



# LL.M.PROGRAM IN CHINESE LAW

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## **About the Guanghua Law School**

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The LL.M. Program in Chinese Law of Zhejiang University Guanghua Law School offers intellectually outstanding students the opportunity of pursuing advanced legal studies in a foreign legal culture. Zhejiang University is renowned for the distinguished members of its faculty, many of whom are noted experts in their particular fields. Guanghua Law School is home to a number of research institutes, such as the Institute of International Law, the Institute of Criminal Law, the Institute of Civil and Commercial Law, the Institute of Jurisprudence and Judicial Precedent, the Institute of Economic Law, and the Institute of Public Law and Comparative Law, offering lecture series and other activities to augment studies. Guanghua Law School is an integral part of one of China's best universities. Endowed with a pleasant climate and picturesque surroundings, Guanghua Law School is an ideal place for teaching, research and learning.

The Guanghua LL.M. program enables students to engage in valuable independent research around issues of particular interest to them, and encourages students to be proactive in developing a new skill and exploring a specific field of research. The program provides especially helpful training for those pursuing more in-depth academic work and for those interested in learning about Chinese law with an eye to working in China, and the trans-Pacific area. It is designed to benefit those seeking to specialize in particular areas of law, those hoping to work in China, and those desiring simply to experience China's legal system and to broaden their intellectual horizons.



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## Curriculum

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The LL.M. Program offers a wide range of China-focused course modules which are sufficiently varied to enable students to pursue diverse interests. The following is a list of course modules running in the 2013-2014 academic year (subject to change or cancellation).

Compulsory courses	Optional Courses
Chinese Constitutional and Administrative Law (2 Credits)	Governmental Regulation and Administrative Rule of Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Property Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Tax Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Contract Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Intellectual Property Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Tort Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Labor Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Company Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Financial Supervising Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Foreign Investment Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Environmental Resource Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure (2 Credits)	Chinese Practice of International Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Civil Procedure and Arbitration Law (2 Credits)	Chinese Maritime Law (2 Credits)
Chinese Language (2 Credits)	Law and Economics (2 Credits)
General Knowledge of China (2 Credits)	Economic Law (2 Credits)

## Credit, Written Work, and Course Load Requirements

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To obtain a degree of Master of Laws ( LL.M. ), students must successfully obtain a total of 24 credits in two years. In the first year, they must complete all compulsory courses as well as reports. The second year is designed for the internship and thesis writing.

## Tuition

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The total tuition for the two-year 2013-2015 is RMB 150,000 yuan: RMB 100,000 yuan for the first year and RMB 50,000 yuan for the second. Students should pay RMB 100,000 yuan in the first semester before registration and RMB 50,000 yuan in the second year.









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## Eligibility Requirements

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1、 Applicants must be non-Chinese nationalities in good health with no infectious disease or any physical or mental diseases that may affect the normal study, and be under the age of 40.

2、 Applicants must have a first law degree from a law school; those who have a Bachelor's Degree and substantial law-related work experience can also apply for this program.

Applicants must have good command of English, whose first language is not English or who did not have a college education conducted entirely in the English language require a minimum score of 90 in the internet-based TOEFL or 6.5 in IELTS with 7.0 in writing.

## Application Documents

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Application Form for Admission to Zhejiang University with a recent photograph fixed (white background, 35mm×45mm in size); Applicants shall fill in and submit the application form at online application system first , then print and sign the Application Form produced by the online application system.<http://iczu.zju.edu.cn/zjdxlxszsxt>

1、 Highest degree certificate must be original documents or notarized photocopies. If applicants are university students, they must also provide an official pre-graduation certificate showing their student status and stating expected graduation date. Documents in languages other than Chinese or English must be attached with notarized translations in Chinese or English.

2、 Academic transcripts must be original documents or notarized photocopies. Documents in languages other than Chinese or English must be attached with notarized translations in Chinese or English.

3、 Certificate of TOEFL ( internet-based ) or IELTS test score.

4、 A photocopy of passport.

5、 Personal statement, in Chinese or English, should include study and work experience, reasons for application and study proposal. No less than 1000 words.

6、 Two letters of recommendation from full professors or associate professors, in Chinese or English (must have professors' contact phone number and email address on the letter).

7、 Published academic papers or other academic achievements (if applicable).

8、 Remittance receipt of the application fee (RMB 400 yuan).

### Note:

**All application materials should be submitted to the Admissions Office of the International College of Zhejiang University, by post mail or in person by the deadline. The incomplete application materials or the application submitted by email will not be processed. Additional documents may be required when necessary.**

**Application materials will NOT be returned regardless of the result of the application.**











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## **Enrollment**

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The university enrollment will be made on the basis of competitive selection according to the students' academic performance, studying and working experience and English test grade, etc. The applicants can check their admission status via the Online Application System on the International College website in late July 2013. Admission Notice with other relevant documents will be sent out before the end of July, 2013.

## **Registration**

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Successful applicant should apply for the student visa (X visa) to the Chinese embassy or consulate in your country with passport, "Admission Notice" and "Visa Application for Study in China" and register within the specified time at Zhejiang University. Successful applicant who submitted pre-graduation certificate during the application must provide the original copy or notarized photocopy of degree certificate upon registration; those who fail to provide degree certificate will be disqualified from admission.

## **Medical Insurance**

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Full scholarship students and those who have paid the whole academic-year tuition fees in time are entitled to comprehensive insurances offered by the university, including accidental injury medical treatment insurance and hospitalization medical treatment insurance. (Medical treatment expense for physical or mental diseases which students suffered before coming to China are not included.) Relevant medical insurance items can be found at [www.lxbx.net](http://www.lxbx.net).





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## Outside of Class

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While studies can be demanding, LL.M. students at Guanghua Law School will enjoy a wide range of activities outside of class. Zhejiang University academic calendar affords long periods between terms which students can use for study as well as other activities. On campus, LL.M. students are encouraged to take advantage of academic, social, and athletic opportunities such as high-profile debates and speech contests, various social events, internships in big law firms, sports events, and Chinese traditional festival parties, etc. Off campus, students may visit museums, hike, or visit historical sites throughout China. The city of Hangzhou has many cultural sites that are great for learning about and experiencing the Chinese culture.

## Travel and Living

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Hangzhou, the capital city of Zhejiang Province, has long been praised for its fascinating history and rich culture. There were inhabitants in the Hangzhou area since Liangzhu Culture known as "the Dawn of Civilization". Being the capital city of the Wuyue State during the Five-Dynasties and of the Southern Song Dynasty, it has also enjoyed a status of one of the seven ancient capital cities in China.

Hangzhou is a famous national tourist city with splendid sceneries. It has been admired as "the paradise on earth". It perfectly integrates canal, rivers, lakes, and hills. The world's longest canal, the Grand Canal, winds through its city center; the Qiantang River, renowned for its magnificent tide, cuts the city in half; the tranquil, willow-shaded West Lake, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, provides a spiritual retreat for the famous and normal; adjacent to the lake, are hills which accounts for over a half of the City area. Hangzhou has great climate with four distinct seasons. It is rich in local specialties and agricultural products, with a reputation of being the Land of Fish and Rice and the Capital of Silk.

Hangzhou is also a magnificent metropolitan city with relatively low living costs. People can enjoy all the attractions of a major city, from famous restaurants, to shopping malls, cinemas and music venues.

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