

Course title	International Arbitration 1				
Teacher(s)	James Claxton			開講区分	単位数
				1st semester	2.0
Numbering Code		Day · Period	Tues3、Wed2	Timetable Slot Code	1J320

Lesson topic

This course introduces students to the practice of international commercial arbitration including procedures, case management, and advocacy before arbitral tribunals. While foundational concepts will be discussed, a significant portion of classroom time will be devoted to experiential exercises and role-plays culminating in a student moot.

Lesson target

By the end of the course, students should have an integrated understanding of international commercial arbitration and the nature of the work of lawyers who represent clients in international arbitration proceedings.

Syllabus and plan

The following topics will be included in class discussions:

- The history of international arbitration
- Comparative advantages and disadvantages of arbitration
- Arbitration agreements
- Arbitrability
- Ad hoc arbitration
- Administered arbitration
- The place of arbitration
- Applicable laws, rules, and regulations
- Court support of arbitral proceedings
- Arbitral procedure and procedural advocacy
- Selecting, interviewing, and challenging arbitrators
- Witness selection, preparation, and examination
- Challenges to arbitral awards
- Enforcement of arbitral awards

Students normally perform the following tasks as counsel in class exercises:

- Advising a client
- Revising a witness statement
- Requesting documents
- Drafting a written pleading
- Pleading before a tribunal

Evaluation method

Class participation and exercises: 80%
Final examination: 20%

Evaluation baseline

With the method stated above, grades will be determined in accordance with the degrees of achievement of the objectives.

Notice (include info. on related class)

N/A

Review and preparation

The details will be announced during the first class.

Office hour · Contact information

Contact details and office hours will be announced during the first class

Message for student

Improvements in Teaching

Text

Reading materials will be made available to students in electronic format. Students may wish to purchase the textbook N. Blackaby et al., Redfern and Hunter on International Arbitration (2015) as a reference.

Reference Material

N/A

Classroom Language

English

Keywords

“international dispute resolution” “international dispute settlement” “alternative dispute resolution”
“adr” “international arbitration” “international commercial arbitration” “international business”