

Seton Hall University School of Law

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The Basics	
Type of school	Private
Term	Semester
Application deadline	4/1
Application fee	\$65
Financial aid deadline	4/1
Can first year start other than fall?	No
Student to faculty ratio	14.7 to 1
# of housing spaces available restricted to law students graduate housing for which law students are eligible	

Faculty and Administrators									
	Total		Men		Women		Minorities		
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	
Full-time	50	57	29	34	21	23	5	10	
Other Full-time	3	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	
Deans, librarians, & others who teach	20	21	4	5	16	16	3	3	
Part-time	96	84	64	51	31	32	10	6	
Total	169	165	100	93	68	71	18	19	

JD Enrollment and Ethnicity													
	Men		Women		Full-time		Part-time		1st-year		Total		JD Degr. Awd.
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
African Amer.	12	2.0	19	3.9	14	2.0	17	4.5	15	4.0	31	2.8	10
Amer. Indian	2	0.3	1	0.2	1	0.1	2	0.5	1	0.3	3	0.3	0
Asian Amer.	37	6.1	45	9.2	38	5.3	44	11.5	30	7.9	82	7.5	20
Mex. Amer.	2	0.3	1	0.2	1	0.1	2	0.5	1	0.3	3	0.3	0
Puerto Rican	10	1.6	8	1.6	10	1.4	8	2.1	6	1.6	18	1.6	4
Hispanic	14	2.3	10	2.0	11	1.5	13	3.4	7	1.8	24	2.2	6
Total Minority	77	12.6	84	17.2	75	10.5	86	22.5	60	15.8	161	14.6	40
For. Nation.	9	1.5	10	2.0	8	1.1	11	2.9	3	0.8	19	1.7	3
Caucasian	499	81.7	377	77.3	616	85.9	260	68.1	273	72.0	876	79.7	261
Unknown	26	4.3	17	3.5	18	2.5	25	6.5	41	10.8	43	3.9	0
Total	611	55.6	488	44.4	717	65.2	382	34.8	377	34.5	1099		304

Curriculum		
	Full-time	Part-time
Typical first-year section size	70	100
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		130
# of upper division courses, excluding seminars with an enrollment:	Under 25	156
	25-49	39
	50-74	21
	75-99	11
	100+	1
# of seminars		40
# of seminar positions available		622
# of seminar positions filled	420	167
# of positions available in simulation courses		1,134
# of simulation positions filled	582	418
# of positions available in faculty supervised clinical courses		115
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled	94	10
# involved in field placements	101	37
# involved in law journals	167	5
# involved in moot court or trial competitions	39	1
# of credit hours required to graduate		85

Transfers	
Transfers in	18
Transfers out	13

Tuition and Fees		
	Resident	Nonresident
Full-time	\$41,160	\$41,160
Part-time	\$31,065	\$31,065
Tuition Guarantee Program		N

Living Expenses		
Estimated living expenses for singles		
Living on campus	Living off campus	Living at home
N/A	\$17,490	\$10,170



GPA and LSAT Scores			
	Total	Full-time	Part-time
# of apps	3,272	2,670	602
# of offers	1,542	1,024	518
# of matrics	368	209	159
75% GPA	3.65	3.73	3.48
Median GPA	3.41	3.53	3.22
25% GPA	3.11	3.29	2.95
75% LSAT	160	162	156
Median LSAT	157	160	154
25% LSAT	154	158	152

Grants and Scholarships (from prior year)						
	Total		Full-time		Part-time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	1,064		722		342	
Total # receiving grants	355	33.4	328	45.4	27	7.9
Less than 1/2 tuition	219	20.6	193	26.7	26	7.6
Half to full tuition	125	11.7	125	17.3	0	0.0
Full tuition	11	1.0	10	1.4	1	0.3
More than full tuition	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Median grant amount			\$16,000		\$3,000	

Informational and Library Resources	
# of volumes and volume equivalents	459,904
# of titles	199,058
Study seating capacity inside the library	539
# of full-time professional librarians	9
Hours per week library is open	81
# of open, wired connections available to students	36
# of networked computers available for use by students	165
Has wireless network	Y
Require computer?	Y

JD Attrition (from prior year)				
	Academic		Other	
	#	%	#	%
1st year	15	4.9	3	0.9
2nd year	8	2.5	13	4.1
3rd year	0	0.0	0	0.0
4th year	0	0.0	0	0.0

Employment (9 months after graduation)		
	Total	Percentage
Employment status known	335	99.7
Employment status unknown	1	0.3
Employed	323	96.4
Pursuing graduate degrees	2	0.6
Unemployed (seeking, not seeking, or studying for the bar)	8	2.4
Type of Employment		
# employed in law firms	111	34.4
# employed in business and industry	44	13.6
# employed in government	24	7.4
# employed in public interest	11	3.4
# employed as judicial clerks	117	36.2
# employed in academia	5	1.5
Geographic Location		
# employed in state	224	69.3
# employed in foreign countries	2	0.6
# of states where employed	15	

Bar Passage Rates					
First-time takers	316	Reporting %	96.52		
Average school %	81.97	Average state %	81.81		
Average pass difference	0.16				
Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff %
New Jersey	305	250	81.97	81.81	0.16