

FGV DIREITO SP GLOBAL LAW PROGRAM

FGV DIREITO SP - São Paulo Law School of Fundação Getúlio Vargas - believes in an enabling system of preparation of new bachelors of law which is different from the models traditionally observed in other law schools, public or private.

Only an innovative model delivers dynamic professionals, with an entrepreneurial profile, and prepared to act not only in different law areas, but also in important issues concerning Economics, Accounting, Finance, Business Administration, among other areas where **Fundação Getúlio Vargas** has already been recognized as a paradigm of excellence.

To develop this new law professional, the project that envisioned **FGV DIREITO SP** had to be, by definition, innovative. As a result, more than restructuring the current law teaching model, **FGV DIREITO SP** also has the purpose of consolidating itself as an alternative of content and form to the traditional curriculum. In this sense, among other initiatives, **FGV DIREITO SP** was created the **Global Law Program**.

The **FGV DIREITO SP Global Law Program** was designed for international and FGV students. This program aims to introduce foreign students to the Brazilian Legal System and to promote a broad debate on issues of global relevance in a Brazilian perspective. The Global Law Program is divided in two terms with a total of four disciplines. Exchange students are supposed to attend three of these disciplines¹. Moreover, one of these disciplines is **mandatory** for foreign students: *Introduction to the Brazilian Legal System*. Each term will last two months.

In addition to these disciplines **FGV DIREITO SP** will offer a series of short-term courses on contemporary issues taught in English. These short-term courses will be conducted by both foreign and **FGV DIREITO SP** professors.

Finally, exchange students at **FGV DIREITO SP** will be allowed to attend disciplines taught in English offered by the **FGV Business School**, depending on availability.

¹ In special cases the Director of International Affairs may consider the possibility to waive this obligation.