

# YURIY FEDKOVYCH CHERNIVTSI NATIONAL UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF LAW



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Chernivtsi National University was founded in 1875 by Franz Josef, Emperor of Austro-Hungary.

Chernivtsi National University has 14 campuses, the Botanical Garden, Zoological and Earth Science/Topography Museums, Publishing House, and Library with over 2.5 million books, many of them belong to the old collections dating from nineteenth century.



In 1999 Chernivtsi National University became the member of the International Universities Organization «Phi Beta Delta» (USA).



In 2009 Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University was granted a full individual membership in the European University Association.

In 2011 Central Building of Chernivtsi National University, known as the Residence of Orthodox Metropolitans of Bukovyna and Dalmatia was included into the list of the World's Heritage (UNESCO).

Today the University comprises 2 Institutes and 10 Faculties.

## **Faculty of Law Yuri Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University**

Being a contemporary of the University the Faculty of Law is at the same time one of the most successful among its faculties. About two thousand students study there. Training programs are available in Ukrainian and English. The Faculty of Law can boast of having very serious competition

among the university entrants for the state-financed enrolment which is also of the highest level not only among all faculties and institutes of the University, but also among all the law faculties and specialized higher legal education institutions in Ukraine.

The faculty provides training under both the general LLB, LLM, PhD and LLD programmes, as well as special LLB, LLM, PhD and LLD programmes in International Law.



## Departments of the Faculty of Law



Departments of the Faculty of Law	Heads of departments
<b>Department of Public Law</b>	<b>Ruslana Havrylyuk, LL.D., Assoc. Professor</b>
<b>Department of Private Law</b>	<b>Mykola Bodnaruk, LL.D., Assoc. Professor</b>
<b>Department of Penal Law and Forensics</b>	<b>Halyna Zharovska, Ph.D., Assoc. Professor</b>
<b>Department of Justice</b>	<b>Oksana Shcherbaniuk, LL.D., Assoc. Professor</b>
<b>Department of Legal Psychology</b>	<b>Oleksii Chernovskyi, LL.D., Assoc. Professor</b>
<b>Department of Philosophy and Theory of Law</b>	<b>Mykhailo Nykyforak, LL.D., Full Professor</b>
<b>Department of European Law and Comparative Jurisprudence</b>	<b>Serhiy Melenko, LL.D., Full Professor</b>

## Alumni of the Law Faculty

Convincing marker of a high level of proficiency of students at the Faculty of Law is successful professional careers of its graduates. First of all, they find themselves on the territory of Ukraine. The best alumni of the faculty are a considerable part of the national elite of Ukraine: they have recently held or hold the positions of Prime Minister of Ukraine, Head of Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine (Ukrainian Parliament), Minister of Justice of Ukraine, Minister of infrastructure and transport of Ukraine, military prosecutor of Ukraine, Head of the Executive Board of the Public Joint-Stock Company “State Savings Bank of Ukraine”, are deputies of Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine, heads of a number of committees and commissions of Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine, work as judges, state prosecutors, attorneys and notaries.

Many alumni of the Chernivtsi Law School work as successful advocates, attorneys, counsellors, solicitors and barristers at the more than 10 countries all over the world: USA, England, Germany, Israel, Spain, Canada, Romania, Poland, Holland, Belgium and others.



## International relations of the Faculty of Law

The Faculty of Law maintains and constantly expands its international cooperation and good working partnerships with the law schools of universities in Austria, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Germany, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovakia.



Teachers from the Law Faculty are frequent participants in various Erasmus+ programs and give visiting lectures at the law schools of universities in the EU countries. For its part, the Law Faculty also regularly arranges and facilitates lectures in English read by foreign professors.

## Higher legal education for foreign students

Faculty of Law offers higher legal education for foreign students:



- Bachelor's degree educational programme (in Law)
- Master's degree educational programme (in International Commercial Law)



Education for foreign citizens in Ukraine is available on the paid basis.  
At the Faculty of Law teaching process for the foreign students is conducted in English.



