Liberty University School of Law - 2016 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics		
Type of school	PRIVATE	
Term	Semester	
Application deadline	7/1/2017	7/1/2018
Application fee	\$ 0	
Financial aid deadline		
Can first year start other than fall?	No	

Tuition and Fees (academic year*)						
	Resident	Non-Resident				
Full-Time	\$ 32,302	\$ 32,302				
Part-Time	\$ 0	\$ 0				
Tuition Guarantee Program		No				

Living Expenses (academic year*)

Estimated Living Expenses for singles

Living at Home \$ 15,037

Conditional Scholarsl	nips	
Students Matriculating in	# Entering with	# Reduced or Eliminated
2015-2016 Academic Year	50	0
2014-2015 Academic Year	82	0
2013-2014 Academic Year	66	0

GPA and LSAT Scores (calendar year**)				
	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time	
# of apps	303	303	0	
# of offers	154	154	0	
# of matriculants	64	64	0	
75th Percentile GPA	3.81	3.81	0.00	
50th Percentile GPA	3.43	3.43	0.00	
25th Percentile GPA	2.93	2.93	0.00	
# not incl. in GPA percentile calc.	5.00	5.00	0.00	
75th Percentile LSAT	155	155	0	
50th Percentile LSAT	152	152	0	
25 Percentile LSAT	150	150	0	
# not incl. in LSAT percentile calc.	0	0	0	

Grants and Scholarships (prior academic year*)							
	Tot	al	Full-Ti	me	Part-Time		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total # of students	173	100	172	99.4	1	0.6	
Total # receiving grants	166	96	166	96.5	0	0	
Less than 1/2 tuition	21	12.1	21	12.2	0	0	
Half to full tuition	124	71.7	124	72.1	0	0	
Full tuition	19	11	19	11	0	0	
More than full tuition	2	1.2	2	1.2	0	0	
75th Percentile grant amount		\$	3 24,000		\$0		
50th Percentile grant amount		\$	19,500		\$0		
25th Percentile grant amount		\$	6 16,500		\$0		

J.D. Enrollment and Eth	nicity	(acade	emic	year*)											
	N	Ien	Wo	omen	Ot	her	Full	Time	Part	-Time	First	- Year	To	otal	J.D. Deg Awd
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Hispanics of any race	5	5	4	6	0	0	9	5.4	0	0	4	6.2	9	5.4	0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	1	1.5	0	0	1	0.6	0	0	1	1.6	1	0.6	0
Asian	3	3	1	1.5	0	0	4	2.4	0	0	2	3.1	4	2.4	0
Black or African American	4	4	3	4.5	0	0	7	4.2	0	0	1	1.6	7	4.2	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two or more races	4	4	3	4.5	0	0	7	4.2	0	0	5	7.8	7	4.2	3
Total Minority	16	15.8	12	17.9	0	0	28	16.8	0	0	13	20.3	28	16.7	7
White	80	79.2	50	74.6	0	0	129	77.2	1	100	49	76.6	130	77.4	46
Nonresident Alien	1	1	1	1.5	0	0	2	1.2	0	0	0	0	2	1.2	4
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	4	4	4	6	0	0	8	4.8	0	0	2	3.1	8	4.8	1
Total	101	60.1	67	39.9	0	0	167	99.4	1	0.6	64	38.1	168	100	58

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Curriculum (prior academic year*)

Typical first-year section size	27
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	66
# of upper division classroom course sections	
Under 25	50
25 - 49	24
50 - 74	2
75 - 99	0
100+	0
# of positions available in simulation courses	480
# of simulation positions filled	363
# of seminar positions filled	125
# of law clinics	2
# of seats available in the law clinics identified in sub-part (i) above	22
# of seats filled in the law clinics identified in sub-part (i) above	17
# of field placement positions filled	49
# of students who enrolled in independent study	4
# of students who participated in law journals	40
# of students who participated in interschool skills competitions	57

Faculty and Administrators (calendar year**)

	To	tal	Men		Women		Other		Minorities	
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall
Full-Time	21	20	14	13	7	7	0	0	6	5
Deans, librarians & others who teach	7	7	5	6	2	1	0	0	3	3
Part-Time	8	4	6	3	2	1	0	0	1	0
	36	31	25	22	11	9			10	8

	Academic	Transfer	Other	Total	
	#	#	#	#	%
1st year	10	0	2	12	23.5
2nd year	2	0	4	6	9.5
3rd year	0	0	0	0	0
4th year	0	0	0	0	0

Transfers (prior academic year*)

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See Appendix for list of schools	s from which students transferred

Transfers Out

Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2015)

First Time Takers: 60

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Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Virginia	16	14	87.50	74.16	13.34
Florida	10	6	60.00	67.79	-7.79
North Carolina	7	3	42.86	64.67	-21.81
Tennessee	3	1	33.33	78.04	-44.71
South Dakota	2	2	100.00	70.42	29.58
	Repor	0 0		vg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %

73.36

0.29

73.07

100.00 Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2014)

First Time Takers: 78

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Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Virginia	36	19	52.78	72.41	-19.63
Texas	7	5	71.43	77.42	-5.99
Florida	7	5	71.43	72.09	-0.66
North Carolina	3	2	66.67	69.12	-2.45
New York	3	1	33.33	78.60	-45.27
	Repor	0 0	School	Avg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %
	100	.00 62	2.79	74.61	-11.82

Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2013)

First Time Takers: 82

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Virginia	36	24	66.67	77.39	-10.72
North Carolina	8	5	62.50	69.22	-6.72
Florida	5	3	60.00	77.91	-17.91
Pennsylvania	4	3	75.00	81.26	-6.26
Maryland	4	3	75.00	80.60	-5.60
	Repor	0 0	School a	Avg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %
	100	.00 70	0.75	78.62	-7.87

^{* &}quot;Academic year" refers to the 2016 - 2017 academic year. ** "Calendar year" refers to the 2016 calendar year.