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LAW SCHOOL
Los Angeles, CA



Southwestern empowers students with a high-value legal education and a robust professional network, ensuring exceptional career outcomes within a community that champions both academic excellence and personal growth.

SWLAW AT-A-GLANCE

THRIVE HERE

A campus just steps away from courts, studios, public-interest powerhouses, and law firms of all varieties. A student body that brings real-world experience, academic pedigree, and a keen sense of justice.

My time at Southwestern has been immensely rewarding. What I cherish the most are the meaningful connections and lasting friendships I've made along the way. I am especially thankful for the faculty, staff, and advisors whose guidance and support have played a pivotal role in shaping my law school experience."

Dana Jacinto '27

Dean's Leadership Academy; Staff Editor, *Law Review*;
Contract Analyst, New Line Cinema Legal Affairs



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J.D. Programs |
Concentrations

50%

of Online J.D. Students
Live Outside of CA

3rd

Largest Legal Market:
Los Angeles

42%

First-Gen
College Student

SUCCEED HERE

380+

Externships Annually

50 | 42

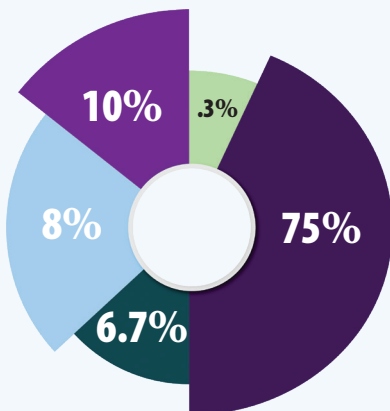
Number of States | Countries
Where Alums Reside

255 | 176

Number of L.A. County
District Attorneys |
Public Defenders

95%

Employment Rate for
Class of 2024 Bar Passers
(as of March 17, 2025)



Southwestern prepared me for the challenge and rigor of working at a well-regarded national law firm by teaching me practical skills, whether it's drafting a good motion or speaking with a client, that were directly translatable to my tasks as a clerk."

Julianna Montano '25
A National Jurist Law Student of the Year &
Summer Associate, Nelson Mullins



INVEST IN YOURSELF HERE

Choose Southwestern—a school that invests in you. With engaged financial aid counselors, numerous scholarship opportunities, and funding programs that support your learning and professional development, you'll find practical support at every stage.

295

'24-'25 Renewable
Scholarships
Awarded to
Entering Students

≈76%

of Students Received
an '24-'25 Institutional
Scholarship

\$89k+

Awarded Supporting
40+ Bar Success Fund
Scholars in '25-'26

100%

of Students Receive
Individualized
Financial Aid &
Budget Counseling



The scholarships I received will allow me to graduate with significantly less debt and focus on helping my parents in the future and my younger brother. And one day, I'll be able to give back and pay forward the support that made my journey possible."

Levy Pekler '27
Dean's Leadership Academy;
Staff Editor, *Law Review*; Junior Advocate,
Trial Advocacy Honors Program

