

# UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF LAW

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## Basic Information

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## Career Service Administrator:

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## Registrar:

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## Admissions Profile (J.D. Candidates only)

Applications received	1055
Size of entering class:	126
# of undergraduate colleges represented:	86
# of states represented (incl. D.C.)	22
In-state enrollment:	11
Out-state enrollment:	115
Foreign countries represented:	3

## Grade Point Average / Law School Admission Test

In determining GPA and LSAT averages, are all students included? open

## Contact Information for Other Career Services Staff

Huy Nguyen, Interim Assistant Dean for Student and Career Services & Director of the Gates Public Service Law Program; Yesenia Gutierrez, Director of Professional Development; Haiyun Damon-Feng, Assistant Director of the Gates Public Service Law Program; Lauren McElroy, Assistant Director of Professional Development; Sandra Morriss, Career Coach & Academic Advisor; Lucie Erickson, Program Coordinator; Ann Spangler, Gates Public Service Law Program Administrative Assistant

## Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	<b>Total Class Size</b>	172	173	159	0	504
	<b>Men</b>	70	54	58	0	182
	<b>Women</b>	100	118	95	0	313
	<b>Non-binary</b>	2	1	0	0	3
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Men</b>	6	7	8	0	21
	<b>Women</b>	14	8	9	0	31
	<b>Non-binary</b>	1	0	0	0	1
<b>White</b>	<b>Men</b>	40	29	35	0	104
	<b>Women</b>	50	67	61	0	178
	<b>Non-binary</b>	1	1	3	0	5
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Men</b>	2	3	2	0	7
	<b>Women</b>	7	5	1	0	13
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Men</b>	0	1	0	0	1
	<b>Women</b>	0	2	0	0	2
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Men</b>	11	2	5	0	18
	<b>Women</b>	13	19	9	0	41
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Men</b>	1	1	0	0	2
	<b>Women</b>	0	2	0	0	2
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Men</b>	5	4	1	0	10
	<b>Women</b>	8	6	5	0	19
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Men</b>	4	2	0	0	6
	<b>Women</b>	6	5	5	0	16
	<b>Non-binary</b>	0	0	1	0	1
<b>LGBTQ</b>	<b>Men</b>	13	7	8	0	28
	<b>Women</b>	30	18	18	0	66

	Non-binary	2	1	2	0	5
Non-Resident Alien	Men	2	1	1	0	4
	Women	7	4	4	0	15
	Non-binary	0	0	1	0	1
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	Women	1	1	2	0	4
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0

## Comments

n/a

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### Degree Programs

Number of Students Enrolled:	
Full-Time:	1641
Evening:	1642
Part-Time:	1643
Other:	1644
Fields of Study:	
LL.M. Degrees Offered:	1645
Is LL.M. grading system equivalent to JD system?	1646
Joint degree programs offered?	1647
Number of LL.M. degrees awarded in previous year:	1648

### JD Programs:

Is Moot Court a required activity?	Yes
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### Explanation of Grading System

Letter Grades	Other Grading System?	Numerical Equivalents
A+	n/a	n/a
A	n/a	4.0
A-	n/a	3.7
B+	n/a	3.4
B	n/a	3.0
B-	n/a	2.7
C+	n/a	n/a
C	n/a	2.0
C-	n/a	n/a
D	n/a	1.0
F	Grade of E	0.0

### Comments:

Ranking is only for the following purposes: to award academic honors, including graduation awards, prizes, or membership in scholarly societies, including Order of the Coif, legal journals and reviews; or to define percentile bands of 5% and 10% at the conclusion of the first year; and to define percentile bands of 5%, 10%, 20%, and 33 1/3% at the conclusion of the second and third years (after the submission and calculation of Spring quarter grades). Complete information about the UW School of Law Grading and Ranking Policies can be found at <https://www.law.washington.edu/students/academics/grading.aspx>.

### Minimum Grade Required to Attain:

Top 10%:	1694
Top 25%:	1695
Top 33%:	1696
Top 50%:	1697
Top 75%:	1698
Median GPA:	1699
Minimum grade required for graduation:	1700
Do you have a pass/fail option?	open
Are students ranked in their class?	open
If so, how often?	Loren ipsum dolor sit amet
Will the school verify student grades?	open

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### Pre-Graduation Academic Honors

### Graduation Honors

### Areas of Practice & Employment

Areas of practice include both legal and non-legal positions: % of employed students with jobs in area	
Private practice	74
Business and industry	15
Government	18
Judicial clerkship	18
Military	2
Public interest organization	16
Academic	1
Job category not identified	0

% of students with known location who are in employment region	
New England (CT,ME,MA,NH,RI,VT)	0
Middle Atlantic (NJ,NY,PA)	2
East North Central (IL,IN,MI,OH,WI)	0
West North Central (IA,KS,MN,MO,NE,ND,SD)	0
South Atlantic (DE,DC,FL,GA,MD,NC,SC,VA,WV)	6
East South Central (AL,KY,MS,TN)	0
West South Central (AR,LA,OK,TX)	2
Mountain (AZ,CO,ID,MT,NV,NM,UT,WY)	1
Pacific (AK,CA,HI,OR,WA)	132
Non-US	1

### Jurisdictions:

Alaska, California, District of Columbia, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho, New York, Oregon, Texas, and Washington.

