

## CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

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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

Susie Park, Esq., Assistant Dean for Career Services  
Camille Heenan, Esq., Director of Career Services  
Kristen Spada O'Brien, Esq., Assistant Director of Career Services

### Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	<b>Total Class Size</b>	152	157	149	0	458
	<b>Men</b>	71	70	66	0	207
	<b>Women</b>	81	87	83	0	251
	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Men</b>	12	11	17	0	40
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Women</b>	21	15	19	0	55
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>White</b>	<b>Men</b>	36	36	37	0	109
<b>White</b>	<b>Women</b>	33	41	43	0	117
<b>White</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Men</b>	6	3	1	0	10
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Women</b>	5	0	3	0	8
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Men</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Women</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Men</b>	10	11	4	0	25
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Women</b>	14	21	9	0	44
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Men</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Women</b>	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Men</b>	3	5	3	0	11
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Women</b>	6	4	4	0	14
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Men</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Women</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>LGBTQ</b>	<b>Men</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>LGBTQ</b>	<b>Women</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>LGBTQ</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
<b>Non-Resident Alien</b>	<b>Men</b>	1	2	0	0	3
<b>Non-Resident Alien</b>	<b>Women</b>	1	1	3	0	5

<b>Non-Resident Alien</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Veteran</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Veteran</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Veteran</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>

### Comments

Enrollment as of 2021 Standard 509 Information Report generated on December 14, 2021.

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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:

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

Letter Grades	Other Grading System?	Numerical Equivalents
A+	4.0	4.0
A	4.0	4.0
A-	3.7	3.7-3.9
B+	3.3	3.3-3.6
B	3.0	3.0-3.2
B-	2.7	2.7-2.9
C+	2.3	2.3-2.6
C	2.0	2.0-2.2
C-	1.7	1.7-1.9
D	1.0	1.0-1.3
F	0.0	0.0

### Comments:

A D- is 0.7-0.9. 0.1 through 0.6 are not used. J.D. students have a numeric grading system on a 4.0 scale. LL.M. students have a letter grading system.

### 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	76.1%
Business and industry	11.9%
Government	9.0%
Judicial clerkship	0%
Military	0.7%
Public interest organization	2.2%
Academic	0%
Job category not identified	0%

% of students with known location who are in employment region	
New England (CT,ME,MA,NH,RI,VT)	0.7
Middle Atlantic (NJ,NY,PA)	0
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)	2.2
East South Central (AL,KY,MS,TN)	0
West South Central (AR,LA,OK,TX)	0
Mountain (AZ,CO,ID,MT,NV,NM,UT,WY)	2.2
Pacific (AK,CA,HI,OR,WA)	94
Non-US	0.7

### Jurisdictions:

Irvine, CA Santa Ana, CA Los Angeles, CA Newport Beach. CA Orange, CA Long Beach, CA Anaheim, CA San Diego, CA Costa Mesa, CA Beverly Hills, CA

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### OCI / Job Posting

#### OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:

Email to - beginning date: : [lawcareerservices@chapman.edu](mailto:lawcareerservices@chapman.edu)

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

N/A

OCI Date Assignment Procedure: First come first served

OCI Fee? No.

OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers:

If requested, our school will coordinate with:

We are willing to coordinate with other consortium schools to select dates that will allow out-of-area employers to make their travel arrangements more efficient.

Required Employer Forms:

A registration form and acknowledgment of the non-discrimination policy must be completed and returned.

#### OCI Dates:

OCI Interview Periods: Summer/Fall Program: Late July - early August  
Winter/Spring Program: Early February

Callback Period: N/A

Is video conferencing available? Yes

Comments: Registration generally starts in November and in April for the respective Recruiting Programs. Please contact the Career Services Office at [lawcareerservices@chapman.edu](mailto:lawcareerservices@chapman.edu) for date details.

#### Pre-OCI Material Distribution:

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

OCI Drop date:

Date student materials sent to employer:

Date interview schedule sent to employer:

Postage/express mail fee? No.

Comments: Interview schedules are sent to employers prior to the scheduled interviews.

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

Public Interest/Public Sector Career Day - Held annually in the spring semester and co-sponsored by ABA-approved law schools in Southern California including Chapman University Fowler School of Law. Students submit applications through the Symplicity platform through their Consortium accounts. The Career Services Office pays for the cost of student participation. Loyola Patent Law Interview Program - Held annually in summer at Loyola University Chicago School of Law. The Career Services Office typically assists with the cost of student registration. Primary Contact: Alissa Holterman, Assistant Director of Career Services, Loyola University Chicago School of Law, [aholter@luc.edu](mailto:aholter@luc.edu), (312) 915-7859. Lavender Law Conference and Career Fair - Held annually in summer. The Career Services Office typically assists with student registration and travel expenses. Website: <http://lgbtbar.org/annual/>.

#### Diversity Interview Programs

The Career Services Office and the Office of Admission publicize information about diversity interview programs and individual job opportunities within the United States. The Office of Admission also publishes diversity scholarship information at <http://www.chapman.edu/law/admission/diversity.aspx>. The Career Services Office's weekly update to the law school's students, faculty, and staff highlights diversity scholarship and fellowship opportunities. It also advertises events celebrating and promoting diversity within the legal profession that are sponsored by bar associations or other legal organizations. The Career Services Office annually publishes the Diversity Scholarships & Fellowships Guide which all students and alumni have immediate access to via their Chapman University Fowler School of Law Symplicity accounts.

#### 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 post jobs directly onto Chapman University Fowler School of Law's online job board powered by the Symplicity platform at [https://law-chapman-csm.symplicity.com/employers/?signin\\_tab=0&signin\\_tab=0](https://law-chapman-csm.symplicity.com/employers/?signin_tab=0&signin_tab=0). Alternatively, employers may contact the Career Services Office at [lawcareerservices@chapman.edu](mailto:lawcareerservices@chapman.edu) for assistance. Selected job postings are also highlighted in curated newsletters directed at students, recent graduates, and alumni, respectively. As soon as job postings go live on Symplicity, employers will receive applications electronically as they are submitted and/or may elect to receive a resume collection (i.e., all applications are emailed at once at the post's expiration). All postings remain live for approximately 30 days and are automatically removed at 11:59 p.m. on the expiration date unless otherwise requested.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

#### First Year Students

The Career Services Office recommends that first-year law students focus primarily on their classes for the initial several weeks of their first semester. Then, around October, the Career Services Office starts comprehensive outreach to first-year students and invites them to participate in the next season of the Recruiting Program (on-campus interviews and resume collection).

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