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Profile of Law Students Fall 2005 and Fall 2006

This report contains descriptive information about law students enrolled in Fall 2005 and Fall 2006. Included in this report is additional information about the following topics:

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Fall 2006

The law school enrollment of 400 includes 70 new students. Approximately fifty-seven percent of the law students are males, and 14 percent are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Approximately 26% are affiliated with the Baptist denomination.

The law student body is comprised of students from five foreign countries in addition to the United States. The score range for the middle fifty percent of law students who took the LSAT is 158 – 163 with a mean of 161.

Fall 2005

The law school enrollment of 432 includes 82 new students. Approximately fifty-five percent of the law students are males, and 13 percent are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Approximately 29% are affiliated with the Baptist denomination.

The law student body is comprised of students from five foreign countries in addition to the United States. The score range for the middle fifty percent of law students who took the LSAT is 157 – 162 with a mean of 160.

Profile of Law Students, Fall 2005 and Fall 2006
Demographic Information

Gender	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Male	227	56.8	236	54.6
Female	173	43.3	196	45.4
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Age	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
<23	76	19.0	77	17.8
23-25	214	53.5	246	56.9
26-29	76	19.0	77	17.8
30-39	32	8.0	28	6.5
40+	2	0.5	4	0.9
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Minority Status	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Minority	56	14.0	57	13.2
Non-minority	344	86.0	375	86.8
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Profile of Law Students, Fall 2005 and Fall 2006
Demographic Information

Racial/Ethnic Group	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	5	1.3	5	1.2
Alaskan Native/American Indian	1	0.3	5	1.2
Asian/Pacific Islander	25	6.3	21	4.9
Hispanic	16	4.0	17	3.9
White	344	86.0	375	86.8
Other	9	2.3	9	2.1
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Racial/Ethnic Group - Nonresident Aliens Partitioned	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
African American/Black	5	1.3	5	1.2
Alaskan Native/American Indian	1	0.3	5	1.2
Asian/Pacific Islander	22	5.5	20	4.6
Hispanic	14	3.5	17	3.9
White	344	86.0	373	86.3
Other	9	2.3	9	2.1
Nonresident Alien	5	1.3	3	0.7
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Citizenship Status	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
U.S. Citizen	392	98.0	427	98.8
Resident Alien	3	0.8	2	0.5
Nonresident Alien	5	1.3	3	0.7
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Profile of Law Students, Fall 2005 and Fall 2006
Demographic Information

Country of Citizenship	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Brazil	2	0.5	--	--
China, People's Republic of	2	0.5	1	0.2
India	1	0.3	1	0.2
Korea, Republic of	2	0.5	1	0.2
Moldova	--	--	1	0.2
Romania	1	0.3	--	--
Russia	--	--	1	0.2
United States	392	98.0	427	98.8
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Profile of Law Students, Fall 2005 and Fall 2006
Demographic Information

Religious Affiliation	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Assembly of God	1	0.3	3	0.7
Atheist	4	1.0	2	0.5
Baptist	102	25.5	127	29.4
Buddhist	1	0.3	2	0.5
Catholic	42	10.5	43	10.0
Christian Church	2	0.5	4	0.9
Christian Scientist	1	0.3	--	--
Church of Christ	16	4.0	20	4.6
Church of God	1	0.3	--	--
Church of the Nazarene	1	0.3	1	0.2
Disciples of Christ(Christian)	1	0.3	2	0.5
Eastern Orthodox	2	0.5	1	0.2
Episcopalian	11	2.8	14	3.2
Evangelical Free Church	2	0.5	1	0.2
Greek Orthodox	1	0.3	--	--
Hindu	6	1.5	3	0.7
Independent Bible Church	2	0.5	3	0.7
Interdenominational	1	0.3	5	1.2
Jewish	5	1.3	5	1.2
Latter Day Saints (Mormon)	9	2.3	14	3.2
Lutheran	8	2.0	10	2.3
Methodist	31	7.8	41	9.5
Moslem (Islam, Muslim)	4	1.0	2	0.5
Non-Denominational	40	10.0	38	8.8
Pentecostal	3	0.8	1	0.2
Presbyterian	18	4.5	19	4.4
Protestant	6	1.5	10	2.3
Seventh Day Adventist	--	--	1	0.2
None; No religion	47	11.8	31	7.2
Other than above	12	3.0	16	3.7
No Preference; Not Specified	20	5.0	13	3.0
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Profile of Law Students, Fall 2005 and Fall 2006
LSAT Scores

Interquartile Range	Fall 2006	Fall 2005
25th Percentile	158	157
75th Percentile	163	162

	Fall 2006	Fall 2005
Mean	161	160

Distribution	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
<151	2	0.6	4	1.0
151-156	48	13.2	69	16.6
157-162	212	58.4	246	59.1
163-168	88	24.2	82	19.7
169+	13	3.6	15	3.6
All	363	100.0	416	100.0

Median Scores by Gender	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	Median	N	Median
Male	209	161	228	160
Female	154	160	188	159
All	363	160	416	160

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 2005 and Fall 2006
Academic Information

Classification	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Juris Doctorate	398	99.5	432	100.0
Non-Degree LW	2	0.5	--	--
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Enrollee Type	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Entering Law Student	70	17.5	82	19.0
Continuing Student	328	82.0	350	81.0
Other	2	0.5	--	--
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Full-Time/Part-Time Status	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Full-Time	393	98.3	421	97.5
Part-Time	7	1.8	11	2.5
All	400	100.0	432	100.0

Average Credit Hour Load	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	Average	N	Average
Law	400	13.3	432	13.0
All	400	13.3	432	13.0

Dual Program Students	Fall 2006		Fall 2005	
	N	%	N	%
Law/Graduate	3	100.0	1	100.0
All	3	100.0	1	100.0