

Santa Clara University School of Law
Faculty: Vienna-Budapest Summer 2012 Program

Professor Dr. Jiri Toman: Professor Jiri Toman is a full-time tenured faculty member at Santa Clara, Professor Toman teaches International law and various specialized courses such as Comparative Law. Professor Toman has had extensive experience academically and legally in the fields of international and humanitarian law. A member of several international associations and on the editorial boards of several journals, Professor Toman has published numerous studies, books, and articles in the fields of international law, human rights, humanitarian law, economic law, disaster relief law, and criminal law. Prior to joining the Santa Clara University School of Law faculty, Professor Toman taught at the School of Economics and School of Law at Charles University in Prague, the University of Geneva, and was a visiting professor at Santa Clara University, George Washington University, and Université de Franche-Comté in Besançon. He has lectured at the Universities of Birmingham, Cambridge, London, Oxford, Pisa, Uppsala, Virginia, Waseda, and Yale; organized regional seminars on international law and criminal law in Africa and Latin America; and was consultant to several international and regional organizations, including UNESCO, UNDRO, UNCTAD, and the United Nations Center for Human Rights, Council of Europe.

He has directed the Vienna-Budapest program for several years.

Professor Dr. Siegfried Fina. Professor Siegfried Fina will be present on-site in Vienna, and teaches in that program. He is co-director of the Stanford-Vienna Transatlantic Technology Law Forum (a joint venture of Stanford Law School and the University of Vienna School of Law) and an associate professor of European Union Law and Technology Law at the University of Vienna School of Law in Austria. Professor Fina holds a JD and JSD from the University of Vienna School of Law.

Dr. Thomas Ruhm. Dr. Ruhm earned his degree in law from the University of Vienna in 2000. He holds an LL.M. from the London School of Economics, specializing in Banking Law and Financial Regulations. An associate at DLA Piper from 2004 until early 2011, Dr. Ruhm currently practices at Benn-Ibler in Vienna, Austria. His areas of specialization include business law, mergers and acquisitions.

Professor Dr. István Gellertheyi. Professor Gellertheyi is the Vice-Dean at Corvinus University of Budapest Faculty of Public Administration, and Professor-of-law at Eötvös Lóránd University, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences. In addition, he heads a law practice in environmental law in Budapest. He is a founding member of the Academy of European Law, and Co-Chairman of Academy of European Law European Environmental Law Section. He has visited law schools in the USA, teaching environmental law.

Dr. Col. Franz Schuller. Dr. Schuller is a retired Colonel and expert in International Commerce, Trade and Business Administration (Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration) and Economic History and History of Art (Vienna University). He is Secretary General of the Austrian Society for the Protection of Cultural Property, and Advisor for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Austrian Ministry of Defense. Dr. Schuller is a military expert in Protection of Cultural Property for ICRC and UNESCO.

Karl von Habsburg. Since 1987 Karl von Habsburg-Lothringen was President of the Pan-European Union; from 1996 to 1999 member of the European Parliament; and Captain in the Austrian Air Force. Archduke Karl of Austria is the grandson of the last Austrian emperor Charles I. His Imperial and Royal Highness Archduke Karl is head of the Austrian branch of the Order of the Golden Fleece (Ordre de la Toison d'Or).

Professor Richard Gamauf. Professor Gamauf serves on the University of Vienna law faculty. He earned his Magister and Ph.D. from the University of Vienna. He also served as law clerk at the Austrian Constitutional Court.

Dr. Col. Andreas Stupka. Colonel Dr Andreas Stupka is the Director of the Institute of Human and Social Sciences, Austrian National Defense Academy.

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Professor Dr. Friedl Weiss. Friedl Weiss holds a doctorate in law, a Licence spéciale en Droit Européen from the European Institute at the Free University of Brussels, as well as an MA in Public International Law and European Law from the University of Cambridge. His research focus is European and International (economic) Law and International Organizations, including those of international economic governance and European Community Law.

Professor Peter Fischer. Dr. Fischer earned a doctoral degree in law from the University of Vienna in 1962. He taught at the University of Vienna from 1974 to 2004, specializing in International Law and International Economic law. He has visited at several law schools in Europe, Asia and the USA, and is currently Professor of European Politics at the Austro-American Institute of Education(AAIE), Vienna. Dr. Fischer is widely published, authoring numerous books and articles on international and EU economics and trade.

Dr. Marcin Lech. Dr. Marcin Lech earned a doctoral degree in law from the University of Vienna, prior to which he had an LLM from the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Poland. He is a Lecturer in Law at the Academy of International Political and Economic Relations in Poland. He specializes in business and economic law, with focus on the EU countries.

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