

2005 Program

“Comparative and European Law”

John Marshall Law School Chicago Study Abroad Program

May 28 – June 11, 2005, Czech Republic

Program Itinerary

May 23 (Chicago)	The Civil Law System (Michael P. Seng)
May 25 (Chicago)	Institutions of the European Union and the Sources of European Law – Overview (Martin Bohacek)
May 30 (Prague)	
8:30 – 9:00	Orientation
9:00 – 10:30	Czech History Overview (Jan Karaba)
10:30 – 12:00	1989: Revolution or Planned Collapse (Deana Wooley)
14:00 – 16:00	Czech Criminal Procedure (Jan Svacek)
May 31 (Prague)	
8:30 – 10:00	Economic Transition and Privatization (Dusan Triska)
10:30 – 13:00	Doing Business in Central Europe (Petr Zahradnik)
15:00 – 16:30	Briefing on the Czech Republic by the United States Embassy
June 1 (Prague)	
8:30 – 10:00	The European Constitution: Its Making, Main Principles and Impact on the National Level (Jiri Zemanek)
10:30 – 11:30	The EU Constitution – Political Consequences (Petr Mach)
11:30 – 14:00	Lunch – Vojtech Cepl
14:00 – 16:00	Doing Business in the Czech Republic (American Chamber of Commerce)
June 2	Optional Trip to Skoda Auto Factory in Mlada Boleslav
June 3 (Prague)	
9:00 – 10:00	Outline of Czech Legal History (Radim Seltenreich)
10:30 – 11:30	The Legal Consequences of the Czech Privatization Program (Petr Zima)
June 4 - 5	Optional Trip to Telc and Znojmo
June 6 (Brno)	
8:00 – 10:30	European Criminal Law (Jaroslav Fenyk)
14:00 – 16:00	Visit to the Supreme Court of the Czech Republic
June 7 (Brno)	
8:00 – 10:30	European Intellectual Property Law (Radim Charvat)
June 8 (Brno)	
8:00 – 10:30	European Human Rights law (Dalibor Jilek)
June 9 (Prague)	
8:30 – 10:00	Taxes in EU and Czech Republic (Jana Svobodova)
10:30 – 11:30	The Czech System of Legal Education (John Carey)
11:45 – 12:45	Criminal Law – Totalitarian v. Democratic System (Libor Dusek)

16:00 – 18:00

Czech Business Law (Martin Bohacek)

19:00 – 21:00

Meeting with the Common Law Society at Charles University

June 10 (Prague)

9:00 – 10:15

Czech Constitutional Law (Iva Chvatalova)

10:30 – 11:45

Constitutional Law of the Central European Countries (Petr Hlista)