

Application Instructions

Transfer Admission

The School of Law only reviews transfer applications for fall semester admission. Qualified transfer applicants (as determined by the admissions committee) who have completed one year at an ABA-accredited law school are admitted to the second-year class on a space available basis. The School of Law will accept for transfer a maximum of 30 semester hours earned at a student's previous institution (the number of semester hours earned by our first-year students). A minimum of 22 credits is required for transfer. Credit is not usually granted for law school courses beyond the first year.

In addition to a bar examination, there are character, fitness, and other qualifications for admission to the bar in every U.S. jurisdiction. Applicants are encouraged to determine the requirements for any jurisdiction in which they intend to seek admission by contacting the jurisdiction. Addresses for all relevant agencies are available through the National Conference of Bar Examiners.

The School of Law uses a paperless application process. All accompanying documents must be submitted electronically either as an attachment to your application, a submission to LSAC or as an email attachment.

Transfer applicants must submit all of the following materials:

- Application form. Transfer applicants must use the "transfer application."
- Law school transcript;
- Letter of good standing from current law school (include class rank if available);
- CAS report;
- Short Personal statement which should include the reasons for requesting the transfer;
- Résumé; and
- 2 letters of recommendation are strongly suggested but not initially required. If you do not submit letters of recommendation, the admissions committee reserves the right to request one at a later date.
- Applicants may be asked to do an interview. The interview may be conducted by phone, Skype or in person at the law school.

You are welcome to submit an application at anytime and then follow-up with additional documents as they become available.

Certification

Applicants must certify to the following:

By electronically transmitting this application, I hereby certify that the answers and statements contained in this application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that a misrepresentation or omission may be grounds for revocation of an offer of acceptance or for dismissal. I agree to report in writing to the Admissions Office any changes in my responses, which may occur after the filing of this application (excluding responses to the optional questions). If admitted I will have an official transcript from my degree-granting undergraduate institution showing the degree earned and its date, and an official transcript from my current law school, sent to the admissions office by August 1st, preceding the start of my entering fall term. If I matriculate to Washington University, I will accept the responsibilities imposed by the Honor Code and abide by those principles.

Important Dates

The transfer application deadline is July 15. All files are reviewed and decisions will be distributed on a rolling basis. OCI, which is available to all committed (deposited) transfers, participation deadlines are in early June. Therefore, it is beneficial to have all of your materials submitted and, if admitted, your deposit paid by early June.

All decisions will be sent via email.

Visiting Admission

In addition to the documentation listed above for transfer applicants, visiting candidates must submit a permission letter from their current institution certifying that all credits earned at Washington University School of Law will transfer back toward their degree. In addition, visiting applicants must clearly express the reason for their intent to visit in their personal statement. If you have questions or need any additional information, please contact the Admissions Office by either of the means listed below.

Admissions Contact Info

General questions: (314) 935-4525

Send application correspondence to: applylaw@wustl.edu.

Biographical

Prefix _____

Date of birth _____

First name _____

Place of birth: City _____

Middle name _____

Place of birth: Country _____

Last name _____

Place of birth: State/Province _____

Suffix _____

Gender _____

Previous (other) name _____

Preferred first name _____

LSAC account number _____

Demographics

Citizenship

Citizenship

Non-Resident Alien

US Citizen

US Permanent Resident

Country of citizenship _____

Visa/SEVIS number _____

Permanent resident number _____

Permanent city _____

Permanent state/province _____

Permanent country _____

Native language _____

Ethnicity

Are you Hispanic or Latino

Yes

No

If you selected 'Yes' to the above question, select an ethnicity.

Hispanic/Latino

Demographics continued

What is your race? Select one or more races to indicate what you consider yourself to be.

Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Australian

Aboriginal/Torres Strait Isl. Australian

American Indian or Alaska Native

American Indian/Alaskan Native

Asian

Asian

Black or African American

Black/African American

Canadian Aboriginal

Canadian Aboriginal

Caucasian/White

Caucasian/White

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

Puerto Rican

Puerto Rican

Consent

Decline to respond

Contact Information

Current Address

Country _____

Street address--line 1 _____

Street address--line 2 _____

Street address--line 3 _____

City _____

State/province _____

Zip/postal code _____

Current mailing address good until date _____

Day phone _____

Evening phone _____

Permanent Address

Country _____

Street address--line 1 _____

Street address--line 2 _____

Street address--line 3 _____

City _____

State/province _____

Zip/postal code _____

Permanent mailing address good until date _____

Day phone _____

Evening phone _____

Other Contact Information

Primary e-mail address _____

Secondary e-mail address _____

Mobile phone _____

Washington University School of Law can send text messages to my mobile phone

Yes

No

Standardized Testing

LSAT

Test Date

Test Score

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Education

List ALL educational institutions attended.

Institution type High School Undergraduate Graduate Law Other Post Graduate

Institution name _____

Major _____

Country _____ Start date _____

State/Province _____ End date _____

City _____ Degree _____

GPA _____ Date degree granted _____

Rank _____

Institution type High School Undergraduate Graduate Law Other Post Graduate

Institution name _____

Major _____

Country _____ Start date _____

State/Province _____ End date _____

City _____ Degree _____

GPA _____ Date degree granted _____

Rank _____

Education continued

Institution type High School Undergraduate Graduate Law Other Post Graduate

Institution name _____

Major _____

Country _____ Start date _____

State/Province _____ End date _____

City _____ Degree _____

GPA _____ Date degree granted _____

Rank _____

Institution type High School Undergraduate Graduate Law Other Post Graduate

Institution name _____

Major _____

Country _____ Start date _____

State/Province _____ End date _____

City _____ Degree _____

GPA _____ Date degree granted _____

Rank _____

Have you ever attended any law school?

