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			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Total Employed or Continuing Studies Full-time:</b>							
Continuing Studies Full-time	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
Employed	59	88.1	45	47,000	50,000	55,000	51,937
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>89.6</b>					
<b>Employment by Sector</b>							
Private Sector	35	59.3	23	50,000	50,000	55,000	52,739
Public Sector	24	40.7	22	42,000	50,000	56,000	51,098
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Full-time/Part-time Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Full-time	43	72.9	39	45,000	50,000	55,000	51,799
JD Advantage-Full-time	11	18.6	6	52,000	55,000	56,000	52,833
JD Advantage-Part-time	2	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Full-time	2	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Part-time	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Employment Categories:</b>							
Business	6	10.2	.	.	.	.	.
Judicial Clerk	2	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Private Practice	29	49.2	20	50,000	50,000	55,000	52,500
Government	13	22.0	12	42,000	48,500	57,500	50,580
Public Interest	9	15.3	8	49,500	52,000	55,500	51,875
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis.							

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<b>Business Jobs:</b>							
JD Advantage	3	50.0	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	3	50.0	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Private Practice Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	24	82.8	20	50,000	50,000	55,000	52,500
JD Advantage	5	17.2	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Government Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	11	84.6	11	42,000	50,000	60,000	51,450
JD Advantage	2	15.4	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Judicial Clerkships:</b>							
Federal	1	50.0	.	.	.	.	.
Local	1	50.0	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Public Interest Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	6	66.7	6	49,000	50,000	54,000	50,333
JD Advantage	3	33.3	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Size of Firm (by # of Attorney):</b>							
1-10	16	55.2	11	45,000	50,000	50,000	49,000
11-25	9	31.0	7	50,000	55,000	60,000	57,000
26-50	1	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
101-250	1	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Solo practitioner	2	6.9	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Type of Law Firm Job:</b>							
Associate	24	82.8	20	50,000	50,000	55,000	52,500
Law Clerk	5	17.2	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Jobs Taken by Region:</b>							
Mid-Atlantic	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
E North Central	53	91.4	40	46,000	50,000	55,000	51,305
W North Central	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	1	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Location of Jobs:</b>							
In-State	50	86.2	38	45,000	50,000	55,000	51,242
Out of State	8	13.8	7	49,000	56,000	61,200	55,708
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b># States and Territories w/Employed Grads:</b>							
	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>						
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis.							

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	Number Reported	% of Reported
<b>Source of Job</b>		
Fall OCI	1	1.7
Job fair/consortia	1	1.7
Job posting in CSO	22	37.9
Job posted online or in print	6	10.3
Return to prior job	5	8.6
Referral	10	17.2
Start own practice or business	2	3.4
Self-initiated/letter	10	17.2
Temp agency	1	1.7
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Timing of Job Offer</b>		
Before graduation	27	47.4
After graduation	30	52.6
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Search Status of Employed Grads</b>		
Seeking a different job	6	10.3
Not seeking a different job	52	89.7
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<p>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.</p>		

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	Number of Jobs Reported as:	
	Long-term (1+ years)	Short-term (Less than 1 year)
<b>Duration of Jobs by Employer Type</b>		
Business	5	1
Judicial Clerk	2	.
Private Practice	28	1
Government	13	.
Public Interest	9	.
<b>Total Reported</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School</b>		
	1	.
<b>Total Reported</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.</b>
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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**Table 12**

**Source of Job by Employer Type**

Source of Job by Employer Type	Business		Judicial clerkship		Law firms of 50 or fewer		Law firms of 51 or more	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	1	50.0	11	40.7	0	0
Pre-law school employer	2	33.3	0	0	3	11.1	0	0
Referral from friend	0	0	0	0	8	29.6	0	0
Letter/self-initiated	1	16.7	0	0	3	11.1	1	100.0
Temp agency or legal search	1	16.7	0	0	0	0	0	0
All other	2	33.3	1	50.0	2	7.4	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source of Job by Employer Type	Government		Public interest		All Employer Types*	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	1	7.7	0	0	1	1.7
Job Posting in CSO	6	46.2	4	44.4	22	37.9
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	5	8.6
Referral from friend	1	7.7	1	11.1	10	17.2
Letter/self-initiated	3	23.1	2	22.2	10	17.2
Temp agency or legal search	0	0	0	0	1	1.7
All other	2	15.4	2	22.2	9	15.5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>100.0</b>

*\* Excludes jobs for which a source, employer type, or firm size was not reported.*

*"Other" also includes job fairs, spring OCI, non-CSO job sites and postings, and the self-employed.*

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*Table 13*

*Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State*

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
Mid Atlantic	New York	1	1.7
		1	1.7
E. North Central	Illinois	50	86.2
	Michigan	1	1.7
	Wisconsin	2	3.4
		53	91.4
W. North Central	Missouri	1	1.7
		1	1.7
South Atlantic	Maryland	1	1.7
		1	1.7
W. South Central	Texas	1	1.7
		1	1.7
Pacific	California	1	1.7
		1	1.7
<i>TOTAL</i>		58	100.0

*Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.*

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*Table 14*

*Location of Instate Jobs*

<b>In-state location</b>	<b># of Jobs</b>	<b>% of Jobs</b>
Aurora	2	4.0
Chicago	5	10.0
De Kalb	2	4.0
Decatur	1	2.0
Joliet	2	4.0
Naperville	2	4.0
Other/unknown Illinois	17	34.0
Rockford	11	22.0
Springfield	3	6.0
Wheaton	5	10.0
	<b>50</b>	<b>100.0</b>

*Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.*

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*Table 15*

*Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type*

Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type	Full-time		Part-time		All	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Business	5	83.3	1	16.7	6	100.0
Judicial clerkship	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Law firm	27	93.1	2	6.9	29	100.0
Government	13	100.0	0	0	13	100.0
Public interest	9	100.0	0	0	9	100.0

*This table excludes jobs for which full or part-time information was not reported.*

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