# ADVISOR MANUAL For 2011-2012 academic year International and Business Law

This manual incorporates International and Business Law Department requirements for IBL students. It is designed for an advisor, who supervises freshmen IBL students, to get acquainted with IBL department requirements in major.

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### **Overview of Academic Major**

Within the 144 credits required for a degree, students complete a total of 68 credits in the International and Business Law major. Additional degree requirements are fulfilled by 54 credits of General Education, 21 IBL Elective credits and one general elective credit. All students are required to successfully complete TOEFL, the History of Kyrgyzstan State exam, and the State subject exam. Additionally, students are required to successfully complete and defend a Senior Thesis.

### Required departmental courses (68 credits)

LAW 105 Legal Writing (3) LAW 124 Theory of Law (3) LAW 203/208 Criminal Law I/II (3 each) LAW 250 Moot Court (3) LAW 256/236 Public International Law I/II (3 each) LAW 260 Introduction to Civil Law Property (3) LAW 263 Civil Law, Business Entities (3) LAW 265 Constitutional Law of the Kyrgyz Republic (3) LAW 301 Civil Law Contracts (3) LAW 302 Labor Law (3) LAW 303 Civil Procedure (3) LAW 304 Criminal Procedure (3) LAW 306 Civil Law Obligations/Law (3) LAW 338 Legal Skills (3) LAW 401 Tax Law (3) LAW 402 Private International Law (3) LAW 426 Thesis Research Paper/Project (2) LAW 413/423 Legal Clinic I/II (3 each) LAW 425 Natural Resources Law (3) LAW 427 Legal Research Methods (3) Internships I/II are required as summer school courses to be taken after the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> years of studies

### **Suggested Four-Year Plan**

Year 1, Fall Semester FYS 114 First Year Seminar I (6) LAW 124 Theory of Law (3) LAW 105 Legal Writing (3) Social Science GE (outside IBL)(3) Kyrgyz or Russian Language (3)

#### Year 1, Spring Semester

FYS 114.1 First Year Seminar II (6) LAW 265 Constitutional Law of the Kyrgyz Republic (3) LAW 260 Intro to Civil Property Law (3) LAW 203 Criminal Law I (3) Kyrgyz or Russian Language (3)

### Total credits = 18

### Year 2, Fall Semester

LAW 263 Civil Law, Business Entities (3) LAW 208 Criminal Law II (3) LAW 256 Public International Law I (3) MAT 128 Intro to Contemporary Math (3) Social Science GE (outside IBL) (3) PHL 103 Intro to Philosophy (3) Total credits = 18

### Year 3, Fall Semester

LAW 306 Civil Law: Obligations/Torts (3) LAW 304 Criminal Procedure (3) LAW 303 Civil Procedure (3) IBL Elective (3) Humanities GE (3) Natural Science GE (3) Total credits = 18

### Year 4, Fall Semester

LAW 338 Legal Skills (3) LAW 401 Tax Law (3) LAW 423 Legal Clinic II (3) LAW 427 Legal Research Methods (3) IBL Elective course (3) Sports GE (3) Total credits = 18 Total credits = 18

### Year 2, Spring Semester

LAW 301 Civil Law: Contracts (3) LAW 302 Labor Law (3) LAW 236 Public International Law II (3) IBL Elective (3) HIST 108 History of Kyrgyzstan (3) COM 102 Intro to Computers (3) Total credits = 18

## Year 3, Spring Semester

LAW 413 Legal Clinic I (3) LAW 402 Private International Law (3) LAW 250 Moot Court (3) NTR 104 History & Philosophy of Science (3) IBL Elective course (3) Humanities GE (3) Total credits = 18

### Year 4, Spring Semester

LAW 425 Natural Resources Law (3) LAW 426 Thesis Research Paper (2) IBL Elective credits (9) Sports GE (3) General Elective course (1) Total credits = 18