Summer School
Fourth edition

“Spanish Law, Politics and Economy”

13-24 June, 2016

Universidad Autónoma de Madrid
**Description:**
This two-week course, taught in English, aims to provide students with an introduction to current topics of the Spanish legal, political and economic reality. There are several visits, guided by experts, to some of the most emblematic judicial, political and financial institutions in Madrid.

**Course of Study:**
The objective of this short-term course is to provide students with an introduction to current topics of the Spanish legal, political and economic reality. Interactive discussions and audio-visual materials complement the lectures.

The program includes several visits guided by experts to some of the most emblematic judicial, political and financial institutions located in Madrid.

The teaching staff is made up primarily of UAM professors. Some guest professors from other universities and experts from different institutions also participate in the course.

Students can achieve 3 ECTS upon attending the sessions, participating in the scheduled activities and passing the evaluation tests.

**Schedule:**
The daily activities start at 9:00 a.m. and end at 5:00 p.m. with a 2 hour break from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.

The morning sessions will take place in Madrid and the afternoon sessions at the Cantoblanco UAM campus, easily reachable by public transportation.

**Admission Requirements:**

**Who can apply?**
International students & Spanish students from any field of study, professionals.

**Requirement:**
Proficiency level of English of B2
Application:
Please scan the following documents and send them to studyabroad@uam.es by April 30th:

1. Application form
2. Photocopy of the bio-page of your passport
3. An official academic transcript with grades
4. Proof of English language level (for non-native speakers)
5. Your CV, if you want to be considered for a scholarship (Europass format)

Applicants will receive notification of admission to the program no later than June 1st.

Maximum of 40 students. The Summer School requires a minimum of 10 students enrolled in order to be celebrated.

Tuition fees:
Tuition for this course is 500€
(There is a discount of 50€ for members of ELSA)

The first round of registration and payment is from February 15th – April 30th. There will be a second round if spaces are still available.

As soon as you have been admitted, you will receive instructions to register on-line and make your tuition payment within 10 days after acceptance.

The fee includes a summer pass for the swimming pool, a welcome lunch and a farewell lunch.

Please note, accommodation and transportation are not included in the fee.

Partial scholarships are available.

More information:
http://www.uam.es/ss/Satellite/es/1242691316468/1242691316579/generico/generico/Law,_Politics_and_Economy.htm
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Visits to relevant Spanish Institutions

The Summer School participants visit the Spanish Senate
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The Protection of Human Rights in Spain and Europe.
Alfonso Iglesias Velasco (Senior Lecturer in International Public Law, UAM); Roberto García Galonce (Doctoral Researcher in International Public Law, UAM).

Welcome Lunch at University.

Current trends in Spanish Criminal Justice Policy.
Gonzalo J. Basso (Lecturer in Criminal Law, UAM).

Economic instruments for environmental policy in Spain.
Miguel Buñuel (Senior Lecturer of Economics, UAM).

June 14

The Monarchy in Spain. Visit to the Royal Palace.
Ana de Marcos Fernández (Senior Lecturer in Administrative Law, UAM) and Ángel Menéndez Rexach (Senior Lecturer in Administrative Law, UAM).

Legal and moral foundations of Spanish taxation.
Borja Barragué Calvo (Lecturer in Philosophy of Law, UAM) and César Martínez Sánchez (Lecturer in Tax Law, UAM).

June 15

Local Government and Politics in Comparative perspective. Visit to a City Hall.
Carmen Navarro (Senior Lecturer in Political Science, UAM).

Spanish ageing population: economic consequences.
Emilio J. González González (Lecturer of Economics, UAM) and Ernesto Rodríguez Crespo (Researcher of Economics, UAM)

June 16

International Child Abduction in Spain.
Elena Rodríguez Pineau (Senior Lecturer in International Private Law, UAM) and Adriana de Rujter (Lecturer and Lawyer)

Spanish and international databases.
María Gil Izquierdo (Senior Lecturer of Applied Economics, UAM).

June 17

Latin America and Spain: ¿quo vadis? Visit to the Casa de América.
Susanne Gratius (Senior Lecturer in Political Science, UAM) and Sergio Caballero (Lecture in Political Science, University of Nebrija - ICADE).

Free time
June 20
Contract Law. Visit to the Royal Academy of Legislation and Jurisprudence.
Carmen Jerez Delgado (Senior Lecturer in Civil Law, UAM), Cristina Fuenteseca (Senior Lecturer in Civil Law, University Complutense of Madrid) and Mª José Santos (Senior Lecturer in Civil Law, University Carlos III).

Labour market and Social Security in Spain.
Borja Suárez Corujo (Senior Lecturer in Labour Law, UAM)

Free time

June 21
The Autonomous Communities: an analysis of Spain's territorial organization of the State from a comparative federalist perspective. Visit to the Spanish Senate.
Santiago Pérez-Nievas (Senior Lecturer in Political Science, UAM)

Free time

June 22
The Spanish Constitutional Court in Historic Perspective. Visit to the Constitutional Court.
César Martínez Sánchez (Senior Lecturer in Public Law, UAM) and Fernando Pastor Merchante (Lecturer in Administrative Law).

Gender and Rights in Spain.
Elena Beltrán (Senior Lecturer in Philosophy of Law, UAM) and Silvina Álvarez (Senior Lecturer in Philosophy of Law, UAM)

June 23
Right to privacy versus freedom of speech. Visit to the Spanish Supreme Court.
Beatriz Gregoraci Fernández (Senior Lecturer in Civil Law, UAM) and Gemma Minero Alejandre (Lecturer in Civil Law, UAM).

Is Massive Monitoring of Communications Prohibited According to the ECHR?
Carlos Espósito Massicci (Senior Lecturer in International Law, UAM)

Free time

June 24
Death, dying and organ transplantation.
Pablo de Lora (Senior Lecturer in Philosophy of Law, UAM).

Farewell Lunch at University. Certificates.
Free time
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