ALOHA!

Next summer, earn up to seven law school credits in six weeks at the University of Hawai‘i, located just minutes from Waikīkī Beach. Come and experience the legendary beauty and rich cultural heritage of the Hawaiian Islands while networking with students from Richardson and other law schools across the U.S.

To Apply

1. Fill out the Application Form on-line at: www.law.hawaii.edu/summer (Click “2017 Application”) There is no application fee. Deadline to apply: May 1, 2017. Applications received after this date will be considered on a space available basis.

2. If you are not a UH Law student, please ask your Academic Dean or Registrar to send us a Letter of Good Standing, stating that you are in good academic standing and eligible to continue in your law school. We also need you to send us your social security number and date of birth by phone, fax or mail, but not by email.

3. We will notify you about your admission to the Program, and give you your UH Student I.D. Number with information on how to register on-line for courses. Course Registration will begin on March 10, 2017. Please note that some courses have different start/end dates.

Course List (Tentative):

Below is the list of courses that we hope to offer next summer. Most courses will run from June 12-July 12, with final exams between July 17-20. For the latest course schedule, please go to the Hawaii Summer Law website.
The Summer of a Lifetime
Don’t miss out on the chance to spend the summer of a lifetime studying law while experiencing the beauty and rich cultural heritage of the Hawaiian Islands. Located at the crossroads of the Pacific, the State of Hawai‘i has become one of the most important business, administrative, and cultural centers in the Pacific Rim. The Hawai‘i Summer Law Program offers an exciting mix of courses to supplement your legal education. We expect a diverse and friendly student body from a variety of U.S. law schools.

The Law School and University
Hawai‘i Summer Law Program students will attend classes at the William S. Richardson School of Law at the University of Hawai‘i. Located in central Honolulu in the lush Mānoa Valley, UH-Mānoa is the flagship of the 10-campus university system. Students will have full access to the law school library and other facilities on campus, such as the new Warrior Rec Center and entertainment facilities. In addition to the formal law-related activities, students are encouraged to participate in the national award-winning Outreach College courses, including leisure activities, workshops, public lectures, films, performances and special events reflecting the unique cultural diversity of Hawai‘i’s people. The world-renowned East-West Center and the University of Hawai‘i’s School of Pacific and Asian Studies also sponsor events in the summer.

Academic Policies
The Hawai‘i Summer Law Program meets all applicable ABA and AALS standards. Credit hours earned are routinely transferred to other ABA–approved law schools in the United States. Interested students should inquire at their home schools about the amount of residence credit that may be obtained, consistent with ABA Standard 304.

All courses are graded on the 4.0 grading system used at the William S. Richardson School of Law. Acceptance of any credit or grade for any course taken in the program is subject to approval by the student’s home law school. Students transferring credits to other law schools will usually find that grades of 2.0 or higher will be accepted for credit, but that the home law school will not average the Hawai‘i grades as part of the student’s overall GPA. Students should consult with their home law school administrations about credit transfer policies.

Externships are generally limited to UH Law Students. Non-UH law students must be approved on a case-by-case basis, at the discretion of the Externship Director. Externships are offered at 2, 4, or 6 credit increments.

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Tuition and Living Expenses
Tuition is $933 per credit, regardless of residency status. Calculate your total tuition by multiplying this amount by the total number of credits. Please check the Outreach College website for payment deadlines and refund information at: http://www.outreach.hawaii.edu/summer/myuh/payment_policy.asp

Each student is responsible for arranging his or her own transportation to and from Hawai‘i and for accommodations during his or her stay. The cost of travel, books, meals and other miscellaneous expenses must be considered in budget planning. We will post on the Hawai‘i Summer Law Program website information about suggested travel arrangements to Hawai‘i, transportation from the airport to the university, what to pack for summer living in Hawai‘i, and how to get the most out of the Hawai‘i experience.

Financial Aid
Students should check with their home institutions whether they are eligible to receive financial aid for this Program. A Full-time load is six credits. Students need to take at least four credits to qualify for Financial Aid. University of Hawai‘i law students should consult with our financial aid liaison at lawfnaid@Hawaii.edu; Phone: 956-5502 for personal assistance.

Cancellation
Students who cancel their enrollment by email or letter postmarked prior to May 1, 2017 will receive a full refund. Refunds for cancellations or withdrawals after that time will not normally be made. The University of Hawai‘i School of Law reserves the right to cancel summer law courses should it become necessary for any reason. In the unlikely event this occurs, notices will be sent to all applicants prior to May 15, 2017; all payments will be completely refunded; and every effort will be made to help students enroll in another summer program.

Housing
Past experience has shown that summer session students prefer as much flexibility as possible in selecting and arranging their housing accommodations in Hawai‘i. Each student is responsible for arranging his or her own housing. Refer to the Outreach College website for housing information at: http://www.outreach.hawaii.edu/summer/campus_services/housing.asp

On-Campus Housing
On-campus housing is generally the cheapest and most convenient housing option. Room rates range from $700-1,000 from June -July, with a mandatory meal plan, which is about $15 per day for breakfast and dinner. To apply for housing, you must fill out and submit the Housing Application, which asks for your Summer Law Student I.D. number. Student I.D. numbers will be given out upon Admission to the Program. Applications will be ready in late February on the UH Housing website at: www.housing.Hawaii.edu or contact:

University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa Student Housing Services
2555 Dole Street, Honolulu, HI 96822
Tel: 808-956-8177; Fax: 808-956-5995; Email: uhmsh@Hawaii.edu; Web: www.housing.Hawaii.edu

Application for admission to the Hawai‘i Summer Law Program and applications for University housing are separate procedures. Admission to one does not signify admission to the other.

Off-Campus Housing
If you choose to live off-campus, make housing arrangements well before your arrival. Rental rates in Honolulu are high and competition for available space is keen. Students contract for off-campus housing directly with the landlord. There is no place on campus to which luggage or mail may be forwarded ahead of arrival, so plan accordingly. University Housing Referral Service provides listings of off-campus housing options, but to login, you will need your Student I.D. number: www.housing.Hawaii.edu/och

Some students conduct housing searches on trulia.com, craigslist.com, or www.vrbo.com.