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Class of 2016 Summary Report*

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 200							
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required	170	85.9	150	65,000	131,000	180,000	121,924
JD Advantage	13	6.6	8	57,500	71,750	97,500	80,438
Other Professional	4	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
Continuing Studies Full-time	2	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/2017	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	5	2.5	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Not Seeking	3	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	198	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 Continuing Studies Full-time:							
Continuing Studies Full-time	2	1.0
Employed	187	94.4	158	64,500	120,000	180,000	119,824
Subtotal	189	95.5					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	150	80.2	129	80,000	160,000	180,000	134,446
Public Sector	37	19.8	29	40,000	50,000	61,610	54,780
Subtotal	187	100.0					
Full-time/Part-time Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required-Full-time	168	89.8	150	65,000	131,000	180,000	121,924
Bar Passage Required-Part-time	2	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage-Full-time	12	6.4	8	57,500	71,750	97,500	80,438
JD Advantage-Part-time	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-Full-time	3	1.6	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-Part-time	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	187	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	3	1.6	.	.	.	.	.
Business	21	11.2	13	64,500	79,000	90,000	84,346
Judicial Clerk	6	3.2	6	51,811	60,333	65,000	59,110
Private Practice	129	69.0	116	92,500	180,000	180,000	140,060
Government	12	6.4	8	40,000	62,005	82,754	64,940
Public Interest	16	8.6	13	40,000	40,000	54,000	47,266
Subtotal	187	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Education Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	2	66.7	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	1	33.3	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	3	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	8	38.1	6	66,000	77,500	90,000	82,167
JD Advantage	9	42.9	7	60,000	79,000	110,000	86,214
Other Professional	4	19.0	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	21	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	128	99.2	115	95,000	180,000	180,000	140,930
JD Advantage	1	0.8	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	129	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	11	91.7	8	40,000	62,005	82,754	64,940
JD Advantage	1	8.3	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	12	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	4	66.7
Local	1	16.7
Other/unknown	1	16.7
Subtotal	6	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required	15	93.8	13	40,000	40,000	54,000	47,266
JD Advantage	1	6.3	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	16	100.0					
Size of Firm:							
1-10	29	22.5	22	54,000	67,500	80,000	73,273
11-25	6	4.7	5	64,000	65,000	100,000	90,600
26-50	12	9.3	10	52,000	75,000	95,000	78,000
51-100	5	3.9	5	100,000	100,000	120,000	116,000
101-250	7	5.4	6	145,000	170,000	180,000	157,500
251-500	10	7.8	10	132,000	160,000	180,000	157,700
501+	59	45.7	58	180,000	180,000	180,000	177,586
Solo practitioner	1	0.8	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	129	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate	120	93.0	110	100,000	180,000	180,000	144,755
Staff Attorney	1	0.8	.	.	.	.	.
Law Clerk	6	4.7
Paralegal	1	0.8
Other Non-attorney Position	1	0.8
Subtotal	129	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
Mid-Atlantic	5	2.7	5	80,000	85,000	180,000	120,800
E North Central	2	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
W North Central	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	3	1.6	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	4	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
Mountain	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	166	88.8	141	65,000	130,000	180,000	121,932
Non US locations	4	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	187	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	166	88.8	141	65,000	130,000	180,000	121,932
Out of State	21	11.2	17	50,000	80,000	160,000	102,333
Subtotal	187	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	11	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	11						
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	62	33.2
Job fair/consortia	3	1.6
Job Posting in CSO	48	25.7
Job posted online or in print	5	2.7
Clerkship application process or Oscar	2	1.1
Return to Prior Job	2	1.1
Referral	16	8.6
Start own practice	3	1.6
Self-initiated/letter	34	18.2
Spring OCI	6	3.2
Other	6	3.2
Subtotal	187	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
After Bar Results	15	8.0
Before Graduation	155	82.9
Before Bar Results	17	9.1
Subtotal	187	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	36	22.8
Not seeking a different job	122	77.2
Subtotal	158	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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	Number of Jobs Reported as:	
	Long-term (1+ years)	Short-term (Less than 1 year)
Duration of Jobs by Employer Type		
Education	2	1
Business	20	1
Judicial Clerk	6	.
Private Practice	127	2
Government	9	3
Public Interest	13	3
Total Reported	177	10
Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School		
	27	.
Total Reported	27	.
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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Source of Job by Employer Type

Source of Job by Employer Type	Education		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	0	0	1	4.8	1	16.7	2	4.2
Job Posting in CSO	2	66.7	2	9.5	0	0	27	56.3
Clerkship application process or Oscar	0	0	0	0	2	33.3	0	0
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.1
Referral from friend	0	0	3	14.3	1	16.7	5	10.4
Letter/self-initiated	1	33.3	10	47.6	2	33.3	9	18.8
All other	0	0	5	23.8	0	0	4	8.3
TOTAL	3	100.0	21	100.0	6	100.0	48	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	57	70.4	1	8.3	0	0	62	33.2
Job Posting in CSO	4	4.9	4	33.3	9	56.3	48	25.7
Clerkship application process or Oscar	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.1
Pre-law school employer	0	0	1	8.3	0	0	2	1.1
Referral from friend	5	6.2	1	8.3	1	6.3	16	8.6
Letter/self-initiated	8	9.9	2	16.7	2	12.5	34	18.2
All other	7	8.6	3	25.0	4	25.0	23	12.3
TOTAL	81	100.0	12	100.0	16	100.0	187	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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Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
New England	Massachusetts	1	0.5
		<i>1</i>	<i>0.5</i>
Mid Atlantic	New York	5	2.7
		<i>5</i>	<i>2.7</i>
E. North Central	Illinois	2	1.1
		<i>2</i>	<i>1.1</i>
W. North Central	Kansas	1	0.5
		<i>1</i>	<i>0.5</i>
South Atlantic	Washington, DC	1	0.5
	Maryland	1	0.5
	North Carolina	1	0.5
		<i>3</i>	<i>1.6</i>
W. South Central	Louisiana	1	0.5
	Texas	3	1.6
		<i>4</i>	<i>2.1</i>
Mountain	Nevada	1	0.5
		<i>1</i>	<i>0.5</i>
Pacific	California	166	88.8
		<i>166</i>	<i>88.8</i>
Non US locations	Non U.S. locations	4	2.1
		<i>4</i>	<i>2.1</i>
<i>TOTAL</i>		<i>187</i>	<i>100.0</i>

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
Berkeley	1	0.6
Beverly Hills	4	2.4
Burbank	1	0.6
Costa Mesa	3	1.8
Fremont	1	0.6
Fresno	2	1.2
Glendale	1	0.6
Irvine	4	2.4
Los Angeles	97	58.4
Modesto	1	0.6
Newport Beach	1	0.6
Oakland	1	0.6
Orange	1	0.6
Other/unknown California	23	13.9
Palo Alto	2	1.2
Pasadena	1	0.6
Rancho Cucamonga	1	0.6
Riverside	4	2.4
San Diego	4	2.4
San Francisco	5	3.0
Santa Ana	3	1.8
Santa Barbara	1	0.6
Santa Monica	4	2.4
	166	100.0

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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
Education	2	66.7	1	33.3	3	100.0
Business	20	95.2	1	4.8	21	100.0
Judicial clerkship	6	100.0	0	0	6	100.0
Law firm	127	98.4	2	1.6	129	100.0
Government	12	100.0	0	0	12	100.0
Public interest	16	100.0	0	0	16	100.0

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

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