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## **Profile of Law Students Fall 2002 and Fall 2003**

This report contains descriptive information about law students enrolled in Fall 2002 and Fall 2003. Included in this report is additional information about the following topics:

Gender	Entrance Test Scores
Age	High School Class Quartile
Minority Status	Classification
Racial/Ethnic Group	Enrollee Type
Citizenship Status	Full-Time/Part-Time Status
Country of Citizenship	Average Credit Hour Load
State of Permanent Address	Dual Program Students
Religious Affiliation	

### **Fall 2003**

The law school enrollment of 440 includes 129 new students. Approximately fifty-six percent of the law students are males, and 12 percent are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Of the 134 students for whom religious affiliation data were available, 60% were affiliated with the Baptist denomination.

The law student body is comprised of students from 31 states and one foreign country. Texas is the permanent address state for 87 percent of the students. The score range for the middle fifty percent of law students who took the LSAT is 156 – 161 with a mean of 158.

### **Fall 2002**

The law school enrollment of 426 includes 81 new students. Approximately fifty-eight percent of the law students are males, and 13 percent are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Of the 139 students for whom religious affiliation data were available, 54% were affiliated with the Baptist denomination.

The law student body is comprised of students from 27 states and two foreign countries. Texas is the permanent address state for 86 percent of the students. The score range for the middle fifty percent of law students who took the LSAT is 155 – 161 with a mean of 158.

*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
*Demographic Information*

Gender	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
Male	245	55.7	246	57.7
Female	195	44.3	180	42.3
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

Age	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<23	63	14.3	65	15.3
23-25	247	56.1	234	54.9
26-29	86	19.5	82	19.2
30-39	40	9.1	39	9.2
40+	4	0.9	6	1.4
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

Minority Status	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
Minority	52	11.8	56	13.1
Non-minority	388	88.2	370	86.9
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
**Demographic Information**

Racial/Ethnic Group	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	2	0.5	3	0.7
Alaskan Native/American Indian	2	0.5	3	0.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	20	4.5	11	2.6
Hispanic	28	6.4	39	9.2
White	388	88.2	370	86.9
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

Racial/Ethnic Group - Nonresident Aliens Partitioned	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	2	0.5	3	0.7
Alaskan Native/American Indian	2	0.5	3	0.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	20	4.5	11	2.6
Hispanic	28	6.4	39	9.2
White	387	88.0	370	86.9
Non-resident Alien	1	0.2	--	--
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

Citizenship Status	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
U.S. Citizen	439	99.8	424	99.5
Resident Alien	--	--	2	0.5
Nonresident Alien	1	0.2	--	--
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

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*Demographic Information*

Country of Citizenship	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<b>Mexico</b>	--	--	1	0.2
<b>Moldova</b>	1	0.2	--	--
<b>United Kingdom</b>	--	--	1	0.2
<b>United States</b>	439	99.8	424	99.5
<b>All</b>	440	100.0	426	100.0

*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
*Demographic Information*

State of Permanent Address	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
Alabama	2	0.5	1	0.2
Arizona	3	0.7	3	0.7
Arkansas	3	0.7	3	0.7
California	3	0.7	6	1.4
Colorado	1	0.2	2	0.5
Connecticut	1	0.2	--	--
Florida	1	0.2	2	0.5
Georgia	1	0.2	--	--
Hawaii	1	0.2	1	0.2
Illinois	4	0.9	2	0.5
Kansas	--	--	2	0.5
Kentucky	1	0.2	--	--
Louisiana	2	0.5	7	1.6
Maryland	1	0.2	1	0.2
Massachusetts	1	0.2	--	--
Nebraska	1	0.2	2	0.5
New Hampshire	2	0.5	1	0.2
New Jersey	1	0.2	1	0.2
New Mexico	2	0.5	3	0.7
New York	1	0.2	2	0.5
North Carolina	1	0.2	--	--
North Dakota	1	0.2	1	0.2
Ohio	1	0.2	3	0.7
Oklahoma	4	0.9	4	0.9
Pennsylvania	1	0.2	--	--
South Carolina	2	0.5	2	0.5
South Dakota	4	0.9	3	0.7
Tennessee	3	0.7	1	0.2
Texas	384	87.3	366	85.9
Utah	2	0.5	3	0.7
Virginia	2	0.5	2	0.5
Washington	1	0.2	1	0.2
West Virginia	--	--	1	0.2
US Terr./Military Addresses	1	0.2	--	--

