

### **ESADE LAW SCHOOL - URL**

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Partners & students have access to our intranet by entering into the web site, clicking on "intranet" from the bottom menu and

entering the codes provided by ESADE.

## LAW INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC RELATIONS UNIT

**Director, International Relations** 

**International Relations Manager &** 

**THEMIS Coordinator** 

(Bilateral agreements, international partners contact)

Law Exchange Program Manager

(Incoming & outgoing students)

Registrar's Officer

(Incoming students helpdesk for academic issues: application documents, course offer, registration, transcripts,...)

**Exchange Students Academic Advisor** 

(Learning Agreements, courses descriptions...)

**Non-Academic International Student Advisor** 

(Students' advisor for non-academic issues: housing, visa, insurance...)

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### **NOMINATION & APLICATION PROCEDURE**

Academic requirements for Admission to the Law Exchange Program

Students must be in good standing and must be nominated by the partner school. Students should have at least completed two years of law studies at university level.

Nomination Procedure & Deadlines

Students' nominations should be done online by home university exchange coordinators. Deadlines:

- Fall Term March 6 to May 30, 2019

- Spring Term March 6 to May 30, 2019 & September 9 to October 22, 2019

All nominations should be done **online only**, through MyESADE <u>www.esade.edu</u> and <u>by home universities</u>. These are the steps that universities should follow:

- a) Enter into our web page <a href="www.esade.edu">www.esade.edu</a>, click where it says "intranet" (screen left bottom menu) and type your username and password.
- b) Once you have entered, please go to "International Exchange Program" and click where it says "NOMINATIONS". Please fill in all requested information.
- c) When you finish, please select "completed" and "send nomination".
- d) Once ESADE Registrar's Office validate your nomination, it will appear "validated" next to the name of your nominated students

Once your nominations are validated,

- Your students will be receiving an e-mail with their username and password to enter ESADE intranet where all academic information (info package) will be available around June/July. They will be asked to upload all their application documents in order to receive their ESADE acceptance letter.
- Students will do their registration to courses online. Course registration will be in July.

### Application Documents and Deadline

Required Application Documents to be uploaded by law students after their home university online nomination from March 12 and no later than June 15, 2019 for fall term students and to October 31, 2019 for spring term students.

## Documents to be uploaded on MyESADE by Law Exchange students:

- Copy of Passport (showing full name)
- Proof of Health Insurance with International Coverage
- 1 passport-sized photograph
- CV / Resumé
- Official Transcript (Only ORIGINAL scanned transcripts or e-transcripts will be accepted. Students will be required to show their original transcript during the ESADE mandatory check in once in Barcelona, in order to validate the uploaded document.)
- Only for spring term and annual term students: Spanish B2 certificate or equivalent required
- Only for students willing to do the Spanish Language Course offered during the Orientation Program (to be submitted before June 28):
  - ✓ **Absolute Beginners**: Document saying that you haven't any knowledge of Spanish
  - ✓ Non-Absolute Beginners: screenshot of your Instituto Cervantes online test results (more information at MyESADE / Welcome Pack / Spanish Language Course)

Students who need to request a VISA have a special interest in uploading their application documents as soon as possible in order to receive their ESADE acceptance letter in due time.

Students with <u>uncompleted application documents</u> will not be admitted to ESADE Law School nor allowed to register to courses.



### **ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2019/20 (tentative)**

Exchange students are **encouraged to arrive earlier to secure accommodation prior to the start of the program/Spanish course.** Students should arrive not later than the day before the first day of the term.

#### Fall term 2019

Courses online bidding registration Mid July 2018 (TBC)

Spanish Language course (optional)
 Drientation Program (optional)
 End of August /Beginning of September
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First Day of the term (mandatory)
 Welcome Session (mandatory)
 TBC

Term Dates including exams
 September 2019 to end January 2020
 (for students from European partners)

September to December 2019

(for students from non-European partners) (\*)

(\*) Exams dates will be set by the Program Direction and could be any date in December.

