



The U.S. Constitution and the American Economy



In 2018, students will be meeting with U.S. Supreme Court Justice Samuel Alito.



Justice Samuel Alito and Professor Baker in Beijing at the U.S. Embassy's American Center



Participants on the steps of the Supreme Court, 2017

Hosted at Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C., the U.S. Constitution and American Economy Program offers students a unique opportunity to examine the institutions of the U.S. government and the complex constitutional structure which shapes the American economy, while experiencing the history and culture of America's Capital City.

The Program runs for two weeks and will be held from July 14 to July 27, 2018.

STUDENT IMPRESSIONS

"I was admitted by the Georgetown LL.M program in January 2017. Participating in the U.S. Constitution and American Economy Summer Program introduced me to the U.S. Constitution and legal system, and evoked my passion for further education at Georgetown. During the LL.M application process, the experience in the summer program really helped me think through the reasons for applying, and has formed my uniqueness among all the competitors."

-Li Jiarui (Christina), Tsinghua Law School

"When I signed up for this program, I mostly looked forward to meeting with Justice Alito, however, this program has given me so much more than that. Dr. Baker's lectures were excellent and we visited so many institutions in two weeks, that even though I will be pursuing a J.D. in the future, I don't think I will get such a great opportunity to understand the U.S. Constitution in such a unique way."

-Wang Shuolong (Simon), Zhejiang University

Program Schedule for 2018*

*Based on past programs. Schedule is subject to change.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
[Participants arrive July 15]	Introduction to the U.S. Constitution's Federalist Structure and Separation of Powers Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30 - 12:30am <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Trip to D.C. Courts 2:00 pm <i>Julio Castillo</i> , Clerk of DC Court of Appeals Trip to Federal Courts 3:00 pm	The Judiciary Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30am-12:30am <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Arrive at Supreme Court by 2:00 Meet with Justice Alito 2:30 pm Followed by tour of the Court	The Congress Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30 am - 11:30 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Meeting with Congressman Brat Leave for Capitol Hill at 12:45 pm 1:30 pm Longworth 1629 U.S. Capitol Tour 2:20 pm Jones Day Law Firm Tour/Reception 4:30 pm	The Presidency Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30-12:00 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> White House Visitor Center 1450 Pennsylvania Ave. NW 1:45 pm Lecture on the Presidency <i>Emmet Flood, Williams and Connolly</i> Formerly represented Presidents Clinton and Bush 3:00 pm	How the Constitution Shapes the American Economy Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30 am-11:30 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Briefing about J.D. and LL.M Programs and Application Processes Hotung 1000 11:45 am - 12:30 National Archives 2:30 pm	Free Day <i>Possible Options:</i> Library of Congress American History Museum National Art Gallery (See your Welcome Packet for more weekend activity options)
[Business Casual]	[Business Professional]	[Professional Dress]	[Professional Dress]	[Business Professional]	[Business Casual]	



Participants on rooftop of Jones Day International Law Firm, 2016



Students, Lulu and Doris with Professor Baker and Program Manager Lindsey Keiser in the Supreme Court, 2015

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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Free Day <i>Possible Options:</i> National Cathedral Botanical Garden National Zoo (See your Welcome Packet for more weekend activity options)	The Constitution and Law Enforcement Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30-12:30 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Trip to Department of Justice 2:00 pm Alice Shih <i>Counselor to U.S. Attorney General Sessions</i>	The Constitution and the Role of Trade Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30-12:00 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> 2:00 pm Prof. Scott Kieff <i>Former Commissioner at the International Trade Commission</i>	The Constitution and the Commerce Clause Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30 am - 11:00 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> Prof. Randy Barnett Director of the Center for the Constitution Hotung 1000 11:00-12:30 Department of Commerce James Uthmeier, <i>Special Advisor to Secretary Wilbur Ross</i> 2:00 (Everyone MUST bring passport)	The Constitution and International Affairs Lecture Hotung 1000 9:30-12:00 <i>Prof. John Baker</i> State Department Briefing <i>Office of Chinese and Mongolian Affairs</i> 2:00 pm (Everyone MUST bring passport) Boat Cruise on the Potomac with dinner 7:30-9:30	Review of Writing Assignment and Wrap-up Student Evaluations; Presentation of Certificates McDonough 156 9:30-11:30 Group Photo Group Pizza Lunch 12:00 Departures	Departures
	[Business Professional]	[Business Casual]	[Professional Dress]	[Business Professional]	[Business Casual]	



Program Participants at U.S. Department of State, 2015

TO APPLY

Please follow the instructions on our website:
<http://csauth.law.georgetown.edu/academics/centers-institutes/constitution/us-constitution-american-economy/index.cfm>

Please apply by April 2, 2018

COSTS

Program Fee: \$2750

Hotel Fee: \$1105 (based on 2 person room for 13 nights in a hotel near the Law Center)

Meals are not included.

If full payment is received by May 1, 2018, the participant will receive a \$150 discount. See website for payment details.