

# LL.M.(English taught)

LL.M. is a program for postgraduate legal study provided by the Law School, Shanghai University of Finance & Economics (SUFE). Shanghai is one of the most developed cities in China, reflecting the development of the economics and society. SHUFE is one of the renowned universities in China, whose graduates spread over the financial and fiscal area such as securities, insurance, banking and fund, having a significant influence across the country.

Based on the subject of law, supported and integrated by the rich teaching resources in the area of economics and management which is high-ranking nationally, this Program aims to foster the legal professionals with international talents. Students in this Program is supposed to: (1) have a solid foundation of legal theories, good citizenship and deep understanding to the spirit of rule of law principle; (2) possess the professional knowledge of economic law, civil & commercial law, etc., and be able to combine theory with practice; (3) possess a strong ability to observe, analyze, and research on legal issues; (4) become competent professionals in the field of economic law, civil & commercial law and relative areas after graduation. The teaching staffs in this program have remarkable domestic education background, most of which have obtained the Ph.D. degrees from distinguished universities overseas. In Shanghai, the Law School has maintained intimate connections with various local governments and people's courts, law firms, securities companies, commercial banks, insurance companies, fund companies and multi-national companies, etc. The excellent students from the LL.M. program may be recommended to visit, interview or have an internship in these institutions.

The program welcomes the students who come from other countries in the world and possess diverse culture backgrounds to participate. The foreign students have the chance to study and live together with the outstanding Chinese law students, and make good friendship with them.

# **Application Procedures**

#### **Oualification**

- (1) The program is only designed for non-Chinese-nationality, Kong Hong, Macao and Taiwan applicants under the age of 45.
- (2) Immigrants to other countries from the Mainland China, Hong Kong, Macao or Taiwan applying to study at SUFE as international students should satisfy the additional requirements of National Ministry of Education.
- (3) All applicants who are not native English speakers or who did not have a postsecondary education entirely conducted in the English language must take the TOEFL or IELTS examination. (Above 550 (paper based) and 80 (computer

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based) in TOFEL or 6.5 in IELTS).

#### **Application materials**

- (1) A fulfilled application form (A1), which can be downloaded from our website.
- (2) One photocopy of your passport.
- (3) Diploma and degree, related transcripts (original or notarized version, in notarized Chinese or English translation). For those who are about to graduate, a certification of expected graduation is also acceptable.
- (4) The original academic record of Bachelor or Master (or notarized copy) in English or Chinese. (If not the English or Chinese version, the notarized copy in English or Chinese should be submitted).
- (5) English language level certificate (non-English speaking and not all the courses given in English applicants: (Above 550 (paper based) and 80 (computer based) in TOFEL or 6.5 in IELTS)
- (6) Personal statement, written in English, which includes study and work experiences, research results and a study plan.
- (7) Recommendation letters in Chinese or English from two professors or associate professors.
- (8) Application fee: 1660 RMB (or the proof/invoice of remittance) (non-refundable) Payment methods: a) Cash b) via China Post c) by Bank Transfer

All the above mentioned application materials (include the proof/invoice of remittance) must be sent to:

Admission Office, ICES- SUFE No.369 Zhongshan Beiyi Road Shanghai, P. R. China, 200083

- If necessary, some additional documents will be required.
- An application with incomplete materials will be invalid.
- All documents and application fee are non-refundable.

## **Application deadline**

The deadline for the application of 2012 LL.M. course is 30 June, 2012. (the date is subject to the local mail postmark)

All application materials must be submitted to the Admission Office of ICES-SUFE before the deadline, otherwise it will be considered as an application for the enrollment in next year. Applicants can apply online, in the admission office or by post.



#### **Admission Process**

- Two types of entrance examinations are offered: ①Interview ②Written exam and Interview.
- Once all necessary documents have been submitted and approved, the Admission Office of ICES-SUFE will inform qualified applicants the details of interview by telephone or email.
- Qualified applicants will be accepted after passing the entrance examinations. The International Cultural Exchange School of SUFE will mail the Applicant the Visa Application Form for Foreign Students (JW202 Form) and Admission Notice.

## **Registration Time**

August, 2012, the exact registration/admission date will be announced in the Admission Notice.

### **Tuition**

- (1) 140,000 RMB( the whole program)
- (2) Students should pay 70,000 RMB in the first fall semester before registration and the other 70,000 RMB in the second.
- (3) Way of payment
  - a. by Bank Transfer

| Name:       | Shanghai University of Finance and Economics      |
|-------------|---|
| A/C:        | 1001 2249 0930 005 0373                           |
| Bank:       | Industrial and Commercial Bank of China, Shanghai |
|             | Municipal Branch                                  |
| Swift Code: | ICBKCNBJSHI                                       |
| Bank Add:   | No.9 Pu Dong Avenue, Shanghai, China              |
| Post Code:  | 200120  |
| Bank TEL:   | 0086-21-58885888                                  |

### Tips for the remittance form:

- Cheques are not accepted
- Addition: Please write down the Applicant's Name or student number (very important)
- b. by Cash

Address: Room 217, ICES SUFE

No. 369 Zhongshan Beiyi Road, Shanghai, P. R. China



## **Scholarship**

Chinese Government Scholarship (CSC) (http://www.csc.edu.cn) Online application: http://laihua.csc.edu.cn (Admission code of SUFE: 10272)

### Others:

#### (1) Accommodation:

The university offers comfortable dormitories located in the campus for each international student of LL.M. program. The current charges: a shared room with a private bathroom, air-conditioning, color television and internet access is RMB 50 per day(for one bed). Those who would like to live on campus, please book the dorm online according to the Guidance for Registration in the given period.

#### (2) Insurance

All international students are required to have medical insurance. (covers both overseas accidental damage and hospital treatment).

Fee: 600RMB(one year)

### (3) Library

At the Guoding Campus of Shanghai University of Finance & Economics, law students may easily use the university library to collect legal materials and study in a comfortable environment. Databases like Westlaw and Heinonline are available in the library. Students may also get access to these databases by any computer within the campus.

#### Contact Us

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