

## ST. JOHN'S 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

Jeanne Ardan, Associate Dean for Career Development and Externships; Tess Abbazio, Assistant Director of Employer Relations; Thomas Blennau, Associate Director of Employer and Externship Program Outreach; Mei Chiu-SooHoo, Office Coordinator; Sara Drew, Graduate Center Advisor; Martha Grieco, Assistant Director of Career Development; Charles Hill, Assistant Director of Career Development; Ashleigh Kashimawo, Director of Public Interest Programming; Bianca Mavrovic, Employment Services Development; Helena Quinn, Associate Director of Employer Relations; Catherine Quinn, Assistant Director of Career Development; Maria Rivero, Career Counselor; Laura Schwartz, Associate Director of Career Development and Bankruptcy Career Counseling; Elyssa Shifren, Assistant Director of Career Development

### Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	<b>Total Class Size</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>755</b>
	<b>Men</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>357</b>
	<b>Women</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>398</b>
	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>Latinx</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>238</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>247</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>Black or African American</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Asian</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2 or more races</b>	<b>Non-binary</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>NC</b>	<b>0</b>

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	4	6	6	0	16
Non-Resident Alien	Women	1	5	4	0	10
Non-Resident Alien	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Veteran	Men	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Veteran	Women	NC	NC	NC	NC	0
Veteran	Non-binary	NC	NC	NC	NC	0

### Comments

LGBTQ+ information is not collected. SJU does not share disability information or veteran status. \*Unknown Ethnicity/Race 1 - 1L; 1-2L; 2-3Ls. These #s are included in the total # of students reported.

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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+	n/a	4.3
A	n/a	4
A-	n/a	3.7
B+	n/a	3.3
B	n/a	3
B-	n/a	2.7
C+	n/a	2.3
C	n/a	2
C-	n/a	1.7
D	n/a	1
F	n/a	0

### Comments:

NC - Incomplete WD- Withdrew UW - Unofficial Withdraw P- Pass CR - Credit; due to the pandemic, grading in Spring 2020 was Credit/No Credit NC - No Credit; due to the pandemic, grading in Spring 2020 was Credit/No Credit (R) course was repeated; credits count toward total. Grade with (\*) does not count toward total credits.

### 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	59.7
Business and industry	12.7
Government	16.3
Judicial clerkship	7.2
Military	0
Public interest organization	3.2
Academic	.9
Job category not identified	0

% of students with known location who are in employment region	
New England (CT,ME,MA,NH,RI,VT)	.9
Middle Atlantic (NJ,NY,PA)	91
East North Central (IL,IN,MI,OH,WI)	2.3
West North Central (IA,KS,MN,MO,NE,ND,SD)	0
South Atlantic (DE,DC,FL,GA,MD,NC,SC,VA,WV)	2.7
East South Central (AL,KY,MS,TN)	.9
West South Central (AR,LA,OK,TX)	0
Mountain (AZ,CO,ID,MT,NV,NM,UT,WY)	1.4
Pacific (AK,CA,HI,OR,WA)	.5
Non-US	.5

### Jurisdictions:

NY - 86.41% NJ - 4.5% VA - 1.4% IL - .9% MI - .9% DC - .9% AL - .9% CO - .9% CT, MA, WI, FL, NV, CA - .5%

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## OCI / Job Posting

### OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:

Mail - beginning date: 03/01/2022

Phone - beginning date: 03/01/2022

Email to - beginning date: 03/01/2022: demuth@stjohns.edu

Online, URL - beginning date: 03/01/2022: Symplicity system - <https://law-stjohns-csm.symplicity.com/employers>

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

Early Interview Week will take place from Monday, August 1st to Friday, August 5th. At this time, we will plan to host the program virtually utilizing the FloRecruit system. If you would prefer to conduct interviews in person, please contact me directly, as we would be happy to accommodate in-person interviews on our Queens campus if future conditions and policies permit. Later interview sessions will continue virtually or on our Queens Campus as follows: Session II: Tuesday, September 6th through Friday, September 30th Session III: Tuesday, October 4th through Friday, October 28th • There is no fee required to participate in St. John's Recruitment Program. • Employers are provided with the resumes of applicants in advance of interviews, to select those individuals they wish to meet. • Each employer's interview schedule is tailored according to their needs and specifications. If you are unable to make a date that falls within those sessions, please do not hesitate to contact me so that other accommodations can be made. If your organization cannot avail itself for On-Campus Interviews, we would be happy to collect and forward resumes to your attention through our Resume Collection service or advise students to contact you directly through a Direct Application.

