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State Student Concern Contact Information

This chart provides Online J.D. students with external complaint contacts. Students may raise concerns through Southwestern's Student Complaint and Grievance Policy and Procedures (Including Complaints Implicating ABA Standards). External agencies may have their own filing requirements; students should consult the relevant agency's current instructions. Southwestern does not require completion of its internal complaint process before an individual contacts the California Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE).

Alaska	Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education PO Box 110505 Juneau, Alaska 99811-0505 Phone: 907-465-6741
Arizona	Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education 1740 W. Adams St., Suite 3008 Phoenix, AZ 85007 Phone: 602-542-5709
Arkansas	Arkansas Division of Higher Education 423 Main St., Suite 400 Little Rock, AR 72201-3818 Phone: 501-371-2000
California	Southwestern Law School is BPPE-exempt under California Education Code section 94874(i) and maintains a BPPE state authorization agreement under section 94874.9 for review of institutional complaints.

	Southwestern does not require an individual to complete its internal complaint process before contacting BPPE. An individual may contact the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education for review of a complaint. The Bureau may be contacted at 1747 North Market Blvd., Suite 225, Sacramento, CA 95834, https://www.bppe.ca.gov, Telephone: (916) 574-8900, Fax: (916) 263-1897. Complaint instructions and the online filing option are available at https://www.bppe.ca.gov/enforcement/complaint.shtml. Written complaints may be mailed as directed by BPPE to P.O. Box 980818, West Sacramento, CA 95798-0818. BPPE's toll-free number is (888) 370-7589. For more information see: Student Complaint and Grievance Policy and Procedures (Including Complaints Implicating ABA Standards)
Colorado	Colorado Department of Higher Education Commission on Higher Education 1600 Broadway, Suite 2200 Denver, CO 80202 Phone: 303-862-3001
Connecticut	Emily Bjornberg Senior Consultant Academic Affairs Connecticut Office of Higher Education 450 Columbus Blvd., Suite 707 Hartford, CT 06103-1841 Emily.Bjornberg@ct.gov www.ohe.ct.gov Phone: 860-947-1824

Delaware	Delaware Department of Education The Townsend Building 401 Federal St., Suite 2 Dover, DE 19901-3639 Phone: 302-735-4000 For more on DE Student Complaint Policy click here: Delaware Student Complaints
Florida	Florida Department of Education Commission for Independent Education 325 W. Gaines St., Suite 1414 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400 Phone: 850-245-0505
Georgia	Georgia Nonpublic Postsecondary Education Commission 2082 E. Exchange Pl., Suite 220 Tucker, GA 30084 Phone: 770-414-3300
Hawaii	Business Registration Division of the Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs PO Box 40 Honolulu, HI 96810 Phone: 808-586-2727
Idaho	Idaho State Board of Education State Authorization Program Manager PO Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0037 Phone: 208-332-1587
Illinois	Illinois Board of Higher Education 1 N. Old State Capitol Plaza, Suite 333 Springfield, IL 62701-1377 Phone: 217-782-2551

Indiana	Board for Proprietary Education Indiana Commission for Higher Education 101 W. Ohio St., Suite 300 Indianapolis, IN 46204 Phone: 317-464-4400
Iowa	Iowa College Student Aid Commission 475 SW Fifth St., Suite D Des Moines, IA 50309 Phone: 877-272-4456
Kansas	The Kansas Board of Regents 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 520 Topeka, KS 66612-4240 Phone: 785-430-4240
Kentucky	Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education 100 Airport Rd. Frankfort, KY 40601 Phone: 502-573-1555
Louisiana	State of Louisiana Board of Regents 1201 N. Third St., Suite 6-200 Baton Rouge, LA 70802 Phone: 225-342-4253 Louisiana Alternate Contact: Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Section P.O. Box 94005 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9005 Phone: 225-326-6464 or 800-351-4889

Maine	Maine Department of Education 23 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0023 Phone: 207-624-6600 https://www.maine.gov/doe/home Maine Department of Education only hears procedural complaints about schools such as Southwestern Law School.
Maryland	Maryland Higher Education Commission 217 East Redwood Street, Suite 2100 Baltimore, MD 21201 Phone: 410-767-3300 collegiatecomplaint.mhec@maryland.gov Education agency website Maryland Alternate Contact: Maryland Office of the Attorney General 200 St. Paul Place Baltimore, MD 21202 Phone: 410-576-6300 or 888-743-0023
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Department of Higher Education One Ashburton Place, Suite 1401 Boston, MA 02108-1696 Phone: 617-994-6950
Michigan	Michigan Department of Education PO Box 30008 Lansing, MI 48909 Phone: 517-373-9235
Minnesota	Minnesota Office of Higher Education 1450 Energy Park Dr., Suite 350 St. Paul, MN 55108 Phone: 651-259-3975 or 800-657-3866