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*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
*Demographic Information*

State of Permanent Address	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
Non-US Addresses	1	0.2	--	--
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
**Demographic Information**

Religious Affiliation	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
Assembly of God	1	0.2	1	0.2
Baptist	81	18.4	75	17.6
Catholic	16	3.6	16	3.8
Christian Church	1	0.2	--	--
Church of Christ	3	0.7	1	0.2
Disciples of Christ(Christian)	--	--	2	0.5
Eastern Orthodox	1	0.2	1	0.2
Episcopalian	2	0.5	7	1.6
Hindu	--	--	1	0.2
Interdenominational	3	0.7	4	0.9
Latter Day Saints (Mormon)	--	--	1	0.2
Lutheran	2	0.5	6	1.4
Methodist	9	2.0	7	1.6
Non-Denominational	1	0.2	3	0.7
Pentecostal	--	--	1	0.2
Presbyterian	6	1.4	7	1.6
United Brethren	1	0.2	1	0.2
Other than above	7	1.6	5	1.2
No Preference; Not Specified	306	69.5	287	67.4
All	440	100.0	426	100.0

*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
*LSAT Scores*

<b>Interquartile Range</b>	<b>Fall 2003</b>	<b>Fall 2002</b>
<b>25th Percentile</b>	156	155
<b>75th Percentile</b>	161	161

	<b>Fall 2003</b>	<b>Fall 2002</b>
<b>Mean</b>	158	158

<b>Distribution</b>	<b>Fall 2003</b>		<b>Fall 2002</b>	
	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>&lt;151</b>	20	4.7	29	6.8
<b>151-156</b>	120	28.4	133	31.3
<b>157-162</b>	223	52.8	211	49.6
<b>163-168</b>	51	12.1	44	10.4
<b>169+</b>	8	1.9	8	1.9
<b>All</b>	422	100.0	425	100.0

<b>Median Scores by Gender</b>	<b>Fall 2003</b>		<b>Fall 2002</b>	
	<b>N</b>	<b>Median</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Median</b>
<b>Male</b>	234	159	246	158
<b>Female</b>	188	157	179	157
<b>All</b>	422	158	425	158

Note: Although submission of entrance test scores generally is required in the admission process, LSAT scores were not available in the Banner Student Information System for all students.



*Profile of Law Students, Fall 2002 and Fall 2003*  
**Academic Information**

Classification	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<b>First Year</b>	190	43.2	175	41.1
<b>Second Year</b>	154	35.0	130	30.5
<b>Third Year</b>	95	21.6	121	28.4
<b>Non-Degree</b>	1	0.2	--	--
<b>All</b>	440	100.0	426	100.0

Enrollee Type*	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<b>Entering Law Student</b>	129	29.3	81	19.0
<b>Continuing Student</b>	311	70.7	345	81.0
<b>All</b>	440	100.0	426	100.0

\* Beginning in Fall 2003, students who entered the Law School in the summer were counted as new students in the following fall. This is the same procedure followed for undergraduate, graduate, and seminary students who enter as new students in the summer.

Full-Time/Part-Time Status	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<b>Full-Time</b>	438	99.5	418	98.1
<b>Part-Time</b>	2	0.5	8	1.9
<b>All</b>	440	100.0	426	100.0

Average Credit Hour Load	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	Average	N	Average
<b>School of Law</b>	440	13.2	426	12.9
<b>All</b>	440	13.2	426	12.9

Dual Program Students	Fall 2003		Fall 2002	
	N	%	N	%
<b>Law/Graduate</b>	2	100.0	4	100.0
<b>All</b>	2	100.0	4	100.0

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