

INTERNATIONAL EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM  
AT NEW ENGLAND LAW | BOSTON

The New England Law | Boston's externship includes opportunities with:

- International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (ICTY): The Hague, the Netherlands
- International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR): Trial Chamber, Arusha, Tanzania.
- Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC): Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- International Criminal Court in the Hague (ICC): The Hague, The Netherlands
- The International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) Appeals Chamber: The Hague, The Netherlands

**A. Application instructions**

All applications fit the same general format; requirements.

- Letter of intent from Applicant
- Resume or CV
- List of references (3)
- Two (2) letters of recommendation
- UN application form (form will vary depending on placement, see below)
- Writing sample on an international topic
- Law school and undergraduate transcripts (official transcripts)

\*\* Please check links below for additional Requirements

**Application DEADLINE for Spring 2010 is Friday, February 20th, 2009.**

**Please submit one hardcopy of your complete application packet, and submit via email all documents or records you have in electronic format, to Ligia Rodriguez, student assistant for the Center ([ligia.rodriguez@nesl.edu](mailto:ligia.rodriguez@nesl.edu)) by Friday, February 20th., 2009.**

**Original documents should be submitted at the CILP's new location**

**31 St. James Avenue,**

**3rd Floor, Room 350**

**Interviews:** Interviews with applicants will be conducted the week of March 9, 2009.

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**B. Placements**

**1. International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ICTY-OTP:**

This is a semester long externship with the Office of the Prosecutor at the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia. NESL sends 1-2 students each semester to the ICTY.

<http://www.un.org/icty/pratical-e/index.htm> (general information)

Application form is in four parts, ***print out and submit all four:***

<http://www.un.org/icty/pratical-e/intern/internship1-e.rtf> (main form)

<http://www.un.org/icty/pratical-e/intern/internship2-e.rtf> (NESL will sign)

<http://www.un.org/icty/pratical-e/intern/internship3-e.rtf> (information form)

<http://www.un.org/icty/pratical-e/intern/internship4-e.rtf> (internship agreement)

**2. International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR)**

This is a semester long externship with the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda. NESL sends 1-2 students to the ICTR each semester.

**General Information:**

<http://69.94.11.53/default.htm> (select "ICTR Opportunities").

The internship could be in the Appeals chambers or in the Tribunal as explained below.

**a) Appeals Chamber: The Hague, the Netherlands**

Placements are available in The Hague at the Appeals Chamber Support Unit

<http://69.94.11.53/ENGLISH/opportunities/internship/acsu.htm>

**b) Trial Chambers: Arusha, Tanzania**

Placements are also available in Arusha, Tanzania\*

<http://69.94.11.53/ENGLISH/opportunities/internship/program.htm>

*Notes on applying:* Because the form is the same for both placements (Appeals and Arusha Trial Chamber, ***be sure you mark clearly which you are applying for*** on your application form.

**Application Form:**

<http://69.94.11.53/ENGLISH/opportunities/internship/intform.doc>

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**3. Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC)**

The ECCC is a relatively new externship opportunity with the Khmer Rouge Tribunal/Extraordinary Chambers of the Courts of Cambodia. Placements are in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. NESL sends 1-2 students each semester.

General Information:

[http://www.unakrt-online.org/06\\_recruitment.htm](http://www.unakrt-online.org/06_recruitment.htm)

Program brochure:

<http://www.unakrt-online.org/Docs/Other/Internship/2008%20UNAKRT%20Internship.pdf>

Application form:

<http://www.unakrt-online.org/Docs/Other/Internship/UNAKRT%20Internship%20App.doc>

**4. The International Criminal Court (ICC)**

This is a semester long placement beginning in Jan 2009.\*, and placements are in The Hague.

[http://www.icc-cpi.int/recruitment/cc1g/Rec\\_admi\\_Stage.html](http://www.icc-cpi.int/recruitment/cc1g/Rec_admi_Stage.html)

[http://www.icc-cpi.int/recruitment/cc1g/interoppor/inopp\\_otp.html](http://www.icc-cpi.int/recruitment/cc1g/interoppor/inopp_otp.html)

<http://www.icc-cpi.int/recruitment/cc1g/interplace.html>

Application form:

[http://www.icc-cpi.int/library/recruitment/jobs/OTP\\_Intern\\_App\\_Form\\_EN.doc](http://www.icc-cpi.int/library/recruitment/jobs/OTP_Intern_App_Form_EN.doc)

- *ICTR-Trial Chamber (Arusha) and ICC placements are NOT guaranteed.*

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**C. Academic Requirements**

Students will be enrolled in 13 units during their externship, only 2 of which are graded. Your grade will be based on a written paper on an international criminal law topic and feedback from your supervisors at the placement.

The paper may be on a topic associated with your work for the tribunal (barring any confidentiality requirements), but does not have to be. The paper should be 20-30 pages in length. Students also are required to submit a weekly journal to Professor Cerone, via email.

**D. Financial Aid Notice**

Aid disbursements will vary depending on the projected budget for living expenses in the country where the internship is based, and includes travel to get to the placement.

Students should not delay their normal financial aid application, but should request an appointment with a financial aid representative after they have registered for classes.

**E. Questions?**

Contact Professor John Cerone, Center Director, or Center student assistant, Ligia Rodriguez (ligia.rodriguez@nesl.edu). Phone (617) 422-7322