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The Basics

Type of school	Private
Term	Quarter
Application deadline	2/1
Application fee	\$75
Financial aid deadline	3/1
Can first year start other than fall?	No
Student to faculty ratio	9.4 to 1
Does the university offer: housing restricted to law students?	No
graduate housing for which law students are eligible?	Yes

Faculty and Administrators

	Total		Men		Women		Minorities	
	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr
Full-time	53	52	44	43	9	9	3	4
Other Full-time	15	15	9	9	6	6	3	3
Deans, librarians, & others who teach	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
Part-time	15	58	13	48	2	10	1	5
Total	85	127	67	101	18	26	7	12

JD Enrollment and Ethnicity

	Men		Women		Full-time		Part-time		1st-year		Total		JD Degr. Awd.
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
African Amer.	20	6.0	23	8.6	43	7.2	0	0.0	12	6.3	43	7.2	15
Amer. Indian	1	0.3	3	1.1	4	0.7	0	0.0	3	1.6	4	0.7	1
Asian Amer.	33	9.9	44	16.4	77	12.8	0	0.0	26	13.5	77	12.8	27
Mex. Amer.	7	2.1	10	3.7	17	2.8	0	0.0	5	2.6	17	2.8	6
Puerto Rican	4	1.2	2	0.7	6	1.0	0	0.0	1	0.5	6	1.0	3
Hispanic	15	4.5	17	6.3	32	5.3	0	0.0	10	5.2	32	5.3	13
Total Minority	80	24.1	99	36.9	179	29.8	0	0.0	57	29.7	179	29.8	65
For. Nation.	2	0.6	3	1.1	5	0.8	0	0.0	2	1.0	5	0.8	1
Caucasian	209	63.0	133	49.6	342	57.0	0	0.0	111	57.8	342	57.0	111
Unknown	41	12.3	33	12.3	74	12.3	0	0.0	22	11.5	74	12.3	15
Total	332	55.3	268	44.7	600	100.0	0	0.0	192	32.0	600		192

Curriculum

	Full-time	Part-time
Typical first-year section size	96	0
Is there typically a "small section" of the first-year class, other than Legal Writing, taught by full-time faculty	No	No
If yes, typical size offered last year		
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	156	
# of upper division courses, excluding seminars with an enrollment:		
Under 25	30	
25-49	34	
50-74	19	
75-99	13	
100+	4	
# of seminars	82	
# of seminar positions available	1,543	
# of seminar positions filled	1,271	0
# of positions available in simulation courses	140	
# of simulation positions filled	121	0
# of positions available in faculty supervised clinical courses	124	
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled	124	0
# involved in field placements	12	0
# involved in law journals	130	0
# involved in interschool competitions	0	0
# of credit hours required to graduate	105	

Transfers

Transfers in	18
Transfers out	2

Tuition and Fees

	Resident	Nonresident
Full-time	\$37,945	\$0
Part-time	\$0	\$0

Living Expenses

Estimated living expenses for singles		
Living on campus	Living off campus	Living at home
\$21,333	\$21,333	\$21,333



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GPA and LSAT Scores

	Total	Full-time	Part-time
# of apps	4,818	4,818	0
# of offers	766	766	0
# of matrics	192	192	0
75% GPA	3.77	3.77	0.00
Median GPA	3.67	3.67	0.00
25% GPA	3.51	3.51	0.00
75% LSAT	172	172	0
Median LSAT	171	171	0
25% LSAT	169	169	0

Grants and Scholarships (from prior year)

	Total		Full-time		Part-time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	589		589		0	
Total # receiving grants	300	50.9	300	50.9	0	0.0
Less than 1/2 tuition	244	41.4	244	41.4	0	0.0
Half to full tuition	56	9.5	56	9.5	0	0.0
Full tuition	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
More than full tuition	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Median grant amount			\$9,950		\$0	

Informational and Library Resources

# of volumes and volume equivalents	656,531
# of titles	264,796
# of active serial subscriptions	8,424
Study seating capacity inside the library	450
# of full-time professional librarians	9
Hours per week library is open	90
# of open, wired connections available to students	1,036
# of networked computers available for use by students	26
# of simultaneous wireless users	500
Require computer?	Yes

JD Attrition (from prior year)

	Academic		Other		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
1st year	0		2		2	1.0
2nd year	0		2		2	1.0
3rd year	0		4		4	2.1
4th year	0		0		0	0.0

Employment (9 months after graduation)

	Total	Percentage
Employment status known	204	100.0
Employment status unknown	0	0.0
Employed	193	94.6
Pursuing graduate degrees	1	0.5
Unemployed seeking employment	3	1.5
Unemployed not seeking employment	7	3.4
Unemployed and studying for the bar	0	0.0

Type of Employment

# employed in law firms	138	71.5
# employed in business and industry	5	2.6
# employed in government	5	2.6
# employed in public interest	2	1.0
# employed as judicial clerks	40	20.7
# employed in academia	3	1.6

Geographic Location

# employed in state	61	31.6
# employed in foreign countries	2	1.0
# of states where employed	26	

Bar Passage Rates

Jurisdiction	Illinois			New York		
	Sum 05	Win 06	Total	Sum 05	Win 06	Total
# from school taking bar for the first time	77	13	90	80	6	86
School's pass rate for all first-time takers	97%	85%	96%	88%	100%	88%
State's pass rate for all first-time takers	86%	83%	85%	76%	61%	74%