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Argentina Spring Trip2018
April 16-22, 2018
Buenos Aires, Argentina and
Mendoza, Argentina

The International Law Section of the State Bar of Texas is pleased to release the official agenda for its upcoming trip to Argentina on April 16 to 22 to the cities of Buenos Aires and Mendoza.

Registration Fee: \$150 USD per person. The Fee covers the ILS's cost to arrange meetings and to have a bilingual chaperone locally to help and guide the group during the trip. This fee does not cover any other expenses related to the trip.

Logistics: Each participant will be responsible for making his/her own hotel reservations, securing airfare, and for covering all of his/her costs once in Argentina.

Cost of Trip: Total trip cost estimate is between \$3,000 USD (without the Mendoza Trip) and \$3,500 USD (with the Mendoza Trip), and each participant decides which events to attend.

To reserve your spot: We have LIMITED spots available. To secure your reservation, please mail your check to The Gabriela Noemi Smith Law Firm, PLLC, Attn.: Gabriela Smith, 5307 E. Mockingbird Ln., Suite 500, Dallas, TX 75206. Spots will be reserved on a first come-first served basis and reservations are NON-REFUNDABLE. You will receive an email confirming your attendance upon receipt of your check. Make all checks payable to "The State Bar of Texas"

Please contact Gabriela Smith at gsmith@gnsllawpllc.com if you have further questions.

DAILY ACTIVITIES¹

Each participant decides which events to attend.

DAY 1: Monday, April 16, 2018

10:00 a.m. *Arrival at EZE airport, in Buenos Aires, Argentina.*
Round trips on coach start at around \$1.200 USD
Trip to the hotel by Taxi \$40.00 USD

11:00 a.m. *Check-in at Hotel Panamericano*
Make your reservation at:

<https://reservations.travelclick.com/6059?identifier=USM&datein=04/15/2018&nights=7#/accommodation/room>

We have a special rate and the above link reflects the special rates at Hotel Panamericano. Cost starting at \$165 USD/night. If you call/email ask about the Texas Bar Delegation rate. Address: Carlos Pellegrini 551, 1009 CABA, Argentina
Contact at the Hotel: Veronica Rodriguez,
vrodriguez@panamericano.us

12:30 p.m. *Lunch*
Address: Hotel Panamericano (on your own)
Restaurant Tomo I <http://www.tomo1.com.ar/>
Aprox. \$50.00 USD

2:00 – 4:30 p.m. *Tourism Sightseeing in Downtown Buenos Aires (walking required)*
Location: the traditional and historical landmarks of “Plaza de Mayo,” the Cathedral in Plaza de Mayo, the “Pink House” (the Presidential office known in Spanish as the “Casa Rosada”) and the “Obelisco.” We will finish this adventure by stopping for a traditional “Café con Medialunas” afternoon snack at “CafeTortoni,” an iconic and historical café that has been in operation since the mid-1800s.
Cost estimate \$20.00 USD

5:00 p.m. *Welcome and Kick-Off by Universidad de San Martin*
Address: Universidad de San Martin, Av. Roque Sáenz Peña 832, Piso 6, CABA (C1035AAP) (Inside Edificio Volta)

¹ This schedule and is subject to change. All costs are estimated.

Agenda

- 5:00 – 5:15 p.m. Arrival and Brief Networking
- 5:15 – 5:25 p.m. Welcome to the Program and a view of International Legal issues in Argentina by **Alejandro Tullio** Director of the Instituto de Ciencias Jurídicas Universidad de San Martín.
- 5:25 – 6 p.m. Presentation by Dr. Raúl Arlotti, Attorney and Professor. “*Understanding Argentina, Historical and Legal Highlights, its People and its Politics.*”
- 6:00 – 6:25 p.m. Presentation by Remes Levnicov, former Chief of Ministry of Economy. “*Background of Industry and Commerce in Argentina – Top Exports, Economic Outlook, and Political Economy*”
- 6:25 – 6:45 p.m. Q&A: Ask the Presenters
- 6:45 p.m. Event Ends
- 8:00 – 9:00 p.m. *Dinner Reception and Keynote by Jose Siaba Serrate “Argentina Economics Policies and Scenarios”*
Location: Hotel Panamericano
Cost of Dinner: \$40.00 USD

