

*Pepperdine University School of Law
Class of 2011 Summary Report*

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 229							



Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required	117	52.0	60	57,564	70,000	92,500	83,032
JD Advantage	40	17.8	8	46,000	57,000	76,500	58,000
Other Professional	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	8	3.6	.	.	.	.	.
Empl--Job Type Unknown	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
Pursuing Degree FT	3	1.3	.	.	.	.	.
Unemployed-Seeking	52	23.1	.	.	.	.	.
Unemployed-Not Seeking	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	225	100.0					
Total Employed or Degree:							
Pursuing Degree FT	3	1.3	.	.	.	.	.
Employed	168	74.7	68	56,500	70,000	88,750	80,087
Subtotal	171	76.0					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	131	78.0	57	60,000	75,000	95,000	85,483
Public Sector	36	21.4	11	45,000	50,000	57,408	52,128
Subtotal	167	99.4					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis. Employment by sector does not include graduates for whom employer type was not reported.							

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FT/PT Jobs:							
Bar Passage Req'd-FT	107	63.7	60	57,564	70,000	92,500	83,032
Bar Passage Req'd-PT	10	6.0
JD Advantage-FT	23	13.7	8	46,000	57,000	76,500	58,000
JD Advantage-PT	17	10.1	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-FT	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-PT	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-FT	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-PT	7	4.2	.	.	.	.	.
Empl FT--Job Type Unknown	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	168	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Academic	12	7.1	.	.	.	.	.
Business	34	20.2	9	56,000	60,000	78,000	66,556
Judicial Clerk	11	6.5	7	50,000	55,000	57,408	54,058
Unknown Type	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Private Practice	97	57.7	48	60,000	75,000	110,000	89,032
Government	9	5.4	.	.	.	.	.
Public Interest	4	2.4	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	168	100.0					
Academic Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	2	16.7	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	8	66.7	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional	1	8.3	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	1	8.3	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	12	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	8	23.5	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	18	52.9	6	56,000	66,500	78,000	66,500
Other Professional	1	2.9
Non-professional	7	20.6
Subtotal	34	100.0					
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Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	86	88.7	47	60,000	75,000	125,000	90,075
JD Advantage	11	11.3
Subtotal	97	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	8	88.9
JD Advantage	1	11.1
Subtotal	9	100.0					
Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	2	50.0
JD Advantage	2	50.0
Subtotal	4	100.0					
Size of Firm:							
2-10	40	41.2	11	40,000	55,000	62,000	53,727
11-25	20	20.6	14	60,000	67,500	72,000	66,730
26-50	7	7.2	5	60,000	75,000	85,000	72,860
51-100	9	9.3	6	90,000	110,000	155,000	115,833
101-250	1	1.0
251-500	5	5.2	5	95,000	160,000	160,000	131,000
501+	9	9.3	6	160,000	160,000	160,000	157,333
Unknown Size	2	2.1
Solo	4	4.1
Subtotal	97	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Attorney	85	87.6	46	60,000	75,000	125,000	90,517
Law Clerk	10	10.3
Paralegal	1	1.0
Administrative	1	1.0
Subtotal	97	100.0					
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			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Mid-Atlantic	4	2.4	.	.	.	.	.
E North Central	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
W North Central	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	4	2.4	.	.	.	.	.
E South Central	3	1.8	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	11	6.6	6	78,000	87,500	125,000	96,167
Mountain	7	4.2	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	135	80.8	54	58,000	70,000	87,500	80,676
Subtotal	167	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	131	78.4	52	58,650	71,000	88,750	81,664
Out of State	36	21.6	16	50,000	58,704	87,500	74,963
Subtotal	167	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	20						
Total	20						
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis.							