Mississippi	Mississippi Commission on College Accreditation 3825 Ridgewood Rd. Jackson, MS 39211 Phone: 601-432-6372
Missouri	Missouri Department of Higher Education & Workforce Development 301 W. High St. Jefferson City, MO 65101 Phone: 573- 751-2361
Montana	Montana University System Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education 560 N. Park Ave. PO Box 203201 Helena, MT 59620-3201 Phone: 406-449-9124
Nebraska	Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education ATTN: Complaints PO Box 95005 Lincoln, NE 68509-5005 Phone: 402-471-2847
Nevada	Nevada Commission on Postsecondary Education 2800 E. St. Louis Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89104 Phone: 702-486-7330

New Hampshire	New Hampshire Department of Education 101 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301-3494 Phone: 603-271-3494

New Jersey	New Jersey Office of the Secretary of Higher Education ATTN: Complaints P.O. Box 542 Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0542 Phone: 609-292-4310
New Mexico	New Mexico Higher Education Department 2044 Galisteo St., Suite 4 Santa Fe, NM 87505-2100 Phone: 505-476-8400
North Carolina	North Carolina Post-Secondary Education Complaints 910 Raleigh Road Chapel Hill, NC 27514 Phone: 919-962-4558 North Carolina Alternate Contact: North Carolina Department of Justice External link:open_in_new Consumer Protection Division Attorney General's Office Mail Service Center 9001 Raleigh, NC 27699-9001 Phone: 877-566-7226 or 919-716-6000 (En Español 919-716-0058)
North Dakota	North Dakota University System Core Technology Services 2000 44th St. SW, Suite 301 Fargo, ND 58103
Ohio	Ohio Department of Higher Education 25 South Front Street Columbus, OH 43215 Phone: 614-728-3095

Oklahoma	Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education 655 Research Pkwy, Suite 200 Oklahoma City, OK 73104-3603 Phone: 405-225-9100 or 405-225-9142
Oregon	Oregon Higher Education Coordinating Commission 3225 25th Street SE Salem, Oregon 97302 Phone: 503-947-2448
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania Department of Education Office of Chief Counsel 333 Market Street, 9th Floor Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333 Phone: 717-783-6788
Rhode Island	Rhode Island Office of the Postsecondary Education Commission 560 Jefferson Blvd. Warwick, RI 02886-1304 Phone: 401-736-1100
South Carolina	South Carolina Commission on Higher Education 1122 Lady Street Suite 300 Columbia, SC 29201 Phone: 803-737-3918
Tennessee	Tennessee Higher Education Commission & Student Assistance Corporation Parkway Towers, Suite 1900 404 James Robertson Pkwy Nashville, TN 37243-0830 Phone: 615-741-5293 or 615-253-8857

Texas	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Office of General Counsel P.O. Box 12788 Austin, TX 78711-2788 Phone: 512-427-6101 Texas Alternate Contact #2: Texas Office of the Attorney General Consumer Protection Division P.O. Box 12548 Austin, TX 78711-2548
Utah	Utah System of Higher Education State Board of Regents 60 South 400 West Salt Lake City, UT 84101-1284 Phone: 801-321-7200 or 1-800-418-8757
Vermont	Vermont Agency of Education 219 North Main St., Suite 402 Barre, VT 05641 Phone: 802-479-1030 Vermont Alternate Contact:
	Vermont Attorney General's Office 109 State Street Montpelier, VT 05609-1001 Phone: 802-828-3171
Virginia	State Council of Higher Education for Virginia James Monroe Building 101 N. 14th St., 10th Floor Richmond, VA 23219 Phone: 804-225-2600
Washington	Washington Student Achievement Council 917 Lakeridge Way SW Olympia, WA 98502 Phone: 360-753-7625

Washington, DC	Office of the State Superintendent of Education Higher Education Licensure Commission 1050 First St. NE Washington, DC 20002 Phone: 202-724-7860
West Virginia	West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission 1018 Kanawha Boulevard East, Suite 700 Charleston, WV 25301 Phone: 304-558-2101
Wisconsin	Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services Educational Approval Program P.O. Box 8366 Madison, WI 53708-8366 Phone: 608-266-1996
Wyoming	Wyoming Department of Education 122 W. 25th St., Suite E200 Cheyenne, WY 82002 Phone: 307-777-7675