COLLEGE OF LAW FALL 2014 STATISTICS

ENTERING CLASS 139

STUDENT BODY 611

43% MALE 57% FEMALE

DIVERSITY 23%

LSAT 25% 50% 75%

GPA 25% 50% 75%

RESIDENCY: 41% OUTSIDE OF LOUISIANA (INCLUDING FOREIGN COUNTRIES)

25%

50%

75%

150

153

157

2.84

3.15

3.47

Tuition, Fees & Scholarship
First Year FT: $42,000
First Year PT: $31,500
Fees: $1,380

J.D./M.B.A.
J.D./M.P.A.
J.D./Master of Urban and Regional Planning

Areas of Specialization and Certificate Programs
Admiralty (Maritime)
Civil Law (Certificate)
Common Law (Certificate)
Corporate Law
Environmental Law (Certificate)
International Legal Studies (Certificate)
Law, Technology and Entrepreneurship (Certificate)
Public Interest Law
Social Justice (Certificate)
Tax Law (Certificate)

Application Requirements
Online Application (www.lsac.org)
Personal Statement
Current LSAT Score
Two Letters of Recommendation
Official Transcripts
CAS Report Through the LSAC
Résumé (optional, but encouraged)

Application fees for 2014-15 have been waived.

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CIVIL LAW and COMMON LAW

Louisiana is the only Civil Law jurisdiction in the country, meaning that disputes in the private sector are primarily settled by reference to the Louisiana Civil Code. The other 49 states are Common Law jurisdictions, where disputes are resolved by legal precedents created by judicial decisions over time. At Loyola College of Law, students can choose to focus their studies on a Civil Law curriculum or a Common Law curriculum, depending on where they intend to practice. Should a student wish to develop competency for both kinds of jurisdiction, the student may focus their core curriculum in Civil Law and obtain a Common Law Certificate or focus on Common Law and receive a Civil Law certificate.

To earn the Civil Law Certificate, Common Law students must take Civil Law Property, Conventional Obligations, and one of the following: Successions, Sales and Leases, Civil Law of Persons, Louisiana Donations and Trusts, Community Property, Security Rights.

To earn the Common Law Certificate, Civil Law students must take Common Law Property II, Commercial Transactions, and one of the following: Contracts II, Common Law Property I, Trusts and Estates, Secured Transactions.

Both certificates require a student to satisfy the Perspective Course requirement by taking either Western Legal Tradition (3 hrs.) or Comparative Law (3 hrs.).

EXPLORE NEW ORLEANS

Loyola's College of Law is located Uptown on St. Charles Avenue. Uptown is full of life, history, and character, and is only a streetcar ride away from the historic French Quarter.

Business Facilities magazine ranked New Orleans the 5th best city for Economic Growth Potential and Louisiana the number one Best Business Climate in the U.S.A., August 2014.

New Orleans was named the 5th Friendliest City in the U.S. by Conde Nast Traveler, August 2014.

Forbes recognized New Orleans as one of America's New Brainpower Cities, April 2014.

In the January issue of Food & Wine, New Orleans was the “clear favorite” for the top dining city, January 2014.