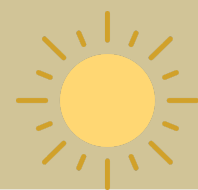


Summer Training Programme @ Yu Sun Yau Mak & Lawyers (YSYM) May to August 2023



Between June and August 2022, 13 CityU Law students from different years of both the LLB and JD programmes participated in a summer training programme at YSYM, a local law firm. Students had the opportunity to work and assist partners, associates and trainee solicitors from the law firm in different areas of legal practices. Each student was specially assigned to mentors according to their career aspirations and needs. The interns also attended weekly workshops on different practice areas including personal injuries, family law, wills and probate law, and criminal law.

Students were able to gain hands-on experience in conducting legal research, drafting legal documents, and attending client meetings and court hearings. Students also got to interact with their mentors and other colleagues in an informal setting during lunch and other social gatherings. Students from different years of study and programmes had fun working together! Student participants indicated that they had benefitted a lot from this Programme



Comments from previous interns




Last year, I participated in the two-month summer internship program at YSYM. I was very fortunate to have Mr. Michael Sun, the founding partner of YSYM, Mr. James Li, and Mr. Henri Chan, the associate and consultant solicitor, to be my supervisors. They **supervised my work very well**. Not only did I acquire **substantial knowledge about personal injuries and family law**, I also gained **hands-on experience in legal research** and **attended clients meetings**. Moreover, interns also benefited greatly from the **weekly training workshop** on different practice areas. I highly recommend other students to join the programme!

- **Leung Sin Yeuk (Cindy) (LLB Year 2)**

My two-month internship at YSYM was an eye-opening experience for me! As a year one student, I had a lot of **brand-new encounters**, such as attending court visits and taking client instructions during meetings. I gained much exposure in various practice areas of law by working on personal injuries and torture claims cases. I was fortunate to be **entrusted with multiple tasks, such as drafting supplemental submissions and doing research**. I also learned about the work under different practice areas during the weekly workshops conducted by different lawyers!

- **Li Cheuk Yin (Vanessa) (LLB Year 2)**

Sign up for the Summer Training Programme@YSYM 2023
(22 May 2023 to 30 June 2023 or 3 July 2023 to 11 August 2023)
by completing this form:

<https://forms.gle/eF16Kb9KEVD2m8326> (Press to register) 

Register Here!!



N.B. It will be a prerequisite to understand (not necessarily speaking) Cantonese since all workshops will be conducted in Cantonese.



Comments from previous interns



The Summer Training Programme @ YSYM has been **invaluable in preparing me for my career. The mentoring I received from experienced lawyers and staff members at YSYM has been instrumental in helping me improve my legal skills.** I have gained **hands-on experience by assisting lawyers with drafting different kinds of legal documents, conducting research on legal issues, as well as attending client meetings.**

I have developed a much deeper understanding of **civil procedures** and practices in key areas of law such as **personal injuries/employee compensation, wills and probate, and matrimonial law.** I feel well equipped with the knowledge and experience needed to thrive in the legal profession thanks to the excellent training and opportunities provided through this programme. Overall, my time at YSYM has been highly impactful and shaped me into a stronger candidate.


-Tong Shee Ling Celine (JD Year 3)

The Summer Training Programme@YSYM was incredibly beneficial for me as it provided a **well-structured learning environment with proper supervision and guidance.** Through **various workshops and hands-on experience in criminal, family and personal injuries cases,** I was able to develop my skills and gain a deeper understanding of the legal field. I would highly recommend this Programme to any aspiring law student, as **it offers a comprehensive and valuable learning experience.**

- Kwong Ka Man Kyle (JD Year 3)

Sign up for the Summer Training Programme@YSYM 2023
(22 May 2023 to 30 June 2023 or 3 July 2023 to 11 August 2023)

by completing this form:

<https://forms.gle/eF16Kb9KEVD2m8326> (Press to register) 

N.B. It will be a prerequisite to understand (not necessarily speaking) Cantonese since all workshops will be conducted in Cantonese.

Register Here!!

