

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

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Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	Total Class Size	210	199	194	9	612
	Men	80	74	88	3	245
	Women	130	125	106	6	367
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Latinx	Men	2	6	4	0	12
Latinx	Women	7	3	2	0	12
Latinx	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
White	Men	31	40	35	2	108
White	Women	51	58	41	3	153
White	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	Men	1	0	5	1	7
Black or African American	Women	13	11	10	1	35
Black or African American	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Men	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Women	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	Men	2	3	5	0	10
Asian	Women	2	3	4	1	10
Asian	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	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	0	0	0	0	0
2 or more races	Men	0	2	2	0	4
2 or more races	Women	1	5	4	0	10
2 or more races	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Persons with Disabilities	Men	0	0	0	0	0
Persons with Disabilities	Women	0	0	0	0	0
Persons with Disabilities	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
LGBTQ	Men	0	0	0	0	0
LGBTQ	Women	0	0	0	0	0
LGBTQ	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Resident Alien	Men	31	22	35	0	88
Non-Resident Alien	Women	51	43	41	0	135
Non-Resident Alien	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Veteran	Men	0	0	0	0	0
Veteran	Women	0	0	0	0	0

Veteran	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
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Comments

Each fall, we conduct an anonymous demographic survey to learn more about the entering class and how our students self-identify. According to our fall 2022 demographic survey, 47% of respondents self-identify as students of color. While only 24% of the 2022 entering class fit the U.S. Census definition of racial or ethnic minorities, this classification hides the true diversity that exists within our community. The U.S. census classifies Canadian students, nearly half our student body, as foreign nationals, and does not allow students to further self-identify. The U.S. census definitions do not allow students to self-identify as Arab-American/Arab-Canadian/Middle Eastern.

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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	None
A	N/A	4.0
A-	N/A	3.9-3.8
B+	N/A	3.7-3.5
B	N/A	3.4-3.0
B-	N/A	2.9-2.8
C+	N/A	2.7-2.5
C	N/A	2.4-2.0
C-	N/A	1.9-1.8
D	N/A	1.7-1.0
F	N/A	0.9-0.0

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	76
Business and industry	8
Government	8
Judicial clerkship	3
Military	0
Public interest organization	3
Academic	1
Job category not identified	1

% of students with known location who are in employment region	
New England (CT,ME,MA,NH,RI,VT)	0
Middle Atlantic (NJ,NY,PA)	0
East North Central (IL,IN,MI,OH,WI)	56
West North Central (IA,KS,MN,MO,NE,ND,SD)	0
South Atlantic (DE,DC,FL,GA,MD,NC,SC,VA,WV)	0
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)	1
Pacific (AK,CA,HI,OR,WA)	1
Non-US	42

Jurisdictions:

Michigan Canada Hawaii Nevada

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OCI / Job Posting

OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:
Email to - beginning date: 04/03/2023: cso@udmercy.edu
Online, URL - beginning date: 04/03/2023: www.law.udmercy.edu/careerservices

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? None
OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers: 07/10/2023

If requested, our school will coordinate with:
N/A

Required Employer Forms:
Employers will need to specify if they have requirements they'd like the students to meet, or certain criteria they look for. Additionally, employers must also specify if they wish to conduct the interviews in-person or virtually.

OCI Dates:

OCI Interview Periods: OCI dates for Summer Start Date 07/31/2023 End Date 08/11/2023
Callback Period: At employers discretion
Is video conferencing available? Yes
Comments: N/A

Pre-OCI Material Distribution:

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes
OCI Drop date: 07/24/2023
Date student materials sent to employer: 07/17/2023
Date interview schedule sent to employer: 07/24/2023
Postage/express mail fee? N/A
Comments: Students' application materials are sent to employers by email as soon as possible after the student application deadline. Interview schedules are created based on when pre-selections are received.
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

Public Interest Law Fair Loyola Patent Law Interview Program
(http://www.luc.edu/law/career/patent_students.html)

Diversity Interview Programs

We notify our minority student organizations of a variety of networking and recruitment events. Detroit Mercy Law traditionally participates in the following programs: Wolverine Bar Association (Detroit) Minority Clerkship Program; Wolverine Bar Association (Detroit) Judicial Externship Program; Grand Rapids (Michigan)/Floyd Skinner Bar Association Clerkship Program; Minority Job Fair; BLSA Midwest Recruitment Conference.

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 accept postings by email, mail and telephone and on our website (www.law.udmercy.edu/careerservices). Jobs are posted online for 21 days, and may be extended as per the employer's request. Students and alumni respond to employers directly unless an employer requests an alternate arrangement.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

First Year Students

There are no special 1L recruitment regulations in addition to the NALP guidelines. 1Ls are eligible to participate in Spring OCI.

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