## Spring Term 2020

Spanish Language course
 Middle – End January 2020 (TBC)

Orientation Program TB

Term Dates including exams
 End January to end of May 2020

(\*) IMPORTANT NOTE: Exchange students are requested to stay until the end of the scheduled exams. No special dates for exams to be arranged. Please advise your students to pay attention to exam dates when booking any flights.

## **COURSES OFFER & ONLINE REGISTRATION**

#### Law courses offer

Courses list 19/20 and syllabus will be available on ESADE's intranet (MyESADE) by June/July. Meanwhile students will see the information for 2018/19.

MyESADE > My Studies > Welcome Pack > Academic Information

## Law courses syllabus

MyESADE > My Studies > Syllabus

## Law Courses online registration

Registration must be done by students online through ESADE's Intranet (MyESADE). Note that the course placement will be done through bidding system.

MyESADE > My Office > Registration > Registration/Enrolment

Fall Term Open Registration Dates
 Spring Term Open Registration Dates
 Mid July 2019 (TBC)
 November 2019

Once the registration is confirmed and during the first month of the term, students must deliver to ESADE Registrar's Office the document of the **Learning Agreement** properly signed and stamped by the home university.

#### Spanish Language course online registration

MyESADE > My Studies > Welcome Pack > Spanish Course



### **MYESADE: ONLINE INFO PACKAGE**

From ESADE's intranet STUDENTS can carry out all formalities, including access to the **Exchange Information Package** (around June/July) and **On-line Course Registration** once the enrolment period is opened in July.

PARTNER UNIVERSITIES have access to all ESADE academic information and registration/grades for their students by entering ESADE intranet (MyESADE) and checking on the top menu.

Law Courses & Syllabus Law courses both at Bachelor's and Master's Degree

Courses list and syllabus will be available on ESADE intranet by June/July.

Language of Instruction Fall Term: English (we also offer some courses in Spanish)

Spring Term & Annual: Spanish (we offer few courses in English) Spanish language certificate required (Minimum B2) issued by a competent body, coordinator of Spanish Language or another authorized institution

(language school).

**Credit system** ECTS credit system.

Exams accommodation Indicate your need to the International Relations Direction at least 5 weeks

before the exam date specifying the type of accommodation you need and

attaching a certificate or an email from your home University

Workload 30 ECTS per semester

(27 to 33 ECTS are accepted for students from EU universities and a

minimum of 23 ECTS for students from non EU universities.)

\* THEMIS students are required to register for 30 ECTS at ESADE.
(10% variation allowed: minimum 27 ECTS and maximum 33 ECTS).

Intranet in July. Note that the course placement will be done through bidding system. The courses allocation communication will be end of July.

**Course Attendance** Attendance is required in all courses.

Assessment Students are evaluated at the end of the semester as well as continuously

throughout the semester. Exams are mostly written, but are sometimes conducted orally, or even take-home assignments. Projects may also be

required.

**Transcripts** Official Transcripts will be available at the end of February / early March (for

Fall term students) and at the end of July (for Spring term students), and will

be sent directly to the home university.

Students and partners universities may check the grades as published

through MyESADE / MyStudies / Grades

The Registrar's Office will not release transcripts nor advance unofficial

grades before the set dates.



### Grading

ESADE grades are on a scale of 0 to 10, as follows:

POINTS	DESCRIPTIVE VALUE
9.0 - 10	Excellent
7.0 - 8.9	Distinction
5.0 - 6.9	Pass
0 - 4.9	Fail
Non-numerical grades	
AP	Pass
NAP	Fail
NP	Not Attended
PENDIENTE	Not released yet
MATRICULADO	Registered

## ORIENTATION PROGRAM & SPANISH LANGUAGE COURSE

At the beginning of each semester, ESADE Law School organises an orientation program for all new exchange students. Exchange students are strongly encouraged to participate in it.