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## OCI / Job Posting

### OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:

Mail - beginning date: 03/07/2022

Phone - beginning date: 03/07/2022

Email - beginning date: 03/07/2022: [uwlawrec@uw.edu](mailto:uwlawrec@uw.edu)

Online, URL - beginning date: <https://www.law.washington.edu/career/employers/oci/default.aspx>

Any changes in OCI procedures or policies that will be in effect for the first time during Fall 2015:

UW Law uses a 12Twenty-hosted recruiting system called SCS Online to host our job board and manage our OCI program. Employers wishing to recruit UW Law students may access the system directly to register for an OCI session or post a job at <https://law-uw.12twenty.com/hire>. First-time users, please click the Employer Sign Up button to set up a profile.

OCI Date Assignment Procedure: First come first served

OCI Fee? Fees vary. See On-Campus Interview Registration information on our website for details.

OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers:

If requested, our school will coordinate with:

Please contact us at [uwlawrec@uw.edu](mailto:uwlawrec@uw.edu) or 206-543-9097

Required Employer Forms:

Online registration form, job posting form, and non-discrimination agreement in SCS Online. Employers seeking to complete OCI or job posting registration offline can request PDF or hard-copy forms from [uwlawrec@uw.edu](mailto:uwlawrec@uw.edu)

### OCI Dates:

OCI Interview Periods: August 1-5, 2022 September 14-15, 2022 October 13-14, 2022

Callback Period: No specific dates are set for flyback interviews. Employers are welcome to contact our office for more information.

Is video conferencing available? Yes

Comments: Contact [uwlawrec@uw.edu](mailto:uwlawrec@uw.edu) to coordinate virtual interviews.

### Pre-OCI Material Distribution:

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

OCI Drop date: 07/12/2022

Date student materials sent to employer: 07/12/2022

Date interview schedule sent to employer: 07/26/2022

Postage/express mail fee? Online only

Comments: Application materials are available to OCI and Resume Collection employers through our 12Twenty system.

Do you provide resume collection or direct mail option for employers not participating in OCI? Yes

Are all OCI conducted in campus buildings? Yes

### Other Interview Programs

Cooperative/Consortia: The University of Washington School of Law (UW Law) is a member of the Northwest Consortium of Law Schools. Each year, the Consortium hosts Public Service Career Fairs in Seattle, WA, and Portland, OR on the first Friday and Saturday in February. In addition to UW Law, other schools in the Consortium are: Seattle University, Gonzaga University, University of Idaho, Lewis & Clark College, Willamette University, University of Oregon, Arizona State University, Brigham Young University, and University of Utah. Full fair details are available at <https://law.lclark.edu/nwconsortium/nw-public-service-career-fair/>. The school also participates in the following fairs: Equal Justice Works (EJW) Conference and Career Fair in Arlington, VA. (<https://www.equaljusticeworks.org/conference-and-career-fair/about/>), the Patent Law Interview Program, Chicago, IL where students with hard science or technology backgrounds are encouraged to participate (<https://www.luc.edu/law/currentstudents/careerservices/patentprogram/>) and the San Francisco IP Law Association Job Fair at Hastings College of the Law (<https://sfipla.com/sfipla-events/job-fair/>).

### Diversity Interview Programs

The University of Washington School of Law (UW Law) students are invited to participate in several diversity career fairs and interview programs in addition to those coordinated by Student & Career Services, including the ABA Judicial Intern Opportunity Program, the Bay Area Diversity Career Fair, the National Black Law Students Association, Western Region (WRBLSA) Job Fair, Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair, Hispanic National Bar Association Career Fair, Minnesota Minority Recruitment Conference, National LGBT Bar Association Lavender Law Conference and Career Fair, and the Minority Corporate Counsel Association (MCCA) Legal Diversity Career Fair. Locally, the Northwest Minority Job Fair (<http://www.nwmjf.org>) is held in Seattle each August. Information for 2022 has not yet been released. The Legal Employers Advancing Diversity in Washington (LEAD-WA) interview program takes place each February. The LEAD-WA Fellowship is designed to provide summer employment opportunities to first-year law students from traditionally underrepresented groups from who attend the University of Washington, Gonzaga, and Seattle University Schools of Law. Law firms and corporations in the Seattle and Spokane areas participate in the program, which began in 1991. Contact our office at [lawpath@uw.edu](mailto:lawpath@uw.edu) for more information. The Office of Student and Career Services works closely with legal employers seeking to promote individual diversity fellowship/scholarship programs, and to connect employers with interested students.

### For Employers who do not interview students on-campus, will you:

send, upon request, one package containing resumes/transcripts? Yes

post a notice directing students to apply directly to employer? Yes

Employers may submit student and attorney job announcements, including fellowship opportunities, at any time throughout the year. Positions can be posted electronically using our 12Twenty system, <https://law-uw.12twenty.com/hire>. Announcements will remain live until the stated deadline, or for a period of 4 weeks. Employers may also submit job announcements to the Office of Student & Career Services by email ([lawpath@uw.edu](mailto:lawpath@uw.edu)). There is no cost to employers to post positions. Upon request, our office will send resumes and other application materials to employers who have requested Resume Collection. Materials will be sent electronically to the designated contact through 12Twenty or by e-mail.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

### First Year Students

The University of Washington School of Law's Recruiting Policy for Employers is available at <https://www.law.uw.edu/careers/for-employers>. Questions about our policy may be submitted to Student & Career Services office at [lawpath@uw.edu](mailto:lawpath@uw.edu) or 206-543-9097.



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