

Why MONTRÉAL?

Montréal, Québec, Canada, offers much of the culture, history, and excitement of Europe in modern North American comfort. From the ornate Notre-Dame Cathedral in Old Montréal to the museums, nightclubs, and fine restaurants, Montréal is a major center of tourism, recreation, and bilingual culture. The city blends its heritage, history, and geographical location into a unique living experience. You can visit the beautiful Botanical Gardens, hike Mont Royal, take a chance at the Casino, or go shopping in the vast underground mall off of St. Catherine Street. Additionally, summer is festival season throughout the province of Québec and typically there are special activities planned every weekend. Many students also take day-trips to the province's capital city of Québec—the center of French-Canadian culture and government.

The cost of visiting Montréal is many times less than a comparable stay in any European capital. The currency exchange rate is basically at parity; one U.S. dollar is worth about one Canadian dollar. The city of Montréal is beautiful, rich in character, and well-maintained. The city is safe and people are helpful, polite, and considerate. English is spoken everywhere, but there are plenty of opportunities to practice your French.



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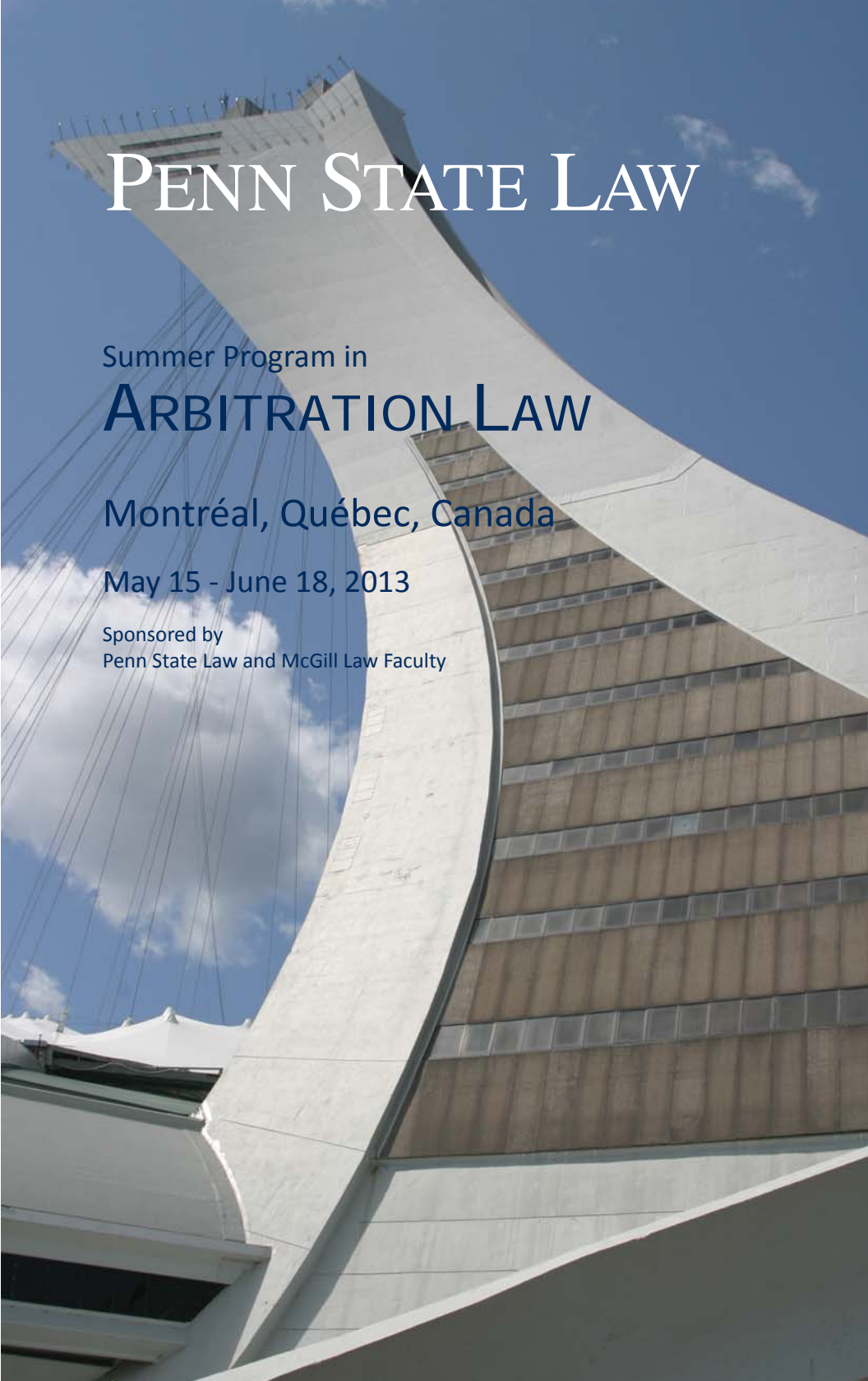
PENN STATE LAW

