

University of Denver College of Law
Class of 2017 Summary Report

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 252							
Gender Reported:							
Women							
Men							
Subtotal							
Race Reported:							
Minority							
Non-minority							
Subtotal							
Gender & Race Reported:							
Minority Women							
Minority Men							
Non-minority Women							
Non-minority Men							
Subtotal							
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	193	77.5	142	53,000	60,000	90,000	76,140
JD Advantage	33	13.3	25	49,000	60,000	65,000	76,915
Other Professional	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/2018	4	1.6	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	12	4.8	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Not Seeking	6	2.4	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal		249	100.0				
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis. Employment by sector does not include graduates for whom employer type was not reported.							

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Total Employed or Continuing Studies Full-time:							
Employed	227	91.2	168	52,185	60,000	87,000	76,040
Subtotal	227	91.2					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	127	55.9	88	60,000	77,500	126,250	94,354
Public Sector	100	44.1	80	48,250	56,676	60,000	55,894
Subtotal	227	100.0					
Full-time/Part-time Jobs:							
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Full-time	183	80.6	142	53,000	60,000	90,000	76,140
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Part-time	10	4.4	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage-Full-time	26	11.5	25	49,000	60,000	65,000	76,915
JD Advantage-Part-time	7	3.1	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-Full-time	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	227	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
Business	26	11.5	19	55,000	70,000	120,000	94,784
Judicial Clerk	25	11.0	19	44,000	45,000	52,000	46,544
Private Practice	101	44.5	69	60,000	80,000	130,000	94,235
Government	46	20.3	35	50,000	58,000	67,000	59,236
Public Interest	27	11.9	24	57,276	57,276	57,276	55,998
Subtotal	227	100.0					
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Education Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	1	50.0
JD Advantage	1	50.0
Subtotal	2	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	10	38.5	7	70,000	91,800	120,000	96,186
JD Advantage	15	57.7	11	49,000	60,000	150,000	98,873
Other Professional	1	3.8
Subtotal	26	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	97	96.0	67	60,000	84,000	130,000	95,377
JD Advantage	4	4.0
Subtotal	101	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	36	78.3	26	52,370	58,500	67,000	60,961
JD Advantage	10	21.7	9	48,000	53,900	60,000	54,252
Subtotal	46	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
State	24	96.0	19	44,000	45,000	52,000	46,544
Local	1	4.0
Subtotal	25	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	24	88.9	22	57,276	57,276	57,276	55,407
JD Advantage	3	11.1	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	27	100.0					
Size of Firm (by # of Attorney):							
1-10	52	51.5	32	57,620	65,000	87,000	76,164
11-25	13	12.9	9	50,000	57,000	70,000	58,889
26-50	5	5.0	.	.	.	.	.
51-100	2	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
101-250	8	7.9	8	120,000	127,500	135,000	127,500
251-500	3	3.0	.	.	.	.	.
501+	12	11.9	11	130,000	145,000	180,000	144,909
Solo practitioner	6	5.9	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	101	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate	91	90.1	64	64,000	84,000	130,000	96,848
Staff Attorney	4	4.0
Law Clerk	4	4.0
Paralegal	2	2.0
Subtotal	101	100.0					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
Mid-Atlantic	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
E North Central	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
W North Central	5	2.2	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	8	3.5	8	47,000	62,500	83,000	70,000
E South Central	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	6	2.6	5	52,870	53,000	63,000	54,774
Mountain	199	87.7	145	53,900	60,000	84,000	76,060
Pacific	2	0.9	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	227	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	191	84.1	140	53,950	60,000	90,000	76,798
Out of State	36	15.9	28	49,500	63,242	72,500	72,248
Subtotal	227	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	25	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	25	.					
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
Source of Job		
Fall OCI	17	9.0
Job fair/consortia	1	0.5
Job posting in CSO	37	19.6
Job posted online or in print	13	6.9
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	1	0.5
Return to prior job	12	6.3
Referral	33	17.5
Start own practice or business	7	3.7
Self-initiated/letter	37	19.6
Spring OCI	1	0.5
Other	30	15.9
Subtotal	189	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
Before graduation	108	49.1
After graduation	112	50.9
Subtotal	220	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	28	12.6
Not seeking a different job	195	87.4
Subtotal	223	100.0
<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)
Duration of Jobs by Employer Type		
Education	2	.
Business	26	.
Judicial Clerk	25	.
Private Practice	100	1
Government	39	7
Public Interest	26	1
Total Reported	218	9
Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School		
	14	.
Total Reported	14	.
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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Source of Job by Employer Type

Source of Job by Employer Type	Education		Business		Judicial clerkship		Law firms of 50 or fewer	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	0	0	1	3.8	0	0	1	1.5
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	6	23.1	3	16.7	9	13.4
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	1	5.6	0	0
Pre-law school employer	1	50.0	1	3.8	1	5.6	8	11.9
Referral from friend	0	0	7	26.9	2	11.1	15	22.4
Letter/self-initiated	1	50.0	2	7.7	5	27.8	14	20.9
All other	0	0	9	34.6	6	33.3	20	29.9
TOTAL	2	100.0	26	100.0	18	100.0	67	100.0

Source of Job by Employer Type	Law firms of 51 or more		Government		Public interest		All Employer Types*	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	15	65.2	0	0	0	0	17	9.0
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	19	52.8	0	0	37	19.6
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	1	5.9	12	6.3
Referral from friend	3	13.0	1	2.8	5	29.4	33	17.5
Letter/self-initiated	1	4.3	8	22.2	6	35.3	37	19.6
All other	4	17.4	8	22.2	5	29.4	52	27.5
TOTAL	23	100.0	36	100.0	17	100.0	189	100.0

** 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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Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
New England	Massachusetts	1	0.4
		1	0.4
Mid Atlantic	New Jersey	1	0.4
	New York	1	0.4
		2	0.9
E. North Central	Indiana	1	0.4
	Michigan	1	0.4
		2	0.9
W. North Central	Kansas	1	0.4
	Minnesota	1	0.4
	Missouri	1	0.4
	Nebraska	2	0.9
		5	2.2
South Atlantic	Washington, DC	2	0.9
	Florida	3	1.3
	North Carolina	2	0.9
	Virginia	1	0.4
		8	3.5
E. South Central	Alabama	1	0.4
	Kentucky	1	0.4
		2	0.9
W. South Central	Louisiana	1	0.4
	Oklahoma	1	0.4
	Texas	4	1.8
		6	2.6
Mountain	Arizona	3	1.3
	Colorado	191	84.1
	Montana	1	0.4
	New Mexico	1	0.4
	Utah	2	0.9

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

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Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
	Wyoming	1	0.4
		199	87.7
Pacific	California	2	0.9
		2	0.9
<i>TOTAL</i>		227	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

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Location of Instate Jobs

In-state location	# of Jobs	% of Jobs
Aurora	2	1.0
Boulder	5	2.6
Colorado Springs	7	3.7
Denver	102	53.4
Englewood	4	2.1
Fort Collins	2	1.0
Grand Junction	4	2.1
Greeley	7	3.7
Lakewood	4	2.1
Littleton	4	2.1
Longmont	1	0.5
Other/unknown Colorado	49	25.7
	191	100.0

Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.

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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
Education	2	100.0	0	0	2	100.0
Business	23	88.5	3	11.5	26	100.0
Judicial clerkship	25	100.0	0	0	25	100.0
Law firm	95	94.1	6	5.9	101	100.0
Government	39	84.8	7	15.2	46	100.0
Public interest	26	96.3	1	3.7	27	100.0

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

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