# **Celebrating 110 Years** SOUTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL

## 2021 ENTERING CLASS PROFILE





39%

**MEDIAN** 25% 75% 154 152 157



2,161
APPLICATIONS

973 OFFERS

380 STUDENTS

**LSAT** 

**GPA** 









41%



DAY

**EVENING SCALE** 

PLEAS/ PT DAY

**1ST GEN** POST-SECONDARY

**GRADUATED IN 2020** OR EARLIER



**FEMALE: 52% MALE: 42% UNDISCLOSED: 6%** 

**AVERAGE AGE: 26** AGE RANGE: 20-56 117 UNDERGRAD **SCHOOLS** 



**STATES** AND COUNTRIES



**51% DIVERSE** 



TOP 5 **FEEDER SCHOOLS** 

- UCLA Cal State Northridge USC
- UC Riverside UC Santa Barbara



- Political Science Psychology
- Other **Business**
- Administration History/Sociology

Note: Entering class information is current as of August 13, 2021; Details are available at www.swlaw.edu/entering-class-info.

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#### J.D. Programs

Southwestern is the only ABA-approved law school offering five J.D. programs:

- Full-time **Day** program | 3 academic years
  - Part-time **Evening** program | 4 academic years
- Part-time Day program (PLEAS) | 4 academic years
- **Accelerated Day** program (SCALE®) | 2 calendar years
- Concurrent J.D./M.B.A. and Executive M.B.A. programs

#### 6 CONCENTRATIONS

Civil Litigation and Advocacy, Criminal Law and Advocacy, Entertainment and Media Law, Labor and Employment Law, Public Interest Law, and Technology Law and Entrepreneurship

#### **Experiential Learning**

EXTERNSHIP. 500+ CLINICAL, AND **PRACTICUM PLACEMENTS** 

ADVOCACY TRACKS IN THE FIRST YEAR (APPELLATE, NEGOTIATION, OR TRIAL PRACTICE)

ON-CAMPUS CLINICAL PROGRAMS\*

\*Student-led clinics do not have classroom components.

#### **Tuition and Financial Aid**

Financial aid is available in the form of loans, workstudy, and institutional scholarships. Details are available at www.swlaw.edu/financial-aid.

FULL-TIME	PART-TIME	SCALE
\$55,316	\$36,894	\$77,712



Note: The above figures reflect tuition for the 2020-2021 academic year. Tuition and fees are subject to change. Visit www.swlaw.edu/admissions-financial-aid/tuition-fees for complete details and the most recent figures.

#### **Entering Student Scholarship Types**



All admitted students are considered for merit-based scholarships. Scholarships include partial- to full-tuition, on-campus housing, and book scholarships. Some scholarships are granted for the first year only and some are able to be renewed for subsequent years.

#### **Prospects for Admission**

GPA/LSAT	120-144	145-149	150-154	155-159	160-164	165-169	170+
3.75+							
3.5-3.74							
3.25-3.49							
3.0-3.24							
2.75-2.99							
2.5-2.74							
2.25-2.49							
2.0-2.24							

Possible Likely

#### **Application Deadlines**

- For new J.D. students: April 1
- For visiting and transfer J.D. students: Fall: July 15 Spring: December 1

Apply online at www.swlaw.edu/applyonline\*

\*Mandatory if seeking financial aid. Details at www.swlaw.edu/applicationprocess.

## Employment Statistics (10 months after graduation) for the Class of 2020



Unlikely



**EMPLOYED** 

LAW FIRMS

**PUBLIC** INTEREST BUSINESS/ INDUSTRY

GOVERNMENT