

University of Denver Sturm College of Law

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The Basics

Type of school	Private
Term	Semester
Application deadline	
Application fee	\$65
Financial aid deadline	3/1
Can first year start other than fall?	No
Student to faculty ratio	12.7 to 1
# of housing spaces available restricted to law students	
graduate housing for which law students are eligible	21

Curriculum

Typical first-year section size—full-time	80
Typical first-year section size—part-time	65
Is there typically a "small section" of the first-year class, other than Legal Writing, taught by full-time faculty—full-time	Yes
If yes, typical size offered last year—full-time	40
Is there typically a "small section" of the first-year class, other than Legal Writing, taught by full-time faculty—part-time	Yes
If yes, typical size offered last year—part-time	40
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	207
# of seminars	20
# of seminar positions available	370
# of seminar positions filled—full-time	326
# of seminar positions filled—part-time	44
# of positions available in simulation courses	272
# of simulation positions filled—full-time	231
# of simulation positions filled—part-time	41
# of positions available in faculty supervised clinical courses	106
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled—full-time	99
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled—part-time	7
# involved in field placements—full-time	324
# involved in field placements—part-time	28
# involved in law journals—full-time	163
# involved in law journals—part-time	17
# involved in moot court or trial competitions—full-time	44
# involved in moot court or trial competitions—part-time	2
# of credit hours required to graduate	90
# of upper division courses, excluding seminars, with an enrollment	
Under 25	240
25–49	48
50–74	25
75–99	7
100+	2

Faculty and Administrators

	Total		Men		Women		Minorities	
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall
Full-time	60	57	32	29	28	28	14	13
Other Full-time	5	5	3	3	2	2	0	0
Deans, librarians, & others who teach	12	12	7	7	5	5	3	3
Part-time	51	56	40	43	10	12	8	6
Total	128	130	82	82	45	47	25	22

Tuition and Fees

Resident—full-time	\$37,152
Resident—part-time	\$27,392
Nonresident—full-time	\$37,152
Nonresident—part-time	\$27,392
Tuition Guarantee Program	N

Living Expenses (estimated living expenses for singles)

Living on campus	Living off campus	Living at home
\$16,707	\$16,707	\$16,707

JD Enrollment and Ethnicity

	Men		Women		Full-time		Part-time		1st-year		Total		JD Deg Awd.
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
All Hispanics	25	5.0	37	8.0	49	6.4	13	6.8	11	3.7	62	6.5	21
American Indian/Alaska Native	12	2.4	9	1.9	16	2.1	5	2.6	8	2.7	21	2.2	5
Asian	15	3.0	24	5.2	32	4.2	7	3.6	8	2.7	39	4.1	17
Black/African American	10	2.0	15	3.2	15	2.0	10	5.2	10	3.4	25	2.6	10
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	1	0.2	1	0.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1	0
2 or more races	2	0.4	5	1.1	5	0.7	2	1.0	2	0.7	7	0.7	0
Subtotal (Minority)	64	12.9	91	19.6	118	15.4	37	19.3	39	13.1	155	16.1	56
Nonresident Alien	1	0.2	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1	0
White/Caucasian	401	80.8	351	75.6	607	79.0	145	75.5	234	78.8	752	78.3	269
Unknown	30	6.0	22	4.7	42	5.5	10	5.2	24	8.1	52	5.4	25
Total	496	51.7	464	48.3	768	80.0	192	20.0	297	30.9	960		350

Transfers	
Transfers in	26
Transfers out	9

GPA and LSAT Scores

	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
# of applicants	3,129	2,782	347
# of offers	1,008	915	93
# of matrics	301	239	62
75% GPA	3.66	3.66	3.68
Median GPA	3.46	3.46	3.46
25% GPA	3.15	3.16	3.16
75% LSAT	161	161	160
Median LSAT	159	160	157
25% LSAT	156	158	153

Grants and Scholarships (from prior years)

	Total		Full-Time		Part-Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	1,018		786		232	
Total # receiving grants	304	29.9	271	34.5	33	14.2
Less than 1/2 tuition	159	15.6	139	17.7	20	8.6
Half to full tuition	99	9.7	88	11.2	11	4.7
Full tuition	45	4.4	43	5.5	2	0.9
More than full tuition	1	0.1	1	0.1	0	0.0
Median grant amount full-time					\$17,600	
Median grant amount part-time					\$10,000	

Informational and Library Resources

Total amount spent on library materials	\$1,387,798
Study seating capacity inside the library	329
# of full-time equivalent professional librarians	4
Hours per week library is open	108
# of open, wired connections available to students	1535
# of networked computers available for use by students	28
Has wireless network?	Y
Requires computer?	Y

JD Attrition (from prior year)

	Academic #	Other #	Total #	Total %
1st year	8	16	24	8.1
2nd year	2	4	6	1.6
3rd year	0	0	0	0.0
4th year	0	0	0	0.0

Employment (9 months after graduation)

	Total	%
Employment status known	341	97.2
Employment status unknown	10	2.8
Employed	296	86.8
Pursuing graduate degrees	13	3.8
Unemployment (seeking, not seeking, or studying for the bar)	29	8.5

Type of Employment

# employed in law firms	118	39.9
# employed in business and industry	43	14.5
# employed in government	79	26.7
# employed in public interest	34	11.5
# employed as judicial clerks	10	3.4
# employed in academia	2	0.7

Geographic Location

# employed in state	228	77.0
# employed outside the US	1	0.3
# of states where employed	21	

Bar Passage Rates

First-time takers	317				
Reporting %	89.59				
Average school %	87.68				
Average state %	85.67				
Average pass difference	2.01				
Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff %
Colorado	284	249	87.68	85.67	2.01

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