Spend your summer at SULaw!

Join us here in Stockholm for our international Summer Programme!

Since 2017 we have offered our Summer programme to students from our partner universities around the world. You as a nominated student can choose to study with us at the Department of Law, or SULaw, Stockholm University for 2, 4 or 6 weeks.

You will have the amazing opportunity to study with fellow students from around the world in courses taught by top researchers.

During this time, you will also get to know our beautiful city. The capital of Sweden is unique in many ways; despite its relatively small size, it offers everything you would expect to find in a cosmopolitan city such as beautiful architecture, trendy shopping, museums, theatres, night clubs, international food and an extraordinary music scene. Stockholm is built on fourteen islands, so you are always close to nature - you will be met by stunning waterfront views almost anywhere you go. Our campus is situated just minutes away from the city centre, in Sweden's only national urban park, the Royal National City Park. Did you know that in Stockholm, you are never more than 300 meters away from a park?

Stockholm is also rated as one of the safest capitals in the world and is often praised for its quality of life and proximity to nature. Come and experience this city yourself!

Ask your home university for more information about our Summer programme at SULaw!
Our Courses

Our Summer Programme lasts for six weeks, divided into three two-week sessions, starting in late June/early July until mid-August. Students can choose to enrol in courses for one, two, or all three sessions.

The course offer varies from year to year but we offer on average between 9 to 12 different law courses focusing on for example public international law, business law & human rights law. More information can be found on our web page:

https://www.su.se/department-of-law/education/incoming-exchange-students

Our law courses are taught by both faculty members from SULaw and guest professors from partner universities around the world. They all share a passion for their subjects and are eager to share this with you too! Our intensive law courses are worth 3,5 ECTS and students are issued an official transcript of record at the end of their studies with us. Students are generally admitted to a maximum of two courses per session.
Social Programme: Discover Stockholm with Us

In order to help you make the most of your visit to Sweden, and because summer should not only be about studying, we also organise social and cultural activities as part of our summer programme. You will get to experience Swedish culture through, for example, a visit to local landmarks such as the Stockholm City Hall, the Skansen Outdoor Museum or the Vasa Museum, and excursions to places of natural beauty such as Skinnarviksberget or Djurgården.

These opportunities will give you the chance to socialize with fellow students and the SULaw coordinators, but you will still have plenty of time to discover Stockholm on your own!
Requirements & Application

To be eligible for studies at SULaw, you must be nominated by one of our partner universities, and fulfill the academic requirement for our courses. Our summer courses are undergraduate courses at either basic and advanced levels. To enrol in a course at basic level, students are expected to have completed at least 60 ECTS (i.e. one full year of studies) in law prior to the programme while for courses at advanced level, we recommend that students have completed at least 120 ECTS (i.e. two full years of studies) in law.

As all courses are taught in English, you are also required to have sufficient knowledge of the English language. We recommend that non-native speakers have a level of at least B2-C1. We do not require any language tests but your home university will ensure that you fulfill these requirements before they nominate you to us.

After being nominated, you will receive a link to an online application and course selection form. To be admitted to the summer programme, you must also pay the fee for the social programme.
Cost & Important Deadlines

Our academic summer programme is tuition free. The fixed cost for the programme that you pay covers student housing, welcome activities, farewell dinner, social and cultural events, a public transportation card for the entire stay and administrative fees. The exact cost for our programme each year is available on our webpage, below is only for reference and might change.

1 session/ 2 weeks = around 8.000 SEK
2 sessions/ 4 weeks = around 15.000 SEK
3 sessions/ 6 weeks = around 22.000 SEK

All relevant information about our Summer programme can be found on our webpage, accessible through the QR code above. Please note that deadline extension cannot be granted. The deadlines are as follows:

Nomination Deadline by Home University: 31 March
Application & Payment Deadline: mid-April
Letter of Acceptance available: end of April
Why SULaw's Summer Programme?

The programme provides a wonderful opportunity for students to broaden their horizons and learn from excellent professors and get to know new people with similar interests. It was an amazing experience to study at SU, even for this short period of time, and I would highly recommend it to anyone who is curious about different areas of law and wants to spend a few weeks of their summer in a productive and meaningful way.

Dalma Vigh (2021) student at Eötvös Loránd University (ELTE), Hungary

Stockholm is a very prestigious university, among the highest ranked universities in the world. When Penn State told us about the opportunity to do a Summer Programme at Stockholm University, I was sure that I wanted to participate, not only for the academic experience, but also to have the opportunity to be exposed to other cultures and approaches to law.

Andrés Berdugo (2021) from Colombia, student at Pennsylvania State University, United States
Tips and tricks for a successful summer

The best tip for understanding a topic – be involved in discussions. Ask questions and debate answers. The more you are involved in the conversation, the better. There really isn’t a better way of learning than being active during lectures.

Elina Rancane studying at Riga Graduate School of Law, Latvia

SULaw really shaped my love for the world. Staff promoted not only dedicating yourself to studying, but ensured all students immersed themselves in the Stockholm way of life including the infamous Fika! If you are onsite, venture out, see the city and enjoy what Stockholm, Sweden, has to offer. It’ll forever have a place in my heart!

Benjamin Hall studying at Deakin University, Australia
Our students' experiences in three words!


Engaging. Worthwhile. Enlightening


IT WAS AWESOME.


Brilliant. Inspiring. Rewarding.

GREAT LEARNING OPPORTUNITY.
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