

POLAR LAW ACADEMY

Annual Program

Classes and Workshops Schedule

2017 Session 19 June to 07 July (3 weeks)

Sun., June 18 – arrival (meeting at Pulkovo airport, transfer to the hotel)**Mon., June 19** – Welcoming presentation of the International Cooperation Department, Presentation “St. Petersburg – Old Glory of Russia and New Arctic Gates” of Prof. Skaridov, questions, material distribution, tea – coffee, St. Petersburg bus tour**Week 1: Law of the Sea and Maritime Law Overviews**

	Lecture I 09:00 – 10:00	Lecture II 10:15 – 11:15	Break 11:15 -11:30	Lecture III 11:35 – 12:35	Lunch 13:00-14:00	Workshops 14:30-16:00	Cultural program
Tues., June 20	Origins of oceans and continents – natural science overview	Law of the sea - brief history and conventions overview	Coffee, tea	Maritime/ Admiralty law & state practice	Lunch		
Wed., June 21	Legal regime of sea spaces (Part I. Internal waters, territorial sea & archipelagic waters)	Legal regime of sea spaces (Part II EEZ and high seas)	Coffee, tea	Seabed regime. Continental shelf (CS) boundaries and dispute resolutions	Lunch		Walking tour to the Peter and Paul Fortress
Thurs., June 22	Regimes of straits and canals, used for international navigation	Safety of navigation and sea OVERFLIGHT	Coffee, tea	Marine science regime	Lunch	Workshop: Delimitation of the sea and CS spaces	
Fri, June 23	Global protection of marine environment	Legal regime of maritime objects	Coffee, tea	Vessels registration and State port control	Lunch	Visit to the industrial institutions and shipyard	Optional: City Celebration for Youth “Alye Parusa” (“Scarlet Sails”)
Sat., June 24	09:30 – 16:00 Field trip to the State museum reserve “Peterhof”						

Week 2: Polar law regime; maritime delimitation, continental shelf, and biodiversity

	Lecture I	Lecture II	Break	Lecture III	Lunch	Workshop	Cultural program
	09:00-10:00	10:15-11:15	11:15-11:30	11:30-12:30	13:00-14:00	14:30-16:00	
Mon., June 26	Natural-scientific overview on the polar environment	Arctic security & policy of the coastal states		International legal regime of Antarctica	Lunch		Visit to the St. Isaac's Cathedral
Tues., June 27	Arctic legal regime. (Part I. Polar baselines and state practice)	Arctic legal regime. (Part II. Polar maritime delimitation)	Coffee, tea	Delimitation of the Arctic continental SHELF. Outer limits of CS and states submissions to CLCS	Lunch		
Wed., June 28	Regime of polar islands	Protection of freshwater resources in the High North	Coffee, tea	NATO & EU in the High North	Lunch	Workshop: Delimitation of the Arctic spaces	
Thurs June 29	Protection of the Arctic landscape and environment (protection of Birds, Polar Beers/ and Mammals)	Biodiversity beyond national jurisdiction & polar maritime parks and protected areas	Coffee, tea	Legal anthropology - protection of the indigenous inhabitants of the Far North	Lunch		Visit to the State Hermitage
Fri., June 30	Regulations of the International Seabed Authority	Arctic council & activities of other international organizations in attempts to provide security Arctic areas	Coffee, tea	Application of the "Common Heritage" doctrine to the Polar spaces	Lunch	Week 1 and 2: Written Test	Ballet at Mariinskiy Theater
Sat., Jul 1	09:30-17:00 Field trip to the State museum "Pushkin"						

Week 3: Legislation of the polar activities

	Lecture I 09:00-10:00	Lecture II 10:15-11:15	Break 11:15-11:30	Lecture III 11:30-12:30	Lunch 13:00-14:00	Workshop 14:30-16:00	Cultural program
Mon., Jul 3	Industrial activities in Arctic & Antarctic spaces	Arctic climate and navigation (weather, hydrology and ice conditions)	Coffee, tea	Antarctic scientific activities	Lunch	Classes will be held at the premises of the “State Museum of Arctic & Antarctic”	
Tues., Jul 4	Polar navigation (North-East passage)	Polar navigation (North-West passage)	Coffee, tea	Technical requirements for ships operating in the Arctic (Russian Marine Register & IMO Guidelines: applicable to technical standards in Arctic Waters)	Lunch		
Wed., Jul 5	Polar code	Navigation in the Arctic straits	Coffee, tea	Arctic navigation & Insurance	Lunch	Arctic navigation and marine environment workshop	
Thurs., Jul 6	Regulation of industrial development of hydrocarbons	Polar fisheries management and FAO Instruments	Coffee, tea	Polar tourism	Lunch		
Fri., Jul 7	<i>Oral Examination</i> (on board the icebreaker “Krasin”)	<i>Oral Examination</i> (on board the icebreaker “Krasin”)	Coffee, tea	<i>Oral Examination</i> (on board the icebreaker “Krasin”)	Lunch	14:00-16:00 Graduation and Award Ceremony	Farewell boat trip (St. Petersburg rivers and channels). All participants of the Summer School
Sat., Jul 8	Departure						