## Term and cost of education for foreign students

- One year of the study on the LL.B program costs 2000 U.S. dollars per one student. Duration of study – four years.



- One year of the study on the LL.M program costs 3000 U.S. dollars per one student. Duration of study – one year.



## Priority directions for the training of foreign students

The priority directions of the education of foreign students are:

- Providing training for mastering general and occupational subjects in English language;
- Facilitation of students' adaptation to the conditions of living in Ukraine;
- Cultivation in students respect for Ukraine, its history, culture and traditions without compromising



- the values and principles of multiculturalism;
- Helping students to decide on the area of studies and the future speciality;
- Promotion of the integration of the national higher education system into the European and world educational space, the development of international cooperation.

## Our core principles

• The academic community of the Chernivtsi Faculty of Law shares maxims of the community of Harvard University Law School (USA), namely 15 Motivation Rules for Harvard Students:

1. If you sleep now, you will see dreams but they won't be real. But if you prefer studying to sleeping, your dreams will come true.

2. When you think it is too late, there's still time.

3. Suffering from studying is temporary. Suffering from ignorance is more permanent.

4. Studying is not about time, it's about effort.

5. Life is not for studying alone. But if you can't even get through this part, you're going to have more serious problems post-graduation.

6. Exertion and effort can also be pleasant.

7. Only those who fulfil everything earlier and put forth great effort can be truly delighted with their success.

8. To succeed in everything is not for everyone. Success comes only from self-improvement and determination.

9. Time slips by.

10. Savouring today will turn into tears tomorrow.

11. Realists are those who contribute something to the future.

12. Your salary is directly-proportional to your level of education.

13. Today will never come back.

14. Even now your enemies are getting ahead.

15. Only through hard work will you start earning big.

## **Bachelor's degree in Law**

The term of study for the Bachelor Programme is four years which includes besides many electives subjects the following compulsory courses:

1. CONSTITUTIONAL LAW
2. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW
3. CRIMINAL LAW
4. LEGAL METHOD
5. LEGAL SYSTEM
6. LAW OF EQUITY AND TRUSTS
7. LAW OF TORTS
8. JURISPRUDENCE
9. LAW OF CONTRACT
10. LAND LAW
11. CORPORATE LAW
12. COMMERCIAL LAW
13. LAW OF EVIDENCE

## **Master's degree in International Commercial Law**

The term of study for the Master Program is one year during which students conduct compulsory research project along with studying a number of free elective courses.

## Student life

- Faculty of Law provides development of the student's abilities. Many student organizations function at the Faculty. They provide opportunities to evolve student's professional skills as well as conducting playing sports and spending leisure time in many engaging and interesting ways.

Students are provided with accommodation in comfortable University hostel and conditions for efficient study and interesting leisure.



## Chernivtsi

Chernivtsi is the capital of Bukovinian land. One of the most beautiful and unique places



in Ukraine. The territory of Chernivtsi is 153 square kilometres with population of 250 thousand people.

For 600 years of its existence, Chernivtsi has



been a part of various states, but the most determinant factor for its prosperity and formation as a European city was being under Austro-Hungarian rule from 1774 until 1918. This stage of development is reflected in the face of the City having left fascinating monuments of architecture and planning in the streets and squares of Chernivtsi that mirror all the art and aesthetic tendencies of European architecture of that time.

Chernivtsi is well-known as a multinational, highly cultured, tolerant, peaceful and non-criminal city.

## Ukraine

- Ukraine is the largest country in Europe with more than a thousand years of history and traditions that originate in antiquity.

Ukraine is member to numerous world and regional international organisations, including United Nations (UN), OSCE, the Council of Europe, EU Energy Community, and the GUAM . The country is currently taking steps to accede to EU and NATO, and has special partnership with both organisations.



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