

University of California - Berkeley School of Law (Boalt Hall)
Class of 2015 Summary Report

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 278							
Gender Reported:							
Women							
Men							
Subtotal							
Race Reported:							
Minority							
Nonminority							
Subtotal							
Gender & Race Repted:							
Minority Women							
Minority Men							
Nonminority Women							
Nonminority Men							
Subtotal							
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required	252	90.6	237	60,000	145,000	160,000	113,485
JD Advantage	6	2.2	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
Pursuing Degree FT	3	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/16	5	1.8	.	.	.	.	.
Not employed-Seeking	9	3.2	.	.	.	.	.
Not employed-Not Seeking	2	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	278	100.0					
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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Total Employed or Degree:							
Pursuing Degree FT	3	1.1
Employed	259	93.2	240	60,000	145,000	160,000	112,935
Subtotal	262	94.2					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	164	63.3	155	150,000	160,000	160,000	144,284
Public Sector	95	36.7	85	45,000	53,000	63,000	55,770
Subtotal	259	100.0					
FT/PT Jobs:							
Bar Passage Req'd-FT	251	96.9	237	60,000	145,000	160,000	113,485
Bar Passage Req'd-PT	1	0.4
JD Advantage-FT	6	2.3
Non-professional-FT	1	0.4
Subtotal	259	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Academic	3	1.2
Business	6	2.3
Judicial Clerk	37	14.3	36	50,000	60,000	65,000	58,737
Private Practice	158	61.0	153	155,000	160,000	160,000	145,111
Government	15	5.8	13	55,000	63,722	85,000	70,479
Public Interest	40	15.4	35	42,500	45,000	52,000	47,419
Subtotal	259	100.0					
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Academic Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	2	66.7
JD Advantage	1	33.3
Subtotal	3	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	1	16.7
JD Advantage	4	66.7
Non-professional	1	16.7
Subtotal	6	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	158	100.0	153	155,000	160,000	160,000	145,111
Subtotal	158	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	15	100.0	13	55,000	63,722	85,000	70,479
Subtotal	15	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	31	83.8	30	55,000	62,750	65,000	60,460
State	6	16.2	6	48,000	49,084	54,579	50,125
Subtotal	37	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	39	97.5	34	42,500	45,000	52,000	47,446
JD Advantage	1	2.5	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	40	100.0					
Size of Firm:							
1-10	15	9.5	12	65,000	76,000	87,500	80,333
11-25	13	8.2	13	65,000	75,000	100,000	82,846
26-50	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
51-100	2	1.3	.	.	.	.	.
101-250	6	3.8	6	145,000	157,500	160,000	157,500
251-500	22	13.9	22	160,000	160,000	160,000	154,682
501+	98	62.0	97	160,000	160,000	160,000	158,711
Solo practitioner	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	158	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate	147	93.0	146	160,000	160,000	160,000	148,993
Staff Attorney	10	6.3	7	52,000	60,000	72,000	64,143
Law Clerk	1	0.6
Subtotal	158	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	6	2.3	6	55,000	112,010	160,000	108,170
Mid-Atlantic	35	13.5	34	160,000	160,000	160,000	148,111
E North Central	6	2.3	6	63,500	64,250	160,000	94,975
W North Central	3	1.2	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	22	8.5	22	58,000	61,500	160,000	90,374
E South Central	4	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	5	1.9	.	.	.	.	.
Mountain	8	3.1	8	51,000	55,790	65,000	62,947
Pacific	168	64.9	151	63,000	145,000	160,000	114,170
Non US locations	2	0.8	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	259	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	159	61.4	142	65,000	157,500	160,000	117,225
Out of State	100	38.6	98	57,000	110,000	160,000	106,719
Subtotal	259	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	28	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	28						
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		
Job fair/consortia	88	53.3
Job Posting in CSO	16	9.7
Job posted online or in print	12	7.3
Clerkship application process or Oscar	9	5.5
Return to Prior Job	3	1.8
Referral	14	8.5
Start own practice	1	0.6
Self-initiated/letter	14	8.5
Spring OCI	1	0.6
Other	7	4.2
Subtotal	165	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
After Bar Results	9	3.5
Before Graduation	240	92.7
Before Bar Results	10	3.9
Subtotal	259	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	16	8.5
Not seeking a different job	172	91.5
Subtotal	188	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 by Employer Type				
Academic	1	.	1	2
Business	6	6	.	.
Judicial Clerk	37	1	36	.
Private Practice	158	151	7	.
Government	15	7	8	.
Public Interest	38	13	25	2
Total Reported	255	178	77	4
Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School				
	14	.	.	.
Total Reported	14	.	.	.
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.				

