University of Zurich[UZH]

On-campus Summer School
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UZH International Summer Schools

International Sports Law

Legal Challenges in the Fight Against Doping



4 – 23 July 2027

SUMMER SCHOOL

Faculty of Law
in collaboration with Global Student Experience

Course Description

This on-campus Summer School offers unique insights into the legal context in which international sports organizations currently operate as well as into the limits of their autonomy. Participants will also explore the relevance of state law, more particularly of criminal law in sports-related matters. The focus is on one of the most heavily regulated matters in organized sport, namely the fight against doping.

The course will examine in particular the history of anti-doping, the stakeholders involved in anti-doping, the legislative and procedural framework of the sports organizations in the fight against doping, the role and the functioning of criminal and international law related to anti-doping and interdisciplinary aspects of anti-doping.

Participants will be able to put their knowledge into practice in the Moot Court designed specifically for this Summer School, allowing everyone to engage actively with a fictional case in the field of sports law and be judged by professionals.

Hosting Faculty	Faculty of Law
Course Directors	Prof. Dr. Gunhild Godenzi and Prof. Dr. Ulrich Haas
Language	English
Credits	6 ECTS
Target Audience	Master students and advanced Bachelor students



Learning Outcomes

- Become acquainted with the (legal) specificities of organized sport
- Understand national and international regulatory frameworks
- Gain expertise related to the field of anti-doping law and practices as well as dispute resolution by internal tribunals and arbitration
- Build knowledge on and understand the relevance and functioning of criminal law
- Analyze the leading cases in the field of anti-doping
- Actively apply the above to disputes arising in the sports industry related to anti-doping

Teaching and Learning Methods

Apply your knowledge in our Moot Court!

- Interactive Lectures - Engage with our lecturers and benefit from their expertise
- Podcasts – Watch pre-recorded sessions on demand
- Reading List - Get relevant reading material, case studies and background readings
- Tutorials and Q&A sessions - Engage directly with our teaching team
- Moot Court - Put your newly acquired theoretical knowledge into practice and engage actively with a fictional case in the field of sports law
- Group work - Interact with other students and work together in the Moot Court
- Consultation for your Moot Court plea – Get advice and feedback from distinguished experts on how to make a professional plea

Fees & Discounts

The regular fee for this summer school is CHF 3'500. We offer generous discounts to students from UZH partner universities, including strategic partners and international networks.

Once we have received your application, we will notify you of any potential discounts available to you.

The fee includes:

- Tuition and application fee
- Accommodation
- Final certificate and transcript
- Classroom teaching
- An exciting social program that will foster your intercultural competence



Application

This course is open to all Master students and advanced Bachelor students with a strong interest in the topic. Basic knowledge in legal studies is desirable, but not mandatory. Podcasts and a reading list will be provided before the start of the program to ensure that all students share a common level of knowledge.

Please apply online on our registration platform as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. We will carefully check your application and get back to you within seven days. For further information on the application process please visit www.summerschools.uzh.ch.

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