

## ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

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### Basic Information

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United States  
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### Career Service Administrator:

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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

Robin Thorner, Assistant Dean of Career Strategy  
Kimberly Underdown, Director, Student Engagement & Employment  
Veronica Elizalde, Assistant Director  
Anna-Laura Petri, Office Coordinator

### Law School Demographics

		1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Total
	Total Class Size	292	208	241	6	747
	Men	127	86	103	3	319
	Women	165	122	138	3	428
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Latinx	Men	69	43	48	1	161
Latinx	Women	79	64	73	2	218
Latinx	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
White	Men	50	40	45	1	136
White	Women	73	49	55	1	178
White	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	Men	4	2	5	1	12
Black or African American	Women	5	6	3	0	14
Black or African American	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Men	0	0	1	0	1
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	1	1	4	0	6
Asian	Women	6	3	6	0	15
Asian	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Men	3	0	1	0	4
Native American or Alaska Native	Women	2	0	1	0	3
Native American or Alaska Native	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
2 or more races	Men	0	0	0	0	0
2 or more races	Women	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Resident Alien	Women	0	0	0	0	0

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

## Comments

Persons with Disabilities = 64 (No breakdown to share) Fall 2021 saw 64 JD/LLM students who were granted accommodations.

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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	n/a
A	n/a	4.0
A-	n/a	3.67
B+	n/a	3.33
B	n/a	3.00
B-	n/a	2.67
C+	n/a	2.33
C	n/a	2.00
C-	n/a	1.67
D	n/a	1.00
F	n/a	0.00

### Comments:

In an upper-level class of more than twenty students, the median grade must be B, and no fewer than 10% and no more than 25% of the grades must be C-'s, D's, or F's; and no fewer than 10% and no more than 25% of the grades must be A's, A-'s, or B+'s, while the median grade is on a 'sliding basis' in classes of 20 or fewer. In first-year classes, the median grade must be B-, and no fewer than 10% and no more than 25% of the grades must be C-'s, D's, or F's; and no fewer than 10% and no more than 25% of the grades must be A's, A-'s, or B+'s.

### 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	58.3%
Business and industry	11.1%
Government	17.2%
Judicial clerkship	3.9%
Military	included in government
Public interest organization	7.8%
Academic	1.7%
Job category not identified	0%

% 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)	0.6
West North Central (IA,KS,MN,MO,NE,ND,SD)	0
South Atlantic (DE,DC,FL,GA,MD,NC,SC,VA,WV)	2.2
East South Central (AL,KY,MS,TN)	1.1
West South Central (AR,LA,OK,TX)	93.9
Mountain (AZ,CO,ID,MT,NV,NM,UT,WY)	0.6
Pacific (AK,CA,HI,OR,WA)	1.1
Non-US	0.6

### Jurisdictions:

Texas: Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Laredo, Longview, McAllen, Midland and San Antonio.

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### OCI / Job Posting

#### OCI Reservations

OCI requests accepted by:  
Mail - beginning date: 04/04/2022  
Phone - beginning date: 04/04/2022  
Email to - beginning date: 04/04/2022: [kunderdown@stmarytx.edu](mailto:kunderdown@stmarytx.edu)  
Online, URL - beginning date: 04/04/2022: <https://law-stmarytx.12twenty.com/Hire>

Any changes in OCI procedures or policies that will be in effect for the first time during Fall 2015:

Employers should register through CORE at <https://law-stmarytx.12twenty.com/Hire>. If you need assistance or prefer to register via phone, call the office at 210-436-3511.

OCI Date Assignment Procedure: First come first served

OCI Fee? none

OCI Date Confirmation Sent to Employers: 06/24/2022

If requested, our school will coordinate with:  
n/a

Required Employer Forms:

Registration via 12Twenty (CORE) at <https://law-stmarytx.12twenty.com/Hire>

#### OCI Dates:

OCI Interview Periods: August, September, October  
Callback Period: n/a  
Is video conferencing available? Yes  
Comments: Video conferencing is offered and arrangements must be set up well in advance.

#### Pre-OCI Material Distribution:

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes  
OCI Drop date: 06/24/2022  
Date student materials sent to employer: 07/12/2022  
Date interview schedule sent to employer: 07/25/2022  
Postage/express mail fee? none  
Comments: Dates subject to change depending on session in 12Twenty (CORE).  
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 Service Career Fair, Austin, TX Sunbelt Diversity Recruitment Program, Dallas, TX Loyola Patent Law Interview Program, Chicago, IL Southeastern Intellectual Property Job Fair, Atlanta, GA Southeastern Minority Job Fair, Marietta, GA Hispanic National Bar Association Job Fair, location varies  
Lavender Law Conference, location varies Equal Justice Works Conference and Career Fair, Washington, DC National Black Prosecutors Job Fair, Denver, CO

#### Diversity Interview Programs

Sunbelt Diversity Recruitment Program Southeastern Minority Job Fair Hispanic National Bar Association Job Fair Lavender Law Conference and Career Fair National Black Prosecutors Annual Conference & Job Fair Bay Area Diversity Career Fair Rocky Mountain Diversity Career Fair Heartland Diversity Legal Job Fair Indianapolis Bar Association Diversity Job Fair Northwest Minority Job Fair St. Louis Diversity Job Fair

#### 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

Employers may submit job listings directly through our online job bank at <https://law-stmarytx.12twenty.com/HireJob>. Employers seeking assistance or who prefer to provide their information via email, phone or fax should contact our office at 210-436-3511. Employers will receive application responses as graduates apply. If an employer chooses to have application accumulate online, the employer will need to specify when they would like to receive application packets from our office. Job listings remain active in our job bank for 30 days, unless specified differently by the employer.

Are employers permitted to prescreen? Yes

#### First Year Students

The Office of Career Strategy at St. Mary's Law believes that early engagement is critical to students' long-term career success and satisfaction. This engagement occurs in a variety of ways, from small-group discussion, wide-ranging programming and relationship-building events, key document creation, large class instruction, and, most importantly, individualized career advising. First-year students are introduced to the Office of Career Strategy over the summer and again at orientation, when, in addition to providing an overview of the office, we conduct a practical workshop (the topic changes each year) that gets students thinking about their career and professional development. They then have a wide variety of ways in which to engage with our office and all that we offer throughout the year. As a member of the Texas Consortium, a collaboration between all of the Texas law schools, St. Mary's Law encourages first-year students to participate in the Public Service Career Fair each winter, the first organized opportunity for students to secure employment for the summer between their first and second years. First-year students are also able to apply for summer positions posted in our online job bank and participate in the Spring Recruitment Program.

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