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Table 12

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
Job listing	1	100.0	1	33.3	1	6.3	3	15.8
Clerkship application process or Oscar	0	0	0	0	9	56.3	0	0
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5.3
Referral from friend	0	0	1	33.3	1	6.3	6	31.6
Letter/self-initiated	0	0	0	0	1	6.3	4	21.1
All other	0	0	1	33.3	4	25.0	5	26.3
TOTAL	1	100.0	3	100.0	16	100.0	19	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
Job listing	8	7.5	1	16.7	1	7.7	16	9.7
Clerkship application process or Oscar	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	5.5
Pre-law school employer	2	1.9	0	0	0	0	3	1.8
Referral from friend	2	1.9	1	16.7	3	23.1	14	8.5
Letter/self-initiated	6	5.6	1	16.7	2	15.4	14	8.5
All other	89	83.2	3	50.0	7	53.8	109	66.1
TOTAL	107	100.0	6	100.0	13	100.0	165	100.0

** Excludes jobs for which a source, employer type, or firm size was not reported.*

"Other" also includes job fairs, spring OCI, non-CSO job sites and postings, and the self-employed.

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Table 13

Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
New England	Massachusetts	5	1.9
	Vermont	1	0.4
		6	2.3
Mid Atlantic	New Jersey	1	0.4
	New York	32	12.4
	Pennsylvania	2	0.8
		35	13.5
E. North Central	Illinois	5	1.9
	Ohio	1	0.4
		6	2.3
W. North Central	Minnesota	3	1.2
		3	1.2
South Atlantic	Delaware	1	0.4
	Washington, DC	16	6.2
	Georgia	1	0.4
	Maryland	2	0.8
	North Carolina	1	0.4
	Virginia	1	0.4
		22	8.5
E. South Central	Alabama	2	0.8
	Kentucky	1	0.4
	Tennessee	1	0.4
		4	1.5
W. South Central	Louisiana	2	0.8
	Texas	3	1.2
		5	1.9
Mountain	Arizona	1	0.4
	Colorado	3	1.2
	Nevada	2	0.8
	New Mexico	1	0.4

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

Table 13

Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
	Utah	1	0.4
		8	3.1
Pacific	Alaska	2	0.8
	California	159	61.4
	Oregon	2	0.8
	Washington	5	1.9
		168	64.9
Non US locations	Non U.S. locations	2	0.8
		2	0.8
<i>TOTAL</i>		259	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

Table 14

Location of Instate Jobs

In-state location	# of Jobs	% of Jobs
Berkeley	5	3.1
Beverly Hills	1	0.6
Fresno	1	0.6
Fullerton	1	0.6
Glendale	1	0.6
Irvine	1	0.6
Los Angeles	32	20.1
Menlo Park	8	5.0
Mountain View	1	0.6
Newport Beach	1	0.6
Oakland	9	5.7
Other/unknown California	10	6.3
Oxnard	1	0.6
Palo Alto	12	7.5
Pasadena	1	0.6
Redwood City	8	5.0
Riverside	1	0.6
Sacramento	2	1.3
San Diego	7	4.4
San Francisco	50	31.4
San Jose	5	3.1
Santa Rosa	1	0.6
	159	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

Table 15

Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type

Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type	Full-time		Part-time		All	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Academic	3	100.0	0	0	3	100.0
Business	6	100.0	0	0	6	100.0
Judicial clerkship	37	100.0	0	0	37	100.0
Law firm	157	99.4	1	0.6	158	100.0
Government	15	100.0	0	0	15	100.0
Public interest	40	100.0	0	0	40	100.0

This table excludes jobs for which full or part-time information was not reported.