The ESADE orientation program includes:

- Spanish language course. The language online registration will be at the same time as the course online registration and through ESADE intranet. More information about the language course application and registration procedures will be available in MyESADE.
- City tour around Barcelona with the International Relations team (Fall term)
- **Orientation Day**: welcome by the Law Faculty directors and International Relations Office.

  We provide students with detailed information about registration procedures and courses. This session will also include an introduction to Barcelona and Spain, housing advice, Alumni Association and Library resources.

**ESADE International Student Association - CIEE** offers a **buddy service** for exchange students. Their main aim is to help exchange students get used to their new academic, urban and social surroundings. CIEE organises welcome parties, cultural trips and others.

Please advise your students to contact them at <a href="mailto:cieederecho@gmail.com">cieederecho@gmail.com</a>



### WHERE STUDENTS SHOULD GO WHEN THEY ARRIVE AT ESADE

Exchange students should report their arrival at the Registrar's Office (building 1, main floor).

This is the Office for all academic matters before and during your students' stay at ESADE.

Main contact person: Registrar's Officer, Viviana Andrade lawexchangeprograms@esade.edu

Information students will be given by the Registrar's officer on arrival:

- Course schedule and final registration with a list of the courses students will be taking at ESADE.
- **Student identification card**, which not only proves they are enrolled at ESADE, but also gives them access to the school library as well as other services.

Exchange students are also welcome to visit the Law Exchange Program Manager, Julia Anglès julia.angles@esade.edu (building 1, Deans' Office, Law International Relations Unit) for further queries regarding their exchange program or their stay in Barcelona.

### **LOCATION & CAMPUS FACILITIES**



ESADE is located in a residential neighbourhood called Pedralbes in the upper part of Barcelona. The main building is located at the top of Avinguda Pedralbes on the right-hand side of the street if you are coming up from the centre of town.

It can be easily reached by:

- Metro: Line 3 Green Maria Cristina stop, 15 minute walk
- Ferrocarrils Catalans: local commuter railway Reina Elisenda stop, 10 minute walk
- Buses: 78, 63, 75, 22, 64 and V5 for a 5 minute walk
- Taxi: Taxis provide fast service in Barcelona. The fare from the city centre, Plaça Catalunya to ESADE is about €18.

Taxis provide the fastest transportation from the airport approximately €25-€30. However, there is also bus and train service directly to the city centre, where you can transfer to the public transportation network.

## Building 1

Avinguda de Pedralbes, 60-62

Classrooms for Law courses Law School Office Law School Dean's Office Law IIRR Office Office of the Registrar EsadeForum Cafeteria

## Building 2

Carrer Marqués de Mulhacén, 40-42 Classrooms for Law courses

Library and Corporate
Documentation Centre
Cafeteria

Cafeteria

## Building 3

Avinguda d'Esplugues, 92-96 Cafeteria



### **COST OF LIVING 2018/2019**

Estimated monthly budget for a single student sharing an apartment:

Housing (shared) €500 - €700 Utilities €85 - €165 Groceries €160 - €210 **ESADE lunch** €185 **Public Transportation** €45 - €80 Sports €45 - €80 €190 - €500 Misc Expenses Monthly Budget €1210 - €1920

NOTE: This is a rough estimate and depends on your lifestyle while here.

## NON - ACADEMIC INFORMATION (VISA, housing, health insurance, ...)

For non-academic issues such as housing, visas, medical contacts, health insurance or any other matters, students should:

- contact the ESADE International Student Advisor:
  - Ms Caroline Beckershaus
  - caroline.beckershaus@esade.edu or isa@esade.edu
- or/and check ESADE intranet in ESADE Student Guide (Housing / Spanish Paperwork)

#### 1. VISA

**STUDENTS FROM EU-COUNTRIES** and citizens of Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Switzerland do not require a visa to enter Spain. All you need is a national identification card or passport.

