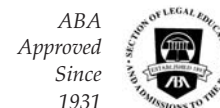


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The Basics	
Type of school	Public
Term	Semester
Application deadline	3/1
Application fee	\$60
Financial aid deadline	3/1
Can first year start other than fall?	No
Student to faculty ratio	11.9 to 1
Does the university offer: housing restricted to law students?	Yes
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	45	36	27	23	18	13	4	4
Other Full-time	3	1	1	1	2	0	0	0
Deans, librarians, & others who teach	8	6	5	3	3	3	2	0
Part-time	39	17	30	15	9	2	5	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>

	JD Enrollment and Ethnicity												JD Degr. Awd.
	Men		Women		Full-time		Part-time		1st-year		Total		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
African Amer.	20	6.1	39	13.8	49	9.1	10	14.7	24	10.0	59	9.7	10
Amer. Indian	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.5	1	0.4	1	0.2	1
Asian Amer.	20	6.1	22	7.8	37	6.9	5	7.4	17	7.1	42	6.9	14
Mex. Amer.	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Puerto Rican	5	1.5	7	2.5	12	2.2	0	0.0	4	1.7	12	2.0	1
Hispanic	10	3.1	14	5.0	22	4.1	2	2.9	7	2.9	24	3.9	11
Total Minority	56	17.2	82	29.1	120	22.2	18	26.5	53	22.1	138	22.7	37
For. Nation.	7	2.1	6	2.1	12	2.2	1	1.5	9	3.8	13	2.1	1
Caucasian	260	79.8	187	66.3	400	74.1	47	69.1	172	71.7	447	73.5	161
Unknown	3	0.9	7	2.5	8	1.5	2	2.9	6	2.5	10	1.6	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>53.6</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>46.4</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>39.5</b>	<b>608</b>		<b>200</b>

Curriculum		Full-time	Part-time
Typical first-year section size		65	65
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		126	
# of upper division courses, excluding seminars with an enrollment:	Under 25	140	
	25-49	33	
	50-74	20	
	75-99	9	
	100+	0	
# of seminars		29	
# of seminar positions available		461	
# of seminar positions filled		309	0
# of positions available in simulation courses		552	
# of simulation positions filled		501	0
# of positions available in faculty supervised clinical courses		125	
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled		52	0
# involved in field placements		100	0
# involved in law journals		145	0
# involved in interschool competitions		44	0
# of credit hours required to graduate		88	

Transfers	
Transfers in	19
Transfers out	16

Tuition and Fees		
	Resident	Nonresident
Full-time	\$28,054	\$28,054
Part-time	\$24,604	\$24,604

Living Expenses		
Estimated living expenses for singles		
Living on campus	Living off campus	Living at home
\$16,284	\$16,284	\$16,284



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**GPA and LSAT Scores**

	Total	Full-time	Part-time
# of apps	3,350	3,350	0
# of offers	1,042	959	83
# of matrics	237	181	56
75% GPA	3.68	3.59	3.78
Median GPA	3.31	3.24	3.62
25% GPA	2.91	2.85	3.30
75% LSAT	159	159	156
Median LSAT	157	158	153
25% LSAT	154	157	150

**Grants and Scholarships (from prior year)**

	Total		Full-time		Part-time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	580		580		0	
Total # receiving grants	217	37.4	217	37.4	0	0.0
Less than 1/2 tuition	180	31.0	180	31.0	0	0.0
Half to full tuition	5	0.9	5	0.9	0	0.0
Full tuition	32	5.5	32	5.5	0	0.0
More than full tuition	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Median grant amount			\$4,200		\$0	

**Informational and Library Resources**

# of volumes and volume equivalents	515,035
# of titles	94,696
# of active serial subscriptions	6,829
Study seating capacity inside the library	246
# of full-time professional librarians	7
Hours per week library is open	87
# of open, wired connections available to students	24
# of networked computers available for use by students	113
# of simultaneous wireless users	2,688
Require computer?	No

**JD Attrition (from prior year)**

	Academic		Other		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
1st year	2		16		18	8.9
2nd year	0		2		2	1.1
3rd year	1		2		3	1.5
4th year	0		0		0	0.0

**Employment (9 months after graduation)**

	Total	Percentage
Employment status known	231	97.1
Employment status unknown	7	2.9
Employed	206	89.2
Pursuing graduate degrees	7	3.0
Unemployed seeking employment	6	2.6
Unemployed not seeking employment	5	2.2
Unemployed and studying for the bar	7	3.0

**Type of Employment**

# employed in law firms	90	43.7
# employed in business and industry	26	12.6
# employed in government	29	14.1
# employed in public interest	7	3.4
# employed as judicial clerks	35	17.0
# employed in academia	4	1.9

**Geographic Location**

# employed in state	118	57.3
# employed in foreign countries	1	0.5
# of states where employed	21	

**Bar Passage Rates**

Jurisdiction	Pennsylvania		
	Sum 05	Win 06	Total
# from school taking bar for the first time	165	9	174
School's pass rate for all first-time takers	81%	67%	80%
State's pass rate for all first-time takers	79%	75%	78%