



THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA

Columbus School of Law

Washington, D.C.

202-319-5151

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ADMISSIONS PROFILE

Fall 2009 Entering Class

For the class entering in Fall 2009, the law school received 12 applications for every seat in the class.

	FULL-TIME DAY DIVISION	PART-TIME EVENING DIVISION
Number Enrolled	178	90
LSAT range (25th–75th%)	157–160	154–158
GPA range (25th–75th%)	3.17–3.55	3.03–3.48
Gender Distribution	62% Women, 38% Men	40% Women, 60% Men
Minority Representation	17%	33%
Age Range	20–37	22–47
Average Age	24	27

Joint Degree Programs Offered:

- J.D./M.A. Politics
- J.D./M.A. Psychology
- J.D./M.S.W. Social Work
- J.D./M.A. Philosophy
- J.D./M.S.L.S. Library Science
- J.D./J.C.L. Licentiate in Canon Law
- J.D./M.A. History

Clinical Legal Education:

- Advocacy for the Elderly Clinic
- Criminal Prosecution Clinic
- D.C. Law Students in Court Program
- General Practice Clinic
- Families and the Law Clinic
- Innocence Project Clinic
- Simulation Courses
- Securities and Exchange Commission: Student Observer Program
- *and* various other externship opportunities for academic credit.

For more information, please visit

<http://law.cua.edu/clinics/cle/>.

Institutes and Special Programs:

- Interdisciplinary Program on Law and Religion
- Communications Law Institute
- Comparative and International Law Institute
- Law and Public Policy Program
- Securities and Corporate Law Program
- Program of Studies in Jurisprudence

For more information, please visit

<http://law.cua.edu/clinics/institutes/>.

Tuition and Financial Aid:

Tuition for the 2009–2010 academic year is \$18,925 per semester for full-time students and \$1,375 per credit hour for part-time students. Scholarships are awarded, based on merit, to first-year students at the time of admission. No additional applications are required. Federal student loans and monthly payment plans are available to all students.

Tours and Class Visiting Information:

Guided tours and class visitations can be arranged by calling the Office of Admissions at 202-319-5151 or via e-mail at admissions@law.cua.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 12, 2010

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Advocates for Life	Democratic Law Students Association	Law, Philosophy and Culture Society
ABA, Law Student Division	Entertainment Law Society	Latin American Law Students Association
ABA National Security Newsletter	Environmental Law Society	Military and National Security Law Students Association
Alternative Dispute Resolution Society	Evening Law Students Association	Native American Law Students Association
American Constitution Society	The Federalist Society	Phi Alpha Delta
American Society of International Law Student Chapter	Graduate Students Association	Pope John Paul II Guild of Catholic Lawyers
Arab-American Law Students Association	Health Law Society	Republican National Law Student Association
Asian-Pacific American Law Students Association	Innocence Project of the National Capital Region	Securities Law Students Association
Black Law Students Association	Intellectual Property Law Students Association	Sports Law Society
California Alumni Student Association	International Law Society	Student Bar Association
Christian Legal Society	Irish American Law Students Association	Students for Public Interest Law
Communications Law Students Association	Jewish Law Students Association	Women's Law Caucus
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EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Class of 2008

OVERALL EMPLOYMENT RATE: 93%

TYPE OF EMPLOYER:

Private Practice:	42%	Business & Industry:	13%
Judicial Clerkship:	12%	Public Interest:	2%
Government:	27%	Academic:	2%

REPRESENTATIVE CUA LAW EMPLOYERS

PRIVATE PRACTICE

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP
Arnold & Porter LLP
Bingham McCutchen LLP
Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft
DeCaro, Doran, Siciliano, Gallagher & DeBlasis LLP
Dechert LLP
Dickstein Shapiro LLP
DLA Piper US LLP
Dykema Gossett PLLC
Epstein, Becker & Green PC
Fulbright & Jaworski LLP
Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto
Harter, Secrest & Emery LLP
Hogan & Hartson LLP
Jones Day
Jordan Burt LLP
Keller and Heckman LLP
K & L Gates LLP
McCandlish & Lillard, P.C.
Mibank, Tweed, Hadley & McCoy LLP
Miles & Stockbridge, PC
Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky & Popeo
Morgan Lewis & Bockius LLP
Patton Boggs LLP
Paul Hastings Janofsky & Walker LLP
Reed Smith LLP
Robinson & Cole LLP
Saul Ewing LLP
Step toe & Johnson LLP
Sullivan & Cromwell LLP
Sutherland LLP
Venable LLP

White & Case LLP
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston LLP
Wiley Rein LLP
Willkie Farr & Gallagher
Wilmer Hale
Winston & Strawn LLP

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Federal Reserve Board
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp.
U.S. Air Force JAG Corps
U.S. Army JAG Corps
U.S. Department of Labor
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
U.S. General Accountability Office
U.S. Internal Revenue Service, Office of Chief Counsel
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission
U.S. Navy JAG Corps

STATE GOVERNMENT

Cook County State Attorney's Office (Chicago)
Maryland Office of the Public Defender
Miami-Dade State's Attorney's Office
New York County District Attorney's Office (Manhattan)
New York District Attorney (Bronx)
Philadelphia District Attorney's Office

JUDICIARY

Federal and state courts nationwide
Fairfax County Circuit Court
State of Connecticut, Judicial Branch