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Basic Information

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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

Julie Dietrich, Assistant Dean, Office of Career & Professional Development
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Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	Total Class Size	161	103	120	22	406
	Men	64	44	48	8	164
	Women	97	59	72	14	242
	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Latinx	Men	3	7	7	1	18
Latinx	Women	3	7	11	0	21
Latinx	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
White	Men	41	30	32	6	109
White	Women	67	41	50	8	166
White	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Black or African American	Men	3	1	1	0	5
Black or African American	Women	10	3	4	2	19
Black or African American	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Men	0	1	0	0	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Women	1	0	0	0	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Asian	Men	2	1	3	0	6
Asian	Women	3	5	3	2	13
Asian	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Men	0	0	0	0	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Women	0	0	0	0	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
2 or more races	Men	9	1	0	0	10
2 or more races	Women	8	0	2	1	11
2 or more races	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Persons with Disabilities	Men	7	8	7	2	24
Persons with Disabilities	Women	13	16	11	4	44
Persons with Disabilities	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
LGBTQ	Men	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
LGBTQ	Women	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
LGBTQ	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Non-Resident Alien	Men	0	1	0	1	2
Non-Resident Alien	Women	2	1	0	0	3

Non-Resident Alien	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Veteran	Men	8	6	6	1	21
Veteran	Women	2	0	0	1	3
Veteran	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	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	4.33
A	n/a	4.0
A-	n/a	3.67
B+	n/a	3.33
B	n/a	3.0
B-	n/a	2.67
C+	n/a	2.33
C	n/a	2.0
C-	n/a	1.67
D	n/a	1.0
F	n/a	0.0

Comments:

N/A

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	
Business and industry	
Government	
Judicial clerkship	
Military	
Public interest organization	
Academic	
Job category not identified	

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

Jurisdictions:

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OCI / Job Posting

OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:

Mail - beginning date: 02/21/2022

Phone - beginning date: 02/21/2022

Email to - beginning date: 02/21/2022: jobs@law.edu

Online, URL - beginning date: 02/21/2022: <https://law.edu/students/office-of-career-and-professional-development/index.html>

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

"On-campus" interviews conducted virtually or in-person.

OCI Date Assignment Procedure: First come first served

OCI Fee? None

OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers: 02/21/2022

If requested, our school will coordinate with:

Any of the Washington, D.C. area schools.

Required Employer Forms:

2022 Symplicity Online Registration.

OCI Dates:

OCI Interview Periods: August 1, 2022 - September 30, 2022 and February 1, 2023 - February 28, 2023

Callback Period: NA

Is video conferencing available? Yes

Comments: NA

Pre-OCI Material Distribution:

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

OCI Drop date: 07/08/2022

Date student materials sent to employer: 07/14/2022

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

Postage/express mail fee? NA

Comments: N/A

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

Are all OCI conducted in campus buildings? No

Other Interview Programs

We accept off-campus interview requests for local employers, but treat as OCI. We also participate in the Public Service Recruitment Fair (2023 Date TBD but typically in January), the Patent Law Interview Program (July 21 - 23, 2022), and the Southeastern Intellectual Property Job Fair (2022 Date TBD but typically in May)

Diversity Interview Programs

Annual Bay Area Diversity Career Fair, Annual Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair, Akin Gump Interviewing Best Practices for 1Ls, Bay Area Diversity Career

Fair, Barad Spain Resume writing and interviewing Skills workshop for Diverse 1Ls, Delaware Minority Job Fair, DuPont Minority Job Fair, Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair, Hispanic Bar Association Conference, Indianapolis Bar Association Diversity Job Fair, INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY VIRTUAL INFO SESSION, Just the Beginning Foundation--Summer Judicial Internship Diversity Project, MBLSA Job Fair Minnesota Minority Recruitment Conference, Montgomery County Pipeline Program, National Black Law Students Association (NBLSA) National Convention, National Black Prosecutors Association Annual Job Fair, NCAA Recruiting Program, National Latina/o Law Student Association (NLLSA) Conference Career Fair, Rocky Mountain Diversity Legal Career Fair, Sidley Austin Diversity Dialogues, Steptoe & Johnson Mentoring Matters Diversity Program Summer Scholars Pipeline Program, Washington Bar Association Young Lawyers Division Annual Career Fair, Womble Scholars Program

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

We post positions for graduates on our Symplicity site and send highlighted opportunities out via newsletters and direct message. The graduates follow application instructions set forth by the employer.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

First Year Students

The law school supports any guidance that NALP may provide regarding recruitment of first-year law students. Outside of this guidance, the law school traditionally opens positions to first years in Symplicity after their mandatory first year meeting. First year students are invited to participate in spring OCI and other off campus spring semester recruiting programs such as the Public Service Recruitment Fair (PSRF) and Patent Law event.

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