



Study Law in Brazil!

Fall Semester: August - December 2016

Earn Gonzaga Law credit by studying (in English!) at one of South America's top law schools, Fundação Getulio Vargas (FGV or Direito GV), in São Paulo. Learning with students from around the world, this program prepares lawyers for international practice through study in a city increasingly seen as a global economic center.

Two students will be selected for Gonzaga's exchange program with FGV on the basis of academic achievement and career goals. The application process at Gonzaga includes submission of a personal statement and an interview. Gonzaga's two nominees will submit an administrative application online to FGV.

Course of Study

Students may take law courses in English or Portuguese, but no Portuguese is required. ("Survival Portuguese" is recommended; students may elect to study Portuguese at FGV for an extra charge.)

Students are able to select from 2-month, 2-credit courses and intensive 1-week, 1-credit courses. Class participation is strongly encouraged and usually counts for 20%-30% of the final grade. Classes range between 30-60 students.

Sample Courses

- ◆ Introduction to the Brazilian Legal System (required)
- ◆ International Law of Development
- ◆ Banking Regulations
- ◆ EU and Brazilian Competition Law and Economics

Eligibility

Students must have:

- ◆ completed, by the end of summer term 2015, at least 60 credits, including all courses required for graduation, except for the experiential learning requirement;
- ◆ a cumulative law school GPA of 2.5 or higher (applicants must maintain a 2.5 GPA through the end of summer term 2015);
- ◆ no Code of Student Conduct violation;
- ◆ no criminal record or other history that might impair a student's ability to obtain a visa.



General Budget

\$18,540.00	tuition (\$1,236/credit) to Gonzaga Law
\$ 5,260.00*	living expenses (US- \$1,052/month)**
\$ 2,100.00*	Roundtrip airfare
\$ 400.00*	Miscellaneous fees
\$ 200.00*	International health insurance
\$26,500.00*	TOTAL

*Estimates only, based on exchange rate of US \$1 = R\$ 3,66

**Includes shared housing, food, transportation in Brazil, books, personal expenses

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