

Texas A&M University School of Law
Class of 2017 Summary Report

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 183							
Gender Reported:							
Women							
Men							
Subtotal							
Race Reported:							
Minority							
Non-minority							
Subtotal							
Gender & Race Reported:							
Minority Women							
Minority Men							
Non-minority Women							
Non-minority Men							
Subtotal							
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	121	69.1	83	60,000	65,000	82,607	76,562
JD Advantage	18	10.3	15	53,030	70,000	105,000	78,475
Other Professional	9	5.1	5	53,000	54,000	125,000	89,400
Non-professional	2	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Continuing Studies Full-time	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/2018	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	22	12.6	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Not Seeking	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal							
	175	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	1	0.6
Employed	150	85.7	104	55,500	65,000	84,500	77,152
Subtotal	151	86.3					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	109	72.7	72	60,000	70,000	87,500	81,029
Public Sector	40	26.7	32	53,040	63,500	82,154	68,427
Subtotal	149	99.3					
Full-time/Part-time Jobs:							
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Full-time	118	78.7	83	60,000	65,000	82,607	76,562
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Part-time	3	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage-Full-time	18	12.0	15	53,030	70,000	105,000	78,475
Other Professional-Full-time	7	4.7	5	53,000	54,000	125,000	89,400
Other Professional-Part-time	2	1.3	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Full-time	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Part-time	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	150	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	2	1.3	.	.	.	.	.
Business	25	16.7	13	65,000	70,000	105,000	86,154
Judicial Clerk	4	2.7	.	.	.	.	.
Private Practice	84	56.0	59	60,000	65,000	84,000	79,900
Government	31	20.7	24	53,525	66,499	83,804	70,599
Public Interest	3	2.0
Unknown Type	1	0.7
Subtotal	150	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Education Jobs:							
JD Advantage	2	100.0	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	2	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	6	24.0	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	11	44.0	8	70,000	72,500	100,000	84,375
Other Professional	6	24.0	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	2	8.0	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	25	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	82	97.6	58	60,000	65,000	84,000	80,379
JD Advantage	1	1.2	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional	1	1.2	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	84	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	25	80.6	18	65,000	69,000	85,000	72,686
JD Advantage	4	12.9	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional	2	6.5	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	31	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	2	50.0
State	2	50.0
Subtotal	4	100.0					
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Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	3	100.0
Subtotal	3	100.0					
Size of Firm (by # of Attorney):							
1-10	54	64.3	34	60,000	65,000	72,000	68,371
11-25	16	19.0	14	50,000	62,500	72,000	68,464
26-50	4	4.8
51-100	1	1.2
101-250	3	3.6
251-500	1	1.2
501+	3	3.6
Solo practitioner	2	2.4
Subtotal	84	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate	80	97.6	56	60,000	65,000	84,500	80,661
Law Clerk	2	2.4
Subtotal	82	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Jobs Taken by Region:							
E North Central	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
W North Central	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	2	1.4	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	137	92.6	94	55,000	65,000	82,607	75,250
Mountain	6	4.1	5	57,276	75,000	75,000	90,655
Non-US locations	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	148	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	137	92.6	94	55,000	65,000	82,607	75,250
Out of State	11	7.4	8	58,638	67,500	108,500	89,410
Subtotal	148	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	9	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	9						
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	3	2.1
Job fair/consortia	3	2.1
Job posting in CSO	25	17.5
Job posted online or in print	9	6.3
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	2	1.4
Return to prior job	12	8.4
Referral	37	25.9
Start own practice or business	3	2.1
Self-initiated/letter	33	23.1
Temp agency	3	2.1
Other	13	9.1
Subtotal	143	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
Before graduation	59	40.1
After graduation	88	59.9
Subtotal	147	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	40	27.6
Not seeking a different job	105	72.4
Subtotal	145	100.0
<p>Note: Figures are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs. Timing of job offer figures exclude any graduates starting their own practice.</p>		

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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	.
Business	25	.
Judicial Clerk	4	.
Unknown Type	1	.
Private Practice	84	.
Government	31	.
Public Interest	3	.
Total Reported	150	.
<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	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	0	0	0	0	1	1.4
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	3	13.6	1	25.0	16	21.9
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	2	50.0	0	0
Pre-law school employer	0	0	6	27.3	0	0	3	4.1
Referral from friend	1	50.0	4	18.2	1	25.0	19	26.0
Letter/self-initiated	0	0	4	18.2	0	0	17	23.3
Temp agency or legal search	0	0	1	4.5	0	0	1	1.4
All other	1	50.0	4	18.2	0	0	16	21.9
TOTAL	2	100.0	22	100.0	4	100.0	73	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	2	25.0	0	0	0	0	3	2.1
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	5	16.7	0	0	25	17.6
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.4
Pre-law school employer	0	0	2	6.7	1	33.3	12	8.5
Referral from friend	1	12.5	11	36.7	0	0	37	26.1
Letter/self-initiated	2	25.0	8	26.7	1	33.3	32	22.5
Temp agency or legal search	1	12.5	0	0	0	0	3	2.1
All other	2	25.0	4	13.3	1	33.3	28	19.7
TOTAL	8	100.0	30	100.0	3	100.0	142	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
E. North Central	Indiana	1	0.7
		1	0.7
W. North Central	Missouri	1	0.7
		1	0.7
South Atlantic	Washington, DC	1	0.7
	Maryland	1	0.7
		2	1.4
W. South Central	Texas	137	92.6
		137	92.6
Mountain	Colorado	3	2.0
	Nevada	1	0.7
	Utah	1	0.7
	Wyoming	1	0.7
		6	4.1
Non US locations	Non U.S. locations	1	0.7
		1	0.7
<i>TOTAL</i>		148	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
Amarillo	1	0.7
Arlington	6	4.4
Austin	4	2.9
Bryan	2	1.5
Carrollton	1	0.7
Dallas	30	21.9
El Paso	1	0.7
Fort Worth	51	37.2
Galveston	1	0.7
Garland	1	0.7
Houston	4	2.9
Irving	2	1.5
Other/unknown Texas	28	20.4
Plano	3	2.2
Texarkana	1	0.7
Tyler	1	0.7
	137	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

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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
Education	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Business	22	88.0	3	12.0	25	100.0
Judicial clerkship	4	100.0	0	0	4	100.0
Law firm	81	96.4	3	3.6	84	100.0
Government	31	100.0	0	0	31	100.0
Public interest	3	100.0	0	0	3	100.0
Unknown employer type	1	100.0	0	0	1	100.0

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

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