OCI Date Assignment Procedure: First come first served

OCI Fee? No

OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers: 03/31/2022

If requested, our school will coordinate with:

Any local area Law School or institution of higher education.

Required Employer Forms:

We ask that employers complete our Recruitment Registration Form or register via Symplicity. OCI Confirmations will be sent to employers upon registration. For questions regarding the process, please contact Tess Ann Abbazio at demuth@stjohns.edu

### OCI Dates:

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Callback Period: N/A

Is video conferencing available? Yes

Comments: SJU Law CDO welcomes employers to participate in recruitment in the manner that is most conducive to their individual needs. Whether, in-office, on-campus interviews (if future conditions and policies permit), virtual interviews using our FloRecruit platform, or via another method of their choosing. Please contact Tess Ann Abbazio at demuth@stjohns.edu for more information.

### Other Interview Programs

Equal Justice Works Career Fair and Conference Loyola Patent Law Interview Program Public Interest Legal Career Fair – at NYU School of Law Peggy Browning Annual National Law Students Workers' Rights Conference Annual Federal Legal Careers Fair Non-Profit & Government Career Fair

### Diversity Interview Programs

1L Diversity Career Summit AABANY Diversity Career Fair Annual Asian Diversity Career Expo Annual Virtual Bay Area Diversity Career Fair Bay Area Virtual Diversity Career Fair Boston Lawyers Group Job Fair Equal Justice Works Conference & Career Fair Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair HNBA Career Fair Indy Bar Diversity Job Fair Lavender Law® Conference & Career Fair LGBTQ Law Student Career Fair MCCA Virtual Diversity Career Fair Minnesota Minority Recruitment Conference (MMRC) National Black Prosecutors Association (NBPA) Job Fair NEBLSA Virtual Job Fair NLLSA Conference and Moot Court Competition Northwest Minority Job Fair Rocky Mountain Diversity Legal Career Fair Oregon Diversity Career Fair The Legal Aid Society Diversity Fair Women in Stem Virtual Career Fair

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

send,uponrequest,onepackagecontainingresumes/transcripts? Yes  
post a notice directing students to apply directly to employer? Yes

Employment opportunities for students and/or Alumni may be submitted via the Symplicity system, telephoned or sent by mail, e-mail or facsimile. Positions will be published online using the Symplicity system and are updated daily. Positions are posted for sixty (60) days unless otherwise specified by employer. Employer postings are usually published within 24 business hours. In addition to online postings and collections, the Office offers quick collections for employers who wish to begin receiving applications within a condensed time-frame and are able to vet applications according to employer specifications upon request. For more information, please contact Helena Quinn, Associate Director of Employer Relations, at (718) 990-1390 or rojash@stjohns.edu.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

### First Year Students

Job notices for first-year students may be posted prior to December 1st, However, as per NALP guidelines, it is recommended that first year students not begin the application process prior to December 1.

**OCI Material Distribution:**

Are employers permitted to prescreen?	Yes
OCI Drop date:	06/26/2022
Date student materials sent to employer:	06/29/2022
Date interview schedule sent to employer:	07/14/2022
Postage/express mail fee?	No

Comments: The OCI Program is broken down into Sessions. Each Session represents a time period during which a group of employers will be conducting interviews on-campus. Each session has their own employer application and scheduling deadlines. Materials and information will be forwarded to employer in accordance with those deadline. Employers will be notified as to what these dates when they sign-up for OCI. OCI Materials are distributed electronically via PDF. Hard copies of materials can be sent upon request.

Do you provide resume collection or direct mail option for employers not participating in OCI?	Yes
Are all OCI conducted in campus buildings?	No

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