

Renmin Business School – International MBA Program
(Fall 2022)

Program Subject	Chinese Business Law
Credits	2 credits as an elective
Program Level & Target Students	Master; MBA candidates
Lecturer (including name, title, research area, email address)	Prof. dr. Tianlong Lawrence Hu, Esq. Asso. Professor of Law and Finance, Renmin University of China Areas: Int'l & Chinese Business Law, Securities Regs., Corp. Gov.; Fintech & Regtech hut@umich.edu
Course Description and Teaching Material	This course mainly offers students a comprehensive introduction, study and analysis of Chinese business law including general business settings for doing business in China, Corporation Law & Governance, Employment Contract / Labor Law, Anti-Monopoly / Competition Law, Tax Law and Foreign Investment Law. It focuses not only on the jurisprudential part of Chinese business law, but the practical and procedural aspects of business routines. The course includes judicial rules and cases from the Chinese judicial organs highlighting relevant legal issues and discussions. It further



	<p>provides Chinese business law study from a comparative legal analysis approach. Relevant legal concepts and principles will be introduced, discussed, and analyzed. The majority content of the course is designed toward providing appropriate methodologies for studying Chinese business law, and cultivating legal ways of thinking for students with international educational background and future employment potentials. It embraces not only an opportunity to study rules and cases, but also invites deep insights in architecting business practices in China.</p>
Syllabus	<p>Part 1: General Introduction to Chinese Business Law & Business Settings (2-3 weeks)</p> <p>Part 2: Corporation Law (1-2 weeks)</p> <p>2.1 Corporations and Corporation Law</p> <p>2.2 Establishment, Change and Dissolution</p> <p>2.3 Corporate Governance</p> <p>2.4 Mergers, Divestitures and Capital Changes</p> <p>Part 3: Law on Foreign Investment Enterprises (1 week)</p> <p>3.1 Introduction</p> <p>Evolution of Chinese foreign investment law</p> <p>Governmental structures in administration of foreign investment</p> <p>Legal framework of foreign investment law</p>

	<p>Policy issues</p> <p>3.2 Sino-foreign equity joint ventures</p> <p>3.3 Capitalization</p> <p>Part 4 China Fiscal and Tax Law (1 week)</p> <p>4.1 Introduction</p> <p>Basic principles</p> <p>4.2 Tax related administration and regulatory framework</p> <p>4.3 Administrative Tax Legal Framework</p> <p>4.4 Tax Judicial System and Chinese Judicial System in General</p> <p>Part 5. China Anti-Monopoly Law & Competition Law (1 week)</p> <p>Part 6. China Labor and Employment Contract Law (1 week)</p> <p><i>Note: subjects of class discussion and the order of the subjects may be changed</i></p>
References	<p>Laws</p> <p>The Corporation Law of the People's Republic of China</p> <p>The Securities Law of the People's Republic of China (2020)</p>



	The Foreign Investment Law of China (2020)
Short Bio.	<p>Professor Hu is the Mingde Youth Scholar Associate Professor of Law and Finance at Renmin University of China (RUC); S.J.D. (Michigan), LL.M. in International Taxation (Michigan), LL.M. (Michigan); LL.B. (Peking Univ.); Attorney-at-Law (New York); Visiting professorship / appointments include a few law schools in Europe and US. Prior to joining RUC, he practiced in U.S. and the Greater China at a few leading international law firms, Fortune 500 companies and a Big-4 CPA firm. In addition to counselling a few legislations of national level in China, he serves as a director of China International Taxation Research Institute (with State Administration of Taxation), a director of China Fiscal & Tax Law Society, and is a member of NYSBA, ABA, American Society of International Law, and China Law Society.</p>