

## Faculty of Law



### DESO2378 Seminar on national and international arbitration law

[30h] 9 credits

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**Language:** French  
**Level:** Second cycle

#### Aims

The aim of this seminar is to allow students to make a more detailed study of certain subjects. The general theme of the seminar changes every year. It is versatile enough to be divided into about fifteen related subjects linked by a common set of problems.

#### Main themes

Theme: alternative dispute resolution

Alternative dispute resolution includes techniques such as arbitration, mediation, conciliation, mini-trial, technical expertise, independent arbitrator, etc. Because of the heavy workload in the ordinary courts, these techniques are recommended by the European Commission and by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law.

These techniques are studied from a legal point of view but also from a practical point of view, in particular concerning their efficiency and cost.

#### Content and teaching methods

A dual approach is required from students: an oral presentation of the results of their research and a written paper. The participants regularly share the findings of their research and the difficulties they encounter. During the first term, specialists are invited to speak to students on subjects related to the theme of the seminar. Each student is graded individually on the seminar. The grade takes into account the work done during the year, active participation in the discussion groups, the quality of the oral presentation and the written paper submitted.

The presentation of written papers will take place during a residential seminar at the end of November 2005.

#### Other credits in programs

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