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A hands-on introduction to the U.S. legal  
system and international business law.



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### Highlights

- Learn practical lessons from top legal scholars and practitioners.
- A remarkable multi-cultural environment - Interact with participants from over 20 countries.
- Form international alliances that last a lifetime.
- Sharpen English-language skills.
- Return better able to represent the interests of clients.

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# ABOUT THE ACADEMY

## Overview of Courses (Subject to Change)

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Data Privacy & Cyber Breaches  
Intellectual Property Law  
International Business Transactions  
International Commercial Arbitration

International Compliance Law  
International Litigation in U.S. Courts  
Introduction to the U.S. Legal System  
Legal Writing in Plain English  
Mergers and Acquisitions  
Mock Trial – Conducting a Civil Trial in U.S. Courts

Negotiations  
Professional Responsibility and Legal Ethics  
Securities Regulation  
Taxation of International Transactions

The Academy is a **five-week** business-oriented course of study that addresses a wide range of law-related commercial topics. It gives lawyers and judges from outside the United States an opportunity to study American law and international business transactions.

The program is particularly valuable for those who work for multi-national corporations or law firms that represent either U.S. clients or multi-national clients with U.S. interests.

The interactive curriculum includes lectures, small group discussions, a mock trial, writing exercises, a mock law firm problem, and more.

Since **1964**, more than **3,300** participants from **121 countries** have taken part in the Academy.

Past attendees have advanced to positions such as Prime Minister of Peru, President of the General Assembly of the United Nations and Chief Justice of the Philippines. Many have played prominent roles in the international legal community.

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## AMONG THE ACADEMY FACULTY



### TREY CHILDRESS

(Anatomy of a Lawsuit – International Litigation in U.S. Courts) is a Professor at Pepperdine University School of Law. He was Editor in Chief of the Duke Law Journal and practiced law in Washington, D.C. with the firm of Jones Day. Professor Childress is the co-author of *Transnational Law and Practice*, and author of *The Role of Ethics in International Law*.



### JACK J. COE, JR.

(International Commercial Arbitration) is a professor at Pepperdine University School of Law. He has chaired the Academic Council of the Institute for Transnational Arbitration. Professor Coe is a reporter for the Restatement of the U.S. Law of International Commercial Arbitration. He authored *International Commercial Arbitration: American Principles and Practice in a Global Context*, and has co-authored and co-edited two other books.



### BRYAN A. GARNER

(Legal Writing), is the editor in chief of Black's Law Dictionary. His books include *Garner's Modern American Usage and Elements of Legal Style*. He has co-authored two books with former U.S. Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia: *Making Your Case: The Art of Persuading Judges* and *Reading Law: The Interpretation of Legal Texts*. Professor Garner is also a Distinguished Research Professor of Law at Southern Methodist University's Dedman School of Law.



### CHARLES H. GUSTAFSON

(International Tax Law) is Professor of Law and former Associate Dean for International and Graduate Programs at the Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C.. Professor Gustafson is co-author of several casebooks on federal income taxation, including *Taxation of International Transactions*.

### SUSAN L. KARAMANIAN

(U.S. Justice System; Common Law vs. Civil Law) is Dean of the law school at Hamad bin Khalifa University in Qatar. She is the Chair of the Advisory Board of the Southwestern Institute for International and Comparative Law. She is the former Associate Dean for International and Comparative Legal Studies and Professional Lecturer in Law at the George Washington University Law School in Washington, D.C.. She is also Former Vice President of the American Society of International Law.



### TIMOTHY MEYER

(International Business Transactions) is the FedEx Research Professor and Director of International Legal Studies at Vanderbilt Law School. Professor Meyer co-authored a book on international soft law with Andrew Guzman and previously practiced at the Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State. While there, he represented the United States in commercial arbitrations and real property transactions around the world, as well as in negotiations with foreign governments on diplomatic law issues.



**MARK MICHELS** is the senior manager of learning and development at Winston & Strawn LLP. Previously, he retired as a managing director from Deloitte's Discovery practice. Prior to joining Deloitte he spent 11 years as litigation manager at Cisco Systems where he focused on litigation management (commercial and patent) and electronic discovery. Prior to joining Cisco, Mark was an attorney at the international law firm McKenna and Cuneo. Mark received his JD from the Georgetown University Law Center and BSFS, School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University.



### STANLEY SIEGEL

(Business Organizations, Securities, Regulation, and Legal Accounting) is Professor of Law, Emeritus, at the New York University School of Law. He is one of the first law professors in the U.S. to teach a course in Corporate Finance, and he has authored or coauthored six books, most recently *International Accounting Standards for Non-public Enterprises*. He is considered to be one of the best law school teachers in the U.S..



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# REGISTRATION

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Academy tuition includes classroom instruction, lunches each class day, a variety of field trips and extra-curricular activities. Travel, hotel, and other meals are not included.

Members of the Southwestern Institute for International and Comparative Law (SWIICL) receive a substantial discount for Academy tuition:

Current SWIICL Members	Tuition for 1st Participant	For 2nd Participant	Others
Sustaining Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000
Supporting Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000
Sponsoring Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500
Associate Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500
Individual Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,850	-----	

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Level of SWIICL Membership	Annual Dues		Academy Tuition		Total
<input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining Member	\$7,500	plus	\$0	=	\$7,500
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<input type="checkbox"/> Sponsoring Member	\$2,500	plus	\$1,300	=	\$3,800
<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Member	\$1,000	plus	\$2,500	=	\$3,500
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual Member	\$650	plus	\$2,850	=	\$3,500

☐ If you are not a SWIICL member, Academy tuition is \$8,000.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Current title: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Sustaining Member** – \$7,500 annual dues

- Send two people tuition-free to the Academy
- Name six people to the Advisory Board; appoint six deputy Advisory Board members
- Send an unlimited number of people tuition-free to the annual Symposium

**Supporting Member** – \$5,000 annual dues

- Send one person tuition-free to the Academy
- Name four people to the Advisory Board; appoint four deputy Advisory Board members
- Send eight people plus Advisory Board members tuition-free to the annual Symposium

**Sponsoring Member** – \$2,500 annual dues

- Send one person to the Academy by paying an additional \$1,300 for tuition
- Name two people to the Advisory Board; appoint two deputy Advisory Board members
- Send four people plus Advisory Board members tuition-free to the annual Symposium

**Associate Member** – \$1,000 annual dues

- Send one person to the Academy by paying an additional \$2,500 for tuition
- Name one person to the Advisory Board; appoint one deputy Advisory Board member
- Send two people plus the Advisory Board member tuition-free to the annual Symposium

**Individual Member** – \$650 annual dues

- Become a member of the Advisory Board and attend the Symposium tuition-free
- Attend the Academy yourself or send someone by paying an additional \$2,850 for tuition

**Academy Alumni Member** – \$150 annual dues

- Must be a former Academy participant
- Become a member of the Advisory Board
- Attend the Symposium tuition-free

## 3 WAYS TO REGISTER

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