#### STUDENTS FROM NON-EU-COUNTRIES

All applicants from Non-EU nations need a visa to study in Spain. In order to get a visa, all students must apply at the embassy or consulate of Spain in their home country at least 2 months before their planned date of departure.

The documentation that you may be required to present when applying for a Student Visa includes:

- Passport
- Passport-size photos
- Proof of financial means
- Admission Letter from ESADE
- Proof of medical insurance including repatriation
- Proof of Accommodation\*
- Other documentation specific to your situation
- \* Invitation to Housing Letters for Visa Applications (non-EU students)

Those students who need a visa for Spain will be required to submit the letter of admission from ESADE and proof of accommodation. The Invitation to Housing letter from ESADE is generally accepted by Spanish Consulates as complying with the proof of housing requirement. Please send the following information to the International Student Advisors (<a href="mailto:isa@esade.edu">isa@esade.edu</a>) so they can forward the Invitation to Housing letter to the Registrar and it can be sent at the same time as the ESADE Admission Letter:

- Full name as on passport
- Passport number
- Country issuing passport
- ESADE program in which you're registered
- Home university



#### NOTE:

- If you plan to travel outside of Spain during the period shown on your Student Visa, be sure to ask for a multiple-entry visa. Even then, there is no guarantee that you will get it.
- If you have a non-EU passport and it is not stamped on entering Spain or the Schengen Area, you will need to take your passport and boarding pass to the Immigration Office within 72 hours of arrival to request a document which will substitute for the stamp.
- If you are living outside your home country when you apply for a Student Visa, the Spanish Embassy or Consulate in the country where you are currently residing may require you to return to your home country to apply for the Student Visa. Do not assume that you will be able to obtain a Student Visa from a Spanish Embassy or Consulate outside your home country.

### 2. HEALTH INSURANCE

All international students are **required to have valid medical insurance coverage** for the entire time they are in Spain. *Proof of health insurance with international coverage will be required to complete registration.* 

Students from EU/EEA countries need to bring the European Health Insurance Card for free medical assistance from the Spanish public health system.

Students from Non-EU countries are required to arrange private insurance to cover medical care in Spain and check with the insurance company about the specific details and exact procedure to follow should they need medical attention while in Spain.

### 3. HOUSING

ESADE does not have housing facilities for students in Barcelona – Pedralbes but students are welcome to stay at the Residencia Sarria, which is a 15-minute walk down to the Pedralbes campus and about 25 minutes to the Sarrià FGC station.

There is a large amount of available housing in Barcelona, but it can be relatively expensive and it takes time to find. Looking for an apartment on your own requires knowledge of the different areas (barrios) in Barcelona because prices can vary substantially from one area to another. It is highly recommended that you plan to arrive in Barcelona at least one week prior to the start of your programme to locate accommodation. With this in mind you should book a room in a hotel, hostel or student residence for this initial period before arriving. Investing this time to look for housing in person will help ensure your longer-term accommodations are of a reasonable price and standard of comfort. The neighbourhoods which are most popular with ESADE students are Gràcia, Sant Gervasi, Sarria and l'Eixample; Les Corts and Sants are also conveniently located.

### **Housing possibilities**

For a few days or longer: student residence halls and hostels

#### Residéncia Universitária Sarriá

c/ Esports 1-3; 08017 Barcelona +34 93 206 5540 www.residenciasarria.com

### **Campus La Salle Residence Hall**

C/San Joan de la Salle, 42 08022 Barcelona

Tel: 935 084 600 campuslasallebcn@resa.es

special rates for ESADE students

The Student Hotel (formerly known as Melon District) Marina

c/Sancho de Ávila 22; 08018 Barcelona +34 93 309 98 30

www.melondistrict.com

The Student Hotel (formerly known as MelonDistrict)
Poble Sec

Avda. Paral.lel 101; 08004 Barcelona +34 93 329 96 67 www.melondistrict.com



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#### Residencia EMILIE de VILLANEUVE

c/ de La Marquesa de Villalonga 19 08017 Barcelona +34 934 177 121 Women only

Convenient to FGC Sarrià

www.residenciaemilie.com/es/inicio.htm

#### Residencia MESTRAL MAR

Gran Via 701 principal 1º; 08013 Barcelona +34 932 463 190 www.mestralmar.com

#### **Residencias SAN MARIUS**

Several residences located around the city. c/ Muntaner 507 – entresuelo 08022 Barcelona +34 93 417 48 02 www.sanmarius.com

