

開講科目名	WTO Moot Workshop		
担当教員	川島 富士雄	開講区分	単位数
		後期	1単位

授業のテーマと到達目標

In this workshop, participants prepare for the ELSA Moot Court Competition (EMC2) 2015 and actually participate in it (It is a simulated hearing of the World Trade Organization dispute settlement system. For more details, visit <http://elsamootcourt.elsa.org/about/about-emc2/>). It provides with opportunity to have practical experience of trade litigations in English for students who wish to be active in international litigations. Its final goal is that participants understand: How the WTO dispute settlement procedures proceed; How the panels and the Appellate Body interpret the WTO agreements and how disputing members should develop legal arguments which would be persuasive to them.

授業の概要と計画

It does not have lectures or seminars on specific date and time. After being given the case (visit <http://elsamootcourt.elsa.org/the-case/>), participants will take part in the group works organized by themselves and once in a month or two months, have opportunity to consult the supervisor. Thus, it needs their own research activities.

成績評価と基準

To be evaluated based on: the participation in the drafting process of the written submission to the EMC2 and the content of the final written submission (50%) and the practice for, and the actual content of, the oral round (50%). However, the result of the EMC2 is not taken into account.

履修上の注意（準備学習・復習、関連科目情報等を含む）

- 1) If most of the participants have not yet studied the WTO law, it may have some preparatory lectures on the WTO basic rules, its dispute settlement mechanism and how to research its case law.
- 2) It is desirable that participants have experience joining some moot court or arbitration but it is not a prerequisite.
- 3) As it is necessary to prepare submissions and oral arguments in English, English proficiency is needed. Even if the current level is not sufficient, you can join and improve your English through actively joining all the process.
- 4) Depending on the schedule of the EMC2 (<http://elsamootcourt.elsa.org/competition/timeline/>), you must be occupied with the preparation during the specific periods, especially before the deadline for the written submission and the oral rounds.
- 5) As it needs a lot of group works, participants are required to build collaborative and cooperative relationship with others.

オフィスアワー・連絡先

Tuesday Fourth period (3:10pm to 4:40pm).

学生へのメッセージ

Those who wish to be lawyers active in international trade or economic litigations, business law practitioners, trade and industrial policy makers of the national and local governments and researchers in international economic law are welcome to join. Even if not yet prepared for the EMC2 2015, the exercise based on Case of 2015 would provide good preparation for the EMC2 2016.

今年度の工夫

教科書

Relevant materials will be given as necessary.

参考書・参考資料等

Peter Van den Bossche and Werner Zdouc, The Law and Policy of the World Trade Organization: Text, Cases and Materials, 3rd ed. (Cambridge University Press, 2015) .

授業における使用言語

English

キーワード

WTO, GATT, GATS, TRIPS, Dispute Settlement