

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE 2010 ENTERING CLASS

SEATTLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW / OFFICE OF ADMISSION

901 12TH AVENUE, SEATTLE, WA 98122-1090

Thank you for your interest in the Seattle University School of Law. In addition to completing this form, you must submit the following materials: • \$60 application fee • a typed and signed **personal statement** • a **resume** • **two letters of reference** which must be sent directly by your references to the Law Services Recommendation Service. **Please refer to the Entrance section of the School of Law Bulletin for complete instructions.** When completing this application form, please type or print. **Answer every question, even if the information requested is contained elsewhere in your applicant file.** If applying electronically, use an electronic attachment for personal statement and resume; print out and sign the Certification Letter and mail it along with the application fee to the School of Law.

The application deadline is March 1.

This is my first application to the School of Law

I previously applied for admission to the School of Law
Year _____ Admitted Not admitted

1. _____
LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL GENDER

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (OPTIONAL, but recommended for those applying for financial aid)

If you have ever used any other preferred first or last name(s), please indicate it/them here:

If you have an e-mail address, please write it here:

LSDAS Number: _____
(REQUIRED, if you do not provide a social security number)

2. Mailing address _____
STREET CITY STATE/ZIP AREA CODE/PHONE

3. If the above address will change prior to enrollment, please indicate when your new address becomes effective _____
MONTH / DAY / YEAR

New address _____
STREET CITY STATE/ZIP AREA CODE/PHONE

4. What is your state of permanent residence? _____ 5. U.S. Citizen Yes No _____
(please list current status)

6. Have you ever taken the Law School Admission Test? Yes Score _____ Date _____ Score _____ Date _____
 No, I will take it (month/year) _____ However, I plan to **retake** it (month/year) _____

7. Please list your academic honors and/or academic honor societies: _____ 8. What is your undergraduate GPA on a 4-point scale? _____

9. Please check the appropriate box below (refer to the Entrance section of the School of Law Bulletin for enrollment options). I plan to begin classes:
 In the **summer** and then take **day-only** courses during fall and spring (**FULL-TIME, SUMMER ENTRY**)
 In the **summer** and then take **night-only** courses during my first year (**PART-TIME, SUMMER ENTRY**)
 In the **fall** and enroll in **day-only** courses during my first year (**FULL-TIME, FALL ENTRY**)

I am applying as a **TRANSFER** student and wish to begin classes
(term and year) _____

I am applying as a **VISITING** student and wish to begin classes
(term and year) _____

10. Please list all colleges and universities you have attended. List undergraduate school(s) first. *(Use an additional sheet if necessary.)*

DEGREE / DATE	SCHOOL	CITY / STATE	DATES ATTENDED	MAJOR

11. If you have applied or intend to apply for admission to any other law school(s), please list below. *(Use an additional sheet if necessary.)*

Ensuring student diversity is a key admission goal. Therefore, we request (but do not require) that you answer questions 12, 12a, 12b, 12c and 12d below. You may elaborate on these and any other aspects of your background that might contribute to a diverse student body.

12. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No If yes, please specify _____

12a. Please identify your ethnicity (you may check more than one):

Black/African American Caucasian Asian/Pacific Islander (please specify) _____

Native American/Alaskan Native (tribe/village) _____ Other (please specify) _____

Are you an enrolled member (or eligible for enrollment)? Yes No

Enrollment number/CDIB _____ Prefer not to specify

(If you identify yourself as a member of a racial or ethnic minority group, you may wish to include in your personal statement information on your particular family background, cultural organization/associations you have been affiliated with, etc.)

12b. Age _____ Date of birth _____

12c. Veteran Yes (status) _____ No

12d. If you have any special circumstances that you believe merit consideration, please check here . Enclose a full explanation. If you are sending your application electronically via LSAC, please use an electronic attachment.

13. In addition to statistical indicators, the personal accomplishments and public service records of each applicant weigh heavily in admission decisions. Please list here up to three achievements that you consider to be your most significant.

14. Please enclose with the application a **2- or 3-page personal statement**. You may wish to expand on significant achievements, share your own reasons for pursuing a law degree, or discuss other personal or professional information to which you wish to give special attention. We ask that your statement be typed, double-spaced, and signed. If you are sending your application electronically via LSAC, please use an electronic attachment and electronic signature certification.

15. Please enclose with the application a brief, **typewritten résumé**. If submitting electronically, use an electronic attachment for your resume.

16. Present employer _____
NAME OF FIRM YOUR POSITION

STREET CITY STATE/ZIP AREA CODE/PHONE

17. If you have at any time attended another law school (including summer conditional and non-accredited programs), check here . State the name of the school, dates attended, and your reason for leaving below. Use additional sheets or electronic attachments, as necessary. **Please have the Dean or other authorized person mail a letter regarding your eligibility to return to that school, along with a transcript from that law school showing grades for all courses attempted, directly to our law school.**

18. If you have ever been placed on probation, suspended, dismissed from, or otherwise sanctioned at any institution of higher education for any reason, please check this box . On a separate sheet or electronic attachment, state fully the facts and disposition of your case.

19. If you have ever been charged or convicted of a felony, misdemeanor, or other crime, check this box . On a separate sheet or electronic attachment, enclose a full explanation. You must provide this information even if the conviction(s) have been expunged.

20. Please ask two persons well-acquainted with you (who are not relatives by blood or marriage) to complete and submit their written recommendation directly to the LSAC Recommendation Service.

21. Please complete the following inquiry. **I first learned about the School of Law from:**

ABA-LSAC Official Guide to ABA-Approved Law Schools A School of Law representative at _____

A currently enrolled law student (name) _____ An unsolicited law school mailing _____

A pre-law adviser at (school) _____ A Seattle University law graduate (name) _____

The Internet _____ Other (please specify) _____

22. If a member of your immediate family is a graduate or a current student of this law school, check this box . State the name(s) and the relation to you _____

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for admission to the Seattle University School of Law. **I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all the above statements and supporting documents are correct and complete.** I understand that failure to respond to questions included in this application in a factual and forthright manner may disqualify me from admission to the Seattle University School of Law, and that such action may be taken by the law school prior to or following an offer of admission. I agree to notify the School of Law of any changes occurring subsequent to submission of my application and, if accepted, prior to my enrollment, if the change would cause my application to be incomplete or inaccurate. I further understand that my misconduct will be reported to the appropriate agencies. Finally, I understand that the materials contained in my application file become the property of the Seattle University School of Law.

SIGNATURE (If submitting electronically via LSAC, print the certification letter and send it to the Law School with your application fee.)

DATE