Summer Program in ARBITRATION LAW

Montréal, Québec, Canada

May 15 - June 18, 2013

Sponsored by
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OVERVIEW

Penn State Law offers the exciting Summer Program in Arbitration Law at the McGill Law Faculty in Montréal, Québec, Canada. The program familiarizes U.S. and Canadian law students with the emergent and vital field of international commercial arbitration and promotes the understanding of transborder arbitration, including administering arbitral institutions and international treaties that recognize arbitration as an effective means of international dispute resolution. Distinguished professors and leading practitioners teach courses and lecture on key topics such as investment arbitration, ICC arbitration, and consumer arbitration. U.S. law students are introduced to a foreign culture and develop a working knowledge of arbitration—both of which are staples of international legal practice.

Why PENN STATE LAW?

The Program is hosted by the Penn State Institute of Arbitration Law and Practice, founded to promote the study and scholarship of arbitration. Both directors of the Montreal Summer Program, Professor Thomas E. Carbonneau and Professor Frédéric Bachand, are members of the Institute and renowned scholars of national and international dispute resolution.

The program's host, McGill Law Faculty, is a world-renowned institution with a long-standing reputation in the comparative study of law and bijural legal education. It believes arbitration is central to the historical mission of the school because it acts as the new gateway to global law and legal practice. McGill provides a top-quality setting for the program, and its reputation attracts leading Canadian scholars and practitioners who are able to give informative and lively lectures.

The program has been approved by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and the American Bar Association.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The program offers basic and specialized one-credit courses in arbitration and the ability to earn a certificate in the study of arbitration law from Penn State Law and McGill Law Faculty. All classes are conducted in English, and none of the courses has prerequisites. Classes are held Monday through Friday, culminating in a one-hour exam at the end of the session. Course descriptions and a complete schedule are available at law.psu.edu/montreal.

Session One — May 15-27

- Introduction to Arbitration
- Consumer Arbitration
- The Model Law on Arbitration

Session Two — May 28-June 6

- NAFTA Arbitration
- ICC Arbitration

Session Three — June 7-18

- U.S. Law of Arbitration
- ICSID Arbitration

GRADING

U.S. law students will be joined by McGill Law Faculty students in all of the courses. The two groups will take the same examinations but will be graded as separate groups — each subject to their sponsoring institution's grading policy. All J.D. students in the program are subject to Penn State's grading curve, which treats the program courses as a seminar or small class with a median grade of B+ / mean of 3.0 - 3.6. J.D. students from other law schools should check with their home institutions regarding their grade conversion policy. Unless a student has substantial prior exposure to arbitration law, he or she must take all six credit hours to receive the program certificate.

ADMISSIONS AND APPLICATION

Students in good standing at schools accredited by the Association of American Law Schools or the American Bar Association may apply. The program is open to international students and Canadian lawyers and notaries.

