



Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science

Institute for International Law, Intellectual Property and Technology Law (IRGET)



Dear LL.M.-IP student,

Your mandatory stay at the University of Washington, Seattle, as part of the Master's program "International Studies in Intellectual Property Law" is about to begin and you have probably already made most of the preparations for the trip and your accommodation on site. Herewith we would like to give you some information about the crediting of your studies at University of Washington for your overall grade.

With the LL.M. "International Studies in Intellectual Property Law" you have chosen a one-year master's program with 60 ECTS. Your study abroad accounts for 25 ECTS of this total. The grade achieved at University of Washington counts for 25% of the master's grade.

1. Course selection

You will be listed as a "visiting student" at the University of Washington and therefore will follow a so-called supervised "internship plan", the goal of which is to write a seminar paper. The topic of this "research paper" can be chosen in consultation with the responsible teacher. Lectures on U.S. intellectual property law can also be attended. Due to the status as a "visiting student", the lectures can only be attended in consultation with the respective teaching professors. The professors are usually very open and welcome international students. However, you will not receive grades from the individual professors.

Please find information on the block schedule here: https://www.law.washington.edu/coursecatalog/schedules/default.aspx.

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Haeckelstraße,
Parking lot, north
entrance, elevator



2. Composition of the grade at the partner university

Only the "research paper" is evaluated, so that students do neither write exams nor is their lecture participation graded. However, in order to be able to follow the course of the lecture, the (sometimes very extensive and time-consuming) reading assignments should be completed. This can lead to less time for the research paper. However, with good time management it is possible.

3. Conversion of the University of University of Washington / TU Dresden grades

Lecture/exam	Proportion of the total score at the partner univers		
Essay	100 %		

Grades	GPA	Grade TU		%	Pass/ Fail
A+	4.0	1,0	sehr gut/ excellent	97-100	
А		1,3	sehr gut/ very good	93-96	
A-	3.7	2,0	gut/ good	90-92	
B+	3.3	2,3	gut/ good	87-89	Pass
В	3.0	2,7	gut/ good	83-86	
B-	2.7	3,0	befriedigend/ satisfactory	80-82	
C+	2.3	3,3	befriedigend/ satisfactory	77-79	
С	2.0	3,7	befriedigend / satisfactory	73-76	
C-	1.7	3,7	ausreichend/ sufficient	70-72	
D	1.3	4,0	ausreichend/ sufficient	67-69	
F		5,0	nicht ausreichend/ not sufficient		Fail

We wish you a lot of fun and success during your stay at the University of Washington!

Your IRGET LL.M.-IP-team