DAY 2: Tuesday, April 17, 2018

- 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. *Breakfast and Oil and Gas Roundtable on Regulatory Framework of Energy Policy hosted by Pan American Energy*
Presentation by Dr. Rodolfo Diaz, Vicepresident of Legal Issues, Pan American Energy. “*Regulatory Framework on Energy Matters*”
Address: Pan American Energy Offices, Av. Leandro N. Alem 1180, 1001 CABA, Argentina
- 11:30 a.m.– 12:30 p.m. *Visit with Supreme Court of Argentina*
Welcome and Presentation by the Honorable Horacio Rosatti, Judge of the Supreme Court of Argentina. “*Latest decisions of the Supreme Court*”
Address: Talcahuano 550, 1013 Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 12:30 p.m. *Lunch on your own*

Cost estimate \$30.00 USD

Restaurant Options at Puerto Madero district:

Happening (Meat Courses)

Address: Av. Alicia Moreau de Justo 310.

www.happening.com.ar/

La Parolaccia (Italian Courses)

Address: Av. Alicia Moreau de Justo 1052

Bice (Italian Courses)

Address: Av. Alicia M. de Justo 192, 1107 Puerto Madero, Buenos Aires. 011 4315-6216

2:00 p.m.

Tour Teatro Colon

Address: Cerrito 628, C1010 CABA, Argentina

<http://www.teatrocolon.org.ar/en/the-theatre>

Cost \$17.00 USD

Tours daily from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. every 15 minutes

Tours last 50 minutes

4:00 p.m.

Visit to Universidad de Buenos Aires (Buenos Aires Law School)

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4:00 – 4:10 p.m.

Welcome by the Faculty Dean

4:10- 5:00 p.m.

Presentation by the professor

Dr. Juan Sola, “The US and Argentinian Constitutional Legal Systems in a Comparative Perspective”

5:00 p.m.

End of Event

5:00 p.m.

Visit to the landmark “Recoleta” neighborhood, with optional visit to the Cemetery² landmark where many Argentinian national figures are buried. If time permits, continue the visit by stopping by the trendy neighborhoods of Palermo Hollywood and Palermo Soho with opportunity for local shopping and local arts scene and a great place to blend in with “Porteños.”

6:00 – 6:45 p.m.

Meeting with Argentina Council of Foreign Relations International Law Committee

² Learn more about the Cemetery at <https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en/otros-establecimientos/recoleta-cemetery>

Address: Uruguay 1037, piso 1°, C1016ACA Buenos Aires

7:00 p.m. If time permits, we will continue to “blend in” by walking “Santa Fe Avenue,” a mixed commercial and residential avenue rich in local culture. You may stop for another “Café con Leche” or may choose shop, experience food in another cafe, or go shopping. There are great shopping opportunities along Santa Fe Avenue including the mall “Alto Palermo³” which offers the opportunities to shop various Argentinian brands and designers.

8:00 p.m. Tango Show and Dinner at “Madero Tango” in the “Puerto Madero” neighborhood
Address: Av. Alicia Moreau de Justo 2150, C1107AFP CABA, Argentina
<https://www.maderotango.com/>
Cost estimated at \$100.00 USD per person

Day 3: Wednesday, April 18 2018

9:00 a.m. Breakfast
Suggestion: Hotel Panamericano
Cost estimate: \$20.00 USD

10.00 – 11:00 a.m. Visit to the Office of International Relations and Investments of the City of Buenos Aires and meeting with the Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires Mr. Horacio Rodriguez Larreta.

“Discussion on International Efforts/Programs by the City of Buenos Aires to Attract Foreign Investments”

12:30 p.m. Lunch
Cost estimate \$30.00 USD

Restaurant Options to be Provided.

2:00 – 3:30p.m. Presentation by Members of the Federal Court of Appeal on anti-corruption efforts. “Judicial decisions on corruption cases.”
Presenters:
President Dr. Cicciaro, Juan Esteban
Vicepresident 1st. Dr. Seijas, Alberto
Vicepresident 2nd. Dr. Pociello Argerich, Rodolfo
Address: Ave. Comodoro Py 2002 1025 CABA.

