

University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law
Class of 2021 Summary Report

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 125							
Gender Reported:							
Women	61	53.0	41	50,000	59,500	85,000	71,053
Men	52	45.2	20	51,000	61,250	95,166	79,355
Non-binary or Chose to Self-identify	2	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	115	100.0					
Race Reported:							
People of Color	18	15.8	7	47,000	65,000	125,000	79,619
White/Caucasian	96	84.2	51	50,000	59,500	85,000	71,676
Subtotal	114	100.0					
Gender & Race Reported:							
Women of Color	10	9.0	6	47,000	56,500	125,000	76,667
Men of Color	7	6.3	.	.	.	.	.
White/Caucasian Women	49	44.1	34	50,000	57,250	72,000	68,182
White/Caucasian Men	43	38.7	17	50,000	60,000	93,000	78,663
White/Caucasian Non-binary or Chose to Self-identify	2	1.8	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	111	100.0					
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	84	67.2	58	50,000	60,000	90,000	73,138
JD Advantage	14	11.2	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional	10	8.0	.	.	.	.	.
Other Position	2	1.6	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after March 15, 2022	1	0.8	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	14	11.2	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	125	100.0					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. At least 5 salaries are required for each salary analysis. The women category includes graduates reporting a gender identity of woman or trans woman and the men category includes graduates reporting a gender identity of man or trans man. Salaries for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.							

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Total Employed or Enrolled in Graduate Studies:							
Employed	110	88.0	64	50,000	60,000	90,000	74,145
Subtotal	110	88.0					
Employment by Sector:							
Private Sector	73	66.4	40	57,500	72,000	125,000	88,408
Public Sector	37	33.6	24	47,500	50,000	54,489	50,373
Subtotal	110	100.0					
Full-time or Part-time Job Status:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated: Full-time	83	75.5	58	50,000	60,000	90,000	73,138
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated: Part-time	1	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage: Full-time	13	11.8	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage: Part-time	1	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional: Full-time	6	5.5	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional: Part-time	4	3.6	.	.	.	.	.
Other Position: Full-time	2	1.8	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	110	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	2	1.8	.	.	.	.	.
Business	19	17.3	5	72,000	97,332	100,000	108,266
Judicial Clerk	12	10.9	8	45,000	46,500	50,650	47,288
Private Practice	54	49.1	35	55,000	70,000	125,000	85,571
Government	15	13.6	10	50,000	54,489	59,700	53,518
Public Interest	8	7.3	6	48,408	49,204	50,310	49,246
Subtotal	110	100.0					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. At least 5 salaries are required for each salary analysis. Private sector includes jobs in law firms and business. All other jobs are considered public sector. Employment by sector does not include graduates for whom employer type was not reported. Salaries for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.							

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Education Jobs:							
JD Advantage	1	50.0
Other Professional	1	50.0
Subtotal	2	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	4	21.1
JD Advantage	7	36.8
Other Professional	6	31.6
Other Position	2	10.5
Subtotal	19	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	51	94.4	35	55,000	70,000	125,000	85,571
JD Advantage	3	5.6
Subtotal	54	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	11	73.3	7	53,000	59,500	60,000	57,314
JD Advantage	2	13.3
Other Professional	2	13.3
Subtotal	15	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	1	8.3
State	11	91.7	7	45,000	46,000	49,300	44,757
Subtotal	12	100.0					
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Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	6	75.0	6	48,408	49,204	50,310	49,246
JD Advantage	1	12.5
Other Professional	1	12.5
Subtotal	8	100.0					
Size of Law Firm (by # of Attorneys):							
1-10	29	53.7	18	50,000	55,000	60,000	57,750
11-25	6	11.1
26-50	2	3.7
51-100	2	3.7
101-250	3	5.6
251-500	4	7.4
501+	6	11.1	5	135,000	135,000	140,000	141,000
Solo practitioner	2	3.7
Subtotal	54	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate/Entry-level Attorney	50	92.6	34	55,000	66,250	125,000	83,971
Staff Attorney	1	1.9
Law Clerk	2	3.7
Paralegal	1	1.9
Subtotal	54	100.0					
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Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	1	0.9
E North Central	1	0.9
W North Central	96	87.3	58	50,000	60,000	93,000	75,764
South Atlantic	7	6.4
E South Central	1	0.9
W South Central	1	0.9
Mountain	2	1.8
Non-US locations	1	0.9
Subtotal	110	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	82	74.5	50	49,300	59,600	97,332	75,646
Out of State	28	25.5	14	55,000	62,500	72,000	68,784
Subtotal	110	100.0					
# States and Territories with Employed Grads:							
	13
Total #	13	.					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported
Source of Job:		
On-campus interview (OCI) program	8	11.4
Job fair/consortia	1	1.4
Responded to career services office job posting	12	17.1
Job posted online or in print	12	17.1
Returned to or continued with pre-law school employer	1	1.4
Referral	20	28.6
Started own practice or business	4	5.7
Self-initiated contact/networking	11	15.7
Other	1	1.4
Subtotal	70	100.0
Timing of Job Offer:		
Before graduation	40	41.2
After graduation	57	58.8
Subtotal	97	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads:		
Seeking a different job	18	16.7
Not seeking a different job	90	83.3
Subtotal	108	100.0
Note: Figures are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs. Timing of job offer figures exclude any graduates starting their own practice.		

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	Number of Jobs Reported as:	
	Long-term (1+ years)	Short-term (Less than 1 year)
Duration of Jobs by Employer Type:		
Education	2	.
Business	16	3
Judicial Clerk	11	1
Private Practice	52	2
Government	14	1
Public Interest	8	.
Total Reported	103	7
Note: Figures for job duration are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs. The count of jobs funded by the law school is a total, regardless of duration.		

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