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	Number Reported	% of Reported
Source of Job		
Fall OCI	13	7.9
Job Posting	23	13.9
Commercial Internet Site	17	10.3
Return to Prior Job	1	0.6
Referral	44	26.7
Start own practice	9	5.5
Self-initiated/letter	50	30.3
Spring OCI	2	1.2
Other	6	3.6
Subtotal	165	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
After Bar Results	58	34.5
Before Graduation	57	33.9
Before Bar Results	53	31.5
Subtotal	168	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	57	34.5
Not seeking a different job	108	65.5
Subtotal	165	100.0
Note: Figures are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs.		

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	Jobs lasting a year or more			Number of Short-term Jobs
	Total Number	Number of Indefinite Duration	Number of Fixed Duration	
Duration of Jobs				
Academic	4	4	.	8
Business	26	24	2	8
Judicial Clerk	9	.	9	2
Unknown Type	1	.	.	.
Private Practice	89	89	.	8
Government	7	6	1	2
Public Interest	3	2	1	1
Total Reported	139	125	13	29
Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School				
	7	.	.	.
Total Reported	7	.	.	.
<p>Note: Figures for job duration are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs. The count of jobs funded by the law school is a total, regardless of duration.</p>				

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Source of Job by Employer Type

Source of Job by Employer Type	Academic		Business		Judicial clerkship		Law firms of 50 or fewer	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	1	8.3	0	0	0	0	4	5.7
Job listing	0	0	1	3.0	1	9.1	17	24.3
Pre-law school employer	0	0	1	3.0	0	0	0	0
Referral from friend	10	83.3	7	21.2	7	63.6	14	20.0
Letter/self-initiated	0	0	8	24.2	3	27.3	26	37.1
All other	1	8.3	16	48.5	0	0	9	12.9
TOTAL	12	100.0	33	100.0	11	100.0	70	100.0

Source of Job by Employer Type	Law firms of 51 or more		Government		Public interest		All Employer Types*	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	8	33.3	0	0	0	0	13	8.0
Job listing	1	4.2	2	22.2	1	25.0	23	14.1
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.6
Referral from friend	5	20.8	0	0	1	25.0	44	27.0
Letter/self-initiated	8	33.3	4	44.4	0	0	49	30.1
All other	2	8.3	3	33.3	2	50.0	33	20.2
TOTAL	24	100.0	9	100.0	4	100.0	163	100.0

** Excludes jobs for which a source, employer type, or firm size was not reported.
 "Other" also includes job fairs, spring OCI, commercial websites, and the self-employed.*

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Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
New England	Connecticut	1	0.6
		1	0.6
Mid Atlantic	New Jersey	1	0.6
	New York	2	1.2
	Pennsylvania	1	0.6
		4	2.4
E. North Central	Wisconsin	1	0.6
		1	0.6
W. North Central	Missouri	1	0.6
		1	0.6
South Atlantic	Washington, DC	3	1.8
	Florida	1	0.6
		4	2.4
E. South Central	Kentucky	1	0.6
	Tennessee	2	1.2
		3	1.8
W. South Central	Louisiana	1	0.6
	Texas	10	6.0
		11	6.6
Mountain	Arizona	1	0.6
	Colorado	2	1.2
	Nevada	2	1.2
	New Mexico	1	0.6
	Utah	1	0.6
		7	4.2
Pacific	California	131	78.4
	Hawaii	1	0.6
	Washington	3	1.8
		135	80.8
<i>TOTAL</i>		167	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

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Location of Instate Jobs

In-state location	# of Jobs	% of Jobs
Beverly Hills	3	2.3
Burbank	2	1.5
Costa Mesa	1	0.8
Fresno	1	0.8
Glendale	1	0.8
Irvine	5	3.8
Long Beach	3	2.3
Los Angeles	33	25.2
Newport Beach	3	2.3
Other/unknown California	52	39.7
Pasadena	6	4.6
Pomona	1	0.8
Sacramento	2	1.5
San Diego	4	3.1
Santa Ana	1	0.8
Santa Monica	9	6.9
Thousand Oaks	3	2.3
Ventura	1	0.8
	131	100.0

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