³ Check the Alto Palermo website: <http://www.altopalermo.com.ar/>

- 5:00 p.m. Visit to Museo de Arte Latinoamericano de Buenos Aires (Malba)
Address: Av. Pres. Figueroa Alcorta 3415, C1425CLA CABA, Argentina
Cost estimate \$10.00 USD
<http://www.malba.org.ar/>
- 6:00 p.m. Visit to Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes
Address: Av. del Libertador 1473, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Cost estimate \$10.00 USD
<https://www.bellasartes.gob.ar/>
- 9:00 p.m. Dinner and Dance at Palermo District
Dinner Options:
- La Cabrera, José Antonio Cabrera 5099, Buenos Aires
Estimated cost of diner at La Cabrera \$100.00
<http://lacabrera.com.ar/>
- Namida, Bonpland 2275 - Palermo Sushi
- Green Bamboo, Costa Rica 5802 - Palermo Sudeste asiático
- Lupita, (Palermo) Fitz Roy 1834 - Palermo Mexicana
- Dance (after 12 pm) at
- Niceto, Cnel Niceto Vega 5510
- <http://nicetoclub.com/> Cost 30 USD
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DAY 4: Thursday, April 19, 2018

- 9:00 – 11:30 a.m. Breakfast Meeting with Amcham (American Chambers of Commerce)
Presentation by Chamber “Argentina-United States Commerce and Opportunities”
Address: Viamonte 1133, Piso 8, C1053ABW Buenos Aires
- 12:00 – 12:45 p.m. Visit to Minister of Justice.
Presentation by Dr. Juan Bautista Mahiques, Sub-secretary of Judiciary and Penitentiary Relations. “The Justice System and Current Agenda”

Address: Calle Sarmiento 329 piso 4, CABA

2:00 p.m.

Depart to Tigre, Buenos Aires for a Gaucho-Style Barbaque known as "Asado" in the Open

Transportation Options include train, private taxi and rental bus. Tigre is approximately one hour away from the city. The cost will depend on type of transportation used and it is estimated to vary between \$30 USD to \$100 USD per person.

There will be an additional cost for the barbeque experience estimated at \$75.00 per person.

5:00 pm

Back to Hotel Panamericano
Upon your return, you have the afternoon to yourself for tours or shopping.

Suggestions:

- *Local tour in an open bus*
<https://www.bsas4u.com>
Cost estimate 43 us\$
It takes 3 hours and the last call it is 7 pm
- Shopping suggestions: Florida Street and Shopping Mall GaleríasPacífico
Address: Av. Córdoba 550, C1054AAR CABA, Argentina

10:00 p.m.

Dance and Dinner at Disco/Pub by the River
Options to be Provided.

DAY 5: Friday, April 2018

9:30 a.m.

Law Firm Meetings Hosted by *Marval O'Farrel & Mairal*
Address: Av. Leandro N. Alem 882, (C1001AAQ) Buenos Aires

Agenda

9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Presentation by Partners. "How Texas and Argentina work Together"

10:30 -11:30 a.m. Presentation by Partner. "Overview of Doing Business in Argentina: Legal Framework"

11:30 – 12:30 p.m. Networking Opportunity with attorneys

12:30 p.m. Lunch and Free afternoon
Local Tours <https://www.bsas4u.com>

Shopping suggestions: Florida Street and Shopping Mall
GaleríasPacífico Address: Av. Córdoba 550, C1054AAR CABA

11:00 p.m. Dance and Dinner at Disco/Pub by the River.
<https://www.buenosaires123.com.ar/noche/costanera.php>

Pacha Av. Rafael Obligado 6151 Tel: 4788-4280.

Caix Rafael Obligado 1221 Tel: 4805-6069

Jet Lounge Av. Rafael Obligado 4801.

Mandarine Av. Rafael Obligado y Av. Sarmiento.

Tequila Av. Costanera y Av. La Pampa.

Terrazas del Este Av. Costanera Norte y Sarmiento

DAY 6: Saturday, April 21, 2018

Morning Departure to Mendoza, Argentina, the “Wine Country”
Trip estimated at \$400.00 USD for the entire Mendoza experience

11:00 – 12:45 p.m. *Visit to the Mendoza Supreme Court*
Presentation by Jorge Nanclares, Mendoza Supreme Court
President on Mendoza and National Legal Highlights

1:00 p.m. Visit to the cellar “Saleitein” & Lunch at the cell restaurant
“Killka”
<http://www.bodegasalentein.com/>

8:00 p.m. *Return to Buenos Aires*

9:00 p.m. Panamerican Hotel
Dinner on your Own

DAY 7: Sunday, April 22, 2018

Return to the United States