Apply online at law.psu.edu/montreal by April 30, 2013. A non-refundable registration fee of \$200 is required at the time of registration. For more information about the program, contact Professor Thomas E. Carbonneau • tec10@psu.edu • Tel. 814-863-3730.

TUITION

Tuition charges for the 2013 program are \$4,250 for all three sessions. The tuition price includes the cost of books and course materials. A student must take all six credit hours to qualify for the certificate. Students can attend one, two, or three sessions. The tuition fee for individual sessions is \$1,725. Students must register by session or for the entire program. All tuition charges must be paid by May 13, 2013. Slightly lower tuition rates apply for Canadian students and lawyers to reflect differences in price for credit-hours.

STUDENT LOANS

Students may apply for loans to cover the cost of tuition and living expenses. Lending arrangements must be made by the borrower through the school at which the student is enrolled.

HOUSING

Students are responsible for securing their own housing. A range of options exist for summer housing, including close and convenient dormitory housing, privately arranged sublets, and furnished luxury apartments near campus. A memo with additional details on housing options will be sent to all enrolled students.

FACULTY AND LECTURERS

PROFESSOR FRÉDÉRIC BACHAND

LL.B., Université de Montréal; LL.M., Cambridge University; Hague Academy of International Law; Barreau du Québec; Doctorat, Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II), Assistant Professor of Law, McGill University, Resident Director of the Program

Frédéric Bachand is particularly interested in the judicial and extrajudicial resolution of civil and commercial disputes, whether they occur in a domestic or international context.

PROFESSOR ANDREA K. BJORKLUND

B.A. (University of Nebraska—Lincoln), M.A. (New York University), J.D. (Yale).

Professor of Law, University of California at Davis School of Law; formerly a Bigelow Fellow, Univ. of Chicago; Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Dept. of State; and a Judicial Clerk for the Honorable Sam J. Ervin III, U.S. Fourth Circuit.

Professor Bjorklund is a recognized expert in NAFTA Arbitration and International Trade and Transborder Litigation.

PROFESSOR THOMAS E. CARBONNEAU

A.B. (Bowdoin College), M.A. (Oxon), M.A., J.D. (Virginia), LL.M., S.J.D. (Columbia), Samuel P. Orlando Distinguished Professor of Law, Penn State Law. Founder and Director of the Program.

Professor Carbonneau is a leading national and international authority on arbitration and international litigation.

PROFESSOR PATRICK DUMBERRY

LL.B. (University of Montréal), D.E.S. and Ph.D. (Graduate Institute for International Studies, Geneva, Switzerland).

Professor Dumberry is Assistant Professor at the University of Ottawa (Civil Law Section). He practiced international law and arbitration with law firms (in both Geneva and Montreal), as well as with Canada's Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Trade Law Bureau).

PROFESSOR FABIEN GÉLINAS

LL.M. and LL.B. (Université de Montréal), D. Phil. (Oxford), Associate Professor of Law, McGill University.

Professor Gélinas teaches and pursues research in international dispute resolution, constitutional law, and legal theory. He is formerly General Counsel to the ICC International Court of Arbitration and was a law clerk to Mr. Justice Gonthier of the Canadian Supreme Court.

DEAN PHILIP J. McCONAUGHAY

B.A., J.D. (University of Illinois), Dean and Donald J. Farage Professor of Law and International Affairs, Penn State University.

Dean Philip J. McConaughay, an authority on international choice of law, previously was a Professor of Law at the University of Illinois College of Law and a partner of Morrison & Foerster, resident in Tokyo, Hong Kong, and Washington, D.C.

PROFESSOR GENEVIÈVE SAUMIER

B.Com., B.C.L., LL.B. (McGill), Ph.D. (Cambridge), Associate Professor of Law, McGill University.

Professor Saumier teaches international law, consumer law, and civil liability. Her research interests and publications focus on international dispute resolution in commercial and consumer matters. She is a Canadian national correspondent to the UN Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) and a member of the Working Group on Choice-of-Law in International Contracts at the Hague Conference on Private International Law.

