## 2012 Journal Study Abroad Policies

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<td>Y</td>
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<td>Members of the executive board are not eligible to study abroad; other editorial positions will be considered on a case-by-case basis. 3L staff members who are studying abroad will be required to serve as judges for the Write On competition.</td>
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American Criminal Law Review

Due to the nature of the second-year staff responsibilities, it is not possible for students to participate on the journal if they are also planning to study abroad. Third-year journal members who wish to study abroad must consult with the editor-in-chief to see whether it is possible to fulfill their editorial board responsibilities remotely; executive board responsibilities cannot be fulfilled remotely.

Georgetown Immigration Law Journal

The Georgetown Immigration Law Journal recognizes Georgetown Law’s commitment to the expansion of global and transnational legal studies and the opportunities it provides for Georgetown students. Therefore, GILJ staff members are allowed to study abroad with the understanding that they are expected to and will complete all 2L and 3L assignments by the deadlines assigned to her or him. However, please be aware that some editorial board positions may be limited to students who are studying the full year at Georgetown, including Editor in Chief, Managing Editor, and Senior Article & Line Editor.

Georgetown International Environmental Law Review

GIELR, as a journal focusing on international law, appreciates the benefits of study abroad programs. We are happy to work with any student wishing to study abroad 2L or 3L year. We are extremely flexible and will work with students as their situation requires.

Georgetown Journal of Gender and the Law

Journal members are permitted to participate in the Law Center’s study abroad programs without needing to relinquish their Journal membership. However, Journal members planning to study abroad must continue to complete all of their assignments and duties in a timely fashion. In addition, Journal members who are planning to study abroad during their third year at the Law Center are not permitted to hold Executive Board positions (e.g. Editor-in-Chief, Managing Editor, Senior Articles Editor).

Georgetown Journal of International Law
GJIL members are allowed to study abroad in either their first or second year on the Journal. Students who study abroad in their first year have the same responsibilities as all other first-year Journal staff. Students who wish to study abroad during their second year on the journal cannot to serve on the Executive Board or in one the more senior Editorial Board positions because of the level of responsibility involved. However, second-year students who are abroad may still serve on the Editorial Board or as Senior Staff. Students interested in studying abroad should contact the Editor-in-Chief well in advance of going abroad to make sure he or she can plan accordingly.

**Georgetown Journal of Law & Modern Critical Race Perspectives**

The Georgetown Journal of Law and Modern Critical Race Perspectives values the experience that studying abroad provides as well as the positive impact those experiences may have on the Journal. Accordingly, we do not prohibit membership if you are planning to study abroad.

However, because we have a small staff, we will only accept a maximum of two members who are planning to study abroad during their 2L year. If you are planning to study abroad next year, please indicate your intent to do so in your personal statement and indicate how you will use your study abroad experience to contribute positively to our Journal.

If you are planning to study abroad as a 3L, please discuss this with the Administrative Editor and the Editor in Chief by the end of 2L fall semester. All MCRP members have a 2-year requirement to fulfill and must complete any Journal assignments they receive while out of the country. Failure to do so may result in the loss of your MCRP membership.

**Georgetown Journal of Law & Public Policy**

GJLPP’s policy is that full-time students studying abroad are excused from Journal activities while abroad. Part time students owe the Journal two years, so they must manage their time abroad and Journal commitment years accordingly.

**Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics**

As a result of the Georgetown University Law Center's commitment to study abroad programs, the Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics allows members of its 3L Senior Staff and certain editorial positions to participate in study abroad opportunities.

However, it is impossible for the Journal to accept any 2Ls who plan to study abroad because of the various administrative difficulties it presents.
Georgetown Journal on Poverty Law and Policy

The Georgetown Journal on Poverty Law & Policy is committed to receiving members with broad life experiences, and in conjunction with that spirit, the Journal will allow a very limited number of staff members to study abroad. However, as other journals have emphasized, GJPLP staff members that do choose to study abroad should do so with the understanding that they will be expected to complete all 2L and 3L assignments by the deadlines assigned to them in order to be fair to the time demands of the rest of the staff. It is preferable to have members commit to being at the Law Center for the duration of their 2L year. Consequently, if a member wants to study abroad, it would be best for him or her to do it 3L year and only if the member is not serving on the editorial board.

Georgetown Law Journal

The Georgetown Law Journal, recognizing the Georgetown University Law Center’s commitment to expanding study abroad opportunities for its students and recognizing the need to ensure that Journal members are, to the greatest degree possible, given the opportunity to participate in these programs, adopts the following policy:

(1) The Georgetown Law Journal is prepared to work with any 3L member who wishes to participate in the Law Center’s study abroad program, provided the 3L member agrees to and abides by the following restrictions:

(A) the member cannot hold the position of (i) Editor in Chief, (ii) ARCP Editor in Chief, (iii) Managing Editor, (iv) ARCP Managing Editor, (v) any “Senior Editor” position (defined as an editorial position conferring Senior Board status as understood under Article IV.A. of The Georgetown Law Journal Constitution), or (vi) any “Executive Editor” position, including, but not limited to, Executive Editor, Executive Articles Editor, and Executive Notes Editor.

(B) the member must agree in writing, pursuant to language drafted by the Senior Board, to complete all work by all deadlines assigned by her or his committee head;

(C) the member must obtain prior approval from the Editor in Chief, who will consult with the Senior Board prior to granting such approval; and

(D) the Law Center has provided the technology necessary to enable The Journal (and other Law Center journals similarly situated) to communicate with its members participating in the study abroad program.

(2) The Georgetown Law Journal currently does not have the necessary technology or work-delegation structure to permit 2Ls to be Journal members and also to participate in the Law Center’s study abroad program. The Senior Board commits to evaluating these capabilities on an annual basis and expresses its interest in working with the Law Center to make this possible. To that end, a Study Abroad Review Committee will be formed in Fall 2011 to consider potential reforms to the Study Abroad Policy. Thus, as of the 2011-2012 academic year, 2Ls may not participate in the study abroad program and serve on The Journal.
The Tax Lawyer

The Tax Lawyer will not accept 2Ls who will be abroad during their 2L year. While the Board recognizes that this may disadvantage some students who wish to both go abroad and to join a journal, the administrative feasibility of having a 2L staff member out of the country is difficult, if not impossible. 3L members are allowed to go abroad, but the issues there are different from a journal administration perspective. 3Ls who are planning on going abroad are not permitted to hold positions on the Executive Board, but will be considered for other editorial positions on a case-by-case basis.