Yes

No

Did you leave the law school under less than good standing?

Yes

No

List the academic honors, awards, or other recognitions you have received and explain the reason(s) upon which awards were made.

Education continued

Military

Have you served or are you now serving on full-time, active US military duty?

Yes

No

Date of entrance (month/year) _____

Date of discharge (month/year) _____

Rank _____

Expected military reserve or National Guard status during law school

Branch _____

Discharge type _____

Have you ever been separated from any branch of the US armed forces under less than honorable conditions?

Yes

No

If you have been separated from any branch of the US armed forces under less than honorable conditions, explain the circumstances.

Employment

List all employment including internships.

Employment type Full-time Part-time Internship Unpaid Internship

Employer _____

Position _____ Country _____

Hours per week _____ State/Province _____

Start date _____ City _____

End date _____

Reason for leaving _____

Employment continued

Employment type Full-time Part-time Internship Unpaid Internship

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Position _____ Country _____

Hours per week _____ State/Province _____

Start date _____ City _____

End date _____

Reason for leaving _____

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Start date _____ City _____

End date _____

Reason for leaving _____

Total number of months full-time work experience.

List your extracurricular, community, or other activities in the order of their importance to you. Give a brief description of your involvement, including any special responsibilities or leadership positions held.

Family

Next of Kin/Emergency Contact

Salutation _____
First (given) name _____
Middle name/initial _____
Last (family) name _____
Relationship to applicant _____
Telephone (include area code) _____

Country _____
Street address--line 1 _____
Street address--line 2 _____
Street address--line 3 _____
City _____
State/province _____
Zip/postal code _____

If you have any close relatives who have been students at this university, please provide the following information.

Relative 1

____ Law school ____ University
First (given) name _____
Middle name/initial _____
Last (family) name _____
Relationship to applicant _____
School attended _____
Start date (month/year) _____
End date (month/year) _____
Degree awarded _____

Relative 2

____ Law school ____ University
First (given) name _____
Middle name/initial _____
Last (family) name _____
Relationship to applicant _____
School attended _____
Start date (month/year) _____
End date (month/year) _____
Degree awarded _____

Parent/Guardian - 1

____ Choose not to answer
____ Deceased
First (given) name _____
Middle name/initial _____
Last (family) name _____
Occupation _____
Highest level of education _____

Country _____
Street address--line 1 _____
Street address--line 2 _____
Street address--line 3 _____
City _____
State/province _____
Zip/postal code _____

Family continued

Parent/Guardian - 2

Choose not to answer

Deceased

First (given) name _____

Middle name/initial _____

Last (family) name _____

Occupation _____

Highest level of education _____

Country _____

Street address--line 1 _____

Street address--line 2 _____

Street address--line 3 _____

City _____

State/province _____

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Law School Interest

What prompted you to apply to this law school?

Internet

ABA

Law School

LSAC

Other

Faculty/Alumni/Professional

Admissions recruiter

Alumni

Faculty/acquaintance

Law school faculty member

Legal professional

Prelaw advisor

Relative

University/college faculty member

Publications

Law school publication

LSAC Official Guide to ABA Law Schools

Other advertisement

Princeton Review

US News & World Report

Recruiting Events

Campus event

Current student

International forum

Law school direct mail/e-mail

Law school fair

LSAC Forum

If you attended any events mentioned in the Recruiting Events section, please list them below:

Law School Interest continued

Have you previously applied to this law school?

Yes

No

If you applied previously, what year was the application for? _____

Were you offered admission?

Yes

No

Are you applying, or have you applied, to other law schools? If so, please list them.

Diversity

Please list any diversity characteristics that you would like to provide:

Do you identify as LGBT? Your response will in no way negatively impact your application. It is merely for statistical purposes and so you can receive information about being LGBT at Washington University Law.

Yes

No

Character and Fitness

The following questions must be answered. If your answer to any of these questions is "yes," please provide an explanation (as an electronic attachment). In addition to a bar examination, there are character, fitness, and other qualifications for admission to the bar in every U.S. jurisdiction. Applicants are encouraged to determine the requirements for any jurisdiction in which they intend to seek admission by contacting the jurisdiction. Addresses for all relevant agencies are available through the National Conference of Bar Examiners.

Have you ever been denied admission to a law school on grounds of fraud, immorality, or improper or dishonorable conduct?

Yes

No

Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action for any scholastic, judicial/code violation, or any other reason by any college, university, graduate or professional school, trade or professional organization?

Yes

No

Have any disciplinary charges ever been brought, are currently pending, or are expected to be brought against you by any college, university, graduate or professional school, trade or professional organization?

Yes

No

Have you ever been charged with and/or convicted of a criminal offense, including any matters that may have been expunged, or received anything other than an honorable discharge from the military?

Yes

No

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Please type in your name:
