instructions

2015-2016 JD Spring Elective Preference Selection

Registration

You have submitted 0 of 12 preferences.

Instructions  Find Courses  Preference Order

Choosing Courses to Add to your Preference List:
- You are creating a preference list for the Spring Elective registration round.
- You may preference up to 12 courses in this registration round.

Ordering the Courses in your Preference List and Submitting:
- Once your courses are selected, click on the Preference Order tab.
- You can re-order your selections by dragging and dropping the courses.
- Once you are finished choosing your courses and putting them in the correct order, you must click on the "Submit" button. Your preference list has been saved.

Making Changes to your Preference List:
- Once you submit your course preference list, you may go back and edit it any time until the preferencing period ends.
- You must re-submit your preference list any time you make changes to it in order to save those changes.
Step 2: Select the Find Courses Tab

Registration

You have submitted 0 of 12 preferences.

Instructions   Find Courses   Preference Order

Search

Any Instructor  Any Term  Any Subject

Displaying 1 - 10 of 134 results

Advanced Corporate Transactions
Spring 2016 Course: Marshall Sonenshine

Advanced Environmental Law in Theory and Application
Spring 2016 Course: Richard Lazarus

Advanced Readings in Japanese Business Law
Spring 2016 Seminar, J. Mark Ramseyer

Advanced Topics in Evidence: The Truth
Spring 2016 Seminar, Charles Nesson
Step 3: Search Courses and Add Preferences

Advanced Environmental Law in Theory and Application

Professor Richard Lazarus
Spring 2016 course
M, T 1:00pm - 2:30pm
3 classroom credits

Prerequisites: There are no formal prerequisites for the class, although the environmental law survey course is a recommended course to have taken beforehand.

Exam Type: Any-day take-home exam.

This course complements the general survey course in environmental law. The primary contrast between the two courses lies in their relative breadth and depth of coverage. The survey course can perhaps be best described as a series of broad, shallow dives into the substance of federal environmental law. This class, Advanced Environmental Law In Theory and Application, includes a series, far fewer in number, of much narrower and deeper dives into some of the same material, but also different material, potentially including natural resources law. The basic objective of this advanced course is to teach students how to navigate and think about an exceedingly complex regime of statutes, regulations, and informal agency practices, in the context of addressing a concrete environmental problem. By examining in detail environmental law in application, the theoretical underpinnings and the challenges of environmental lawmaking are well highlighted.

Subject Areas: Environmental Law
### Step 4a: Select Preference Order Tab and Submit Preferences

#### Registration

You have selected 5 of 12 preferences. You have unsubmitted changes.

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Submit
Step 4b: Receive Confirmation of Successfully Submitted Preferences

You have submitted 6 of 12 preferences.
Steps 1-4: Unsubmitted Changes & Re-submitting Preferences

If you update your preferences during any phase, you MUST return to the “Preference Order” tab and select “Submit Preferences” each time.

Otherwise, your changes will NOT be saved.
What’s Next?

1. Confirmation of Bids Email:
   ◦ Sent to all students that submitted bids (approximately 1 hour after closing of bids).
   ◦ If you do not receive this email then we did not receive your bids.
   ◦ If you did not receive this email, contact the Registrar’s Office ASAP.

2. The registration algorithm runs.

3. Results are released in Helios by 5pm on the stated release date for that round.
Registration Results

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Please contact the IT Helpdesk of the Harvard Law School if you have any issues with your official HLS account.

Your Schedule
Registration
Add/Drop
Your Waitlist
Course Catalog
Add/drop begins once results are released for each round.

- Add/drop will continue through the **Add/Drop deadline:** Friday, January 26, 2018 at 11:59pm EST.

Waitlist processing will temporarily close before the Thanksgiving holiday and will resume after the Winter break.

- Waitlists are processed in priority order.
- Students have 24-hours to accept waitlist offers.

For more information on add/drop and waitlist processing, please see our [Registration Information](#) page.
New Degree Audit Tool

Check your degree requirements.

registrar@law.harvard.edu
In Closing...

For successful registration:

✓ Note all dates
✓ Utilize all available resources
✓ Complete and submit preferences in Helios
✓ Must always select “Submit”
Questions?

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