Plaza Lesseps 12; 08023 Barcelona

#### Residencia LESSEPS

+34 902 444 447 https://www.resa.es/en/residences/barcelona/residencehall-lesseps/residence/

#### Residència Erasmus Gràcia

c/Torrent de l'Olla 212-214, 08012, Barcelona +34 934 151 203

http://www.residenciaerasmusgracia.com

#### Blanc - B&B

C/ Tuset, 27 - 1º (first floor) 08006 Barcelona (Spain) Ph. +34 93 676 18 56 www.blancguesthouse.com

C/ Sèneca, 24-26 08006 Barcelona

#### The Loft Town

+34686 93 20 17
A relatively new residence in Gràcia: the semester pricing plan dates are flexible.
https://thelofttown.com/en/

Barcelona has a variety of hostels, which are another alternative for short-term housing. Here are two links to help you find something you like:

www.hostelworld.com/hostels/Barcelona www.hostels.com/barcelona

#### More Permanent Accommodation

Not looking forward to house-hunting on your own? Let Margarita and Pura advise you on what the best neighborhood and housing solution is for you. They work directly with property owners, no agencies, so whether you're looking for a studio, an apartment, a room or a homestay, they are certain to find it for you. If you contact them in advance, you can move into your new home when you arrive in Barcelona or they can arrange visits to properties you've chosen. Contact them for a consultation, no strings attached; they come highly recommended. <a href="www.bcn-nest.com">www.bcn-nest.com</a> info@bcn-nest.com

#### http://www.livefurther.com

Founded by an ESADE alumnus from Barcelona with experience as an exchange student, LiveFurther offers a 20% discount on booking fee for ESADE students. In order to receive the discount, be sure to:

- Search for the room or apartment and reserve it directly using the LiveFurther website, rather than by using another website
- Write "ESADE" in the field asking for a partner code in the online reservation form
- Select "Organization referral" from the list in the "Hear about us" dropdown menu in the form
- Upload a copy of your ESADE acceptance letter when reserving.

### www.housinganywhere.com

This is a website which helps incoming exchange students to rent a room directly from ESADE students who are going on exchange. Students deal directly with students; there are no intermediaries.



### **Rental Agencies**

The following agencies specialize in arranging short-term and long-term accommodation in furnished apartments. These agencies charge a fee for their services; it may be equivalent to a month's rent, a percentage of the rent, or it may be included in the monthly rent.

#### **BARCELONA HOUSING SERVICE FOR STUDENTS**

C/ Torrent de l'Olla, 219 08012 Barcelona +34 932 389 072

www.bcn-housing-students.com M-F: 10:00-13:30 & 15:30-17:45

#### **HABITATGE JOVE**

C/ Enric Granados, 19 Bajos 1 08007 Barcelona +34 933 239 068 www.habitatgejove.com info@habitatgejove.com

M-F: 10:00-14:00 & 16:00-18:00

#### **Sh Barcelona**

Franck Anais Carrer Casanova 99, bajos 08011 Barcelona +34 934 521 347 www.shbarcelona.com

M-F: 9:30-14:00 & 17:00-20:00

#### **ΔI TIRO**

Aitana Modolell & Cristina Baylina Carrer Mallorca 303, entlo, 1ª 08037 Barcelona +34 932 530 427

http://altirobarcelona.com/

M-Th: 10:30-14:00 & 15:30-18:30

F: 10:00-15:00

NOTE: These agencies are student-friendly and work directly with students when there are repairs to be made or other issues come up.