

*The University of Mississippi School 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 = 119							
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	76	63.9	55	48,000	64,000	75,000	64,006
JD Advantage	13	10.9	5	45,000	48,000	69,950	56,190
Other Professional	2	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	4	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Continuing Studies Full-time	4	3.4	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/2018	3	2.5	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	15	12.6	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Not Seeking	2	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal		119	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:							
Continuing Studies Full-time	4	3.4
Employed	95	79.8	62	48,000	61,000	70,000	62,464
Subtotal	99	83.2					
Employment by Sector							
Private Sector	59	62.1	35	48,000	70,000	80,000	68,629
Public Sector	36	37.9	27	45,000	53,000	64,290	54,473
Subtotal	95	100.0					
Full-time/Part-time Jobs:							
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Full-time	74	77.9	55	48,000	64,000	75,000	64,006
Bar Passage Req/Anticipated-Part-time	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage-Full-time	13	13.7	5	45,000	48,000	69,950	56,190
Other Professional-Full-time	1	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional-Part-time	1	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Full-time	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional-Part-time	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	95	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	3	3.2	.	.	.	.	.
Business	13	13.7	6	48,000	55,750	70,000	54,083
Judicial Clerk	14	14.7	13	51,000	53,000	60,200	53,996
Private Practice	46	48.4	29	55,000	70,000	85,000	71,638
Government	11	11.6	8	43,500	64,645	67,154	59,450
Public Interest	8	8.4
Subtotal	95	100.0					
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Education Jobs:							
JD Advantage	2	66.7
Other Professional	1	33.3
Subtotal	3	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	4	30.8
JD Advantage	5	38.5
Other Professional	1	7.7
Non-professional	3	23.1
Subtotal	13	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	45	97.8	29	55,000	70,000	85,000	71,638
JD Advantage	1	2.2
Subtotal	46	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	6	54.5	6	42,000	64,645	65,000	57,600
JD Advantage	5	45.5
Subtotal	11	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	7	50.0	6	60,000	62,100	64,000	60,808
State	7	50.0	7	45,000	51,000	53,000	48,157
Subtotal	14	100.0					
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Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	7	87.5
Non-professional	1	12.5
Subtotal	8	100.0					
Size of Firm (by # of Attorney):							
1-10	22	47.8	10	38,000	48,000	70,000	49,800
11-25	6	13.0	5	60,000	65,000	70,000	61,400
26-50	4	8.7
51-100	4	8.7
101-250	3	6.5
251-500	3	6.5
501+	1	2.2
Solo practitioner	3	6.5
Subtotal	46	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate	42	91.3	28	57,500	70,000	92,500	73,125
Staff Attorney	1	2.2
Law Clerk	3	6.5
Subtotal	46	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	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Mid-Atlantic	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
E North Central	1	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
W North Central	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	15	15.8	9	48,000	48,000	64,290	52,938
E South Central	63	66.3	41	51,000	60,200	80,000	65,603
W South Central	5	5.3	.	.	.	.	.
Mountain	2	2.1	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	4	4.2	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	95	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	46	48.4	29	52,000	60,200	75,000	64,722
Out of State	49	51.6	33	43,000	61,800	70,000	60,479
Subtotal	95	100.0					
# States and Territories w/Employed Grads:							
	19	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	19	.					
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	7	7.4
Job posting in CSO	10	10.6
Job posted online or in print	6	6.4
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	4	4.3
Return to prior job	6	6.4
Referral	18	19.1
Start own practice or business	3	3.2
Self-initiated/letter	36	38.3
Spring OCI	2	2.1
Other	2	2.1
Subtotal	94	100.0
Timing of Job Offer		
Before graduation	47	53.4
After graduation	41	46.6
Subtotal	88	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads		
Seeking a different job	1	5.9
Not seeking a different job	16	94.1
Subtotal	17	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	1
Business	13	.
Judicial Clerk	14	.
Private Practice	45	1
Government	9	2
Public Interest	8	.
Total Reported	91	4
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	7.7	0	0	2	5.7
Job Posting in CSO	0	0	1	7.7	1	7.1	5	14.3
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	4	28.6	0	0
Pre-law school employer	1	33.3	2	15.4	0	0	1	2.9
Referral from friend	0	0	1	7.7	4	28.6	8	22.9
Letter/self-initiated	0	0	8	61.5	5	35.7	15	42.9
All other	2	66.7	0	0	0	0	4	11.4
TOTAL	3	100.0	13	100.0	14	100.0	35	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	3	27.3	1	11.1	0	0	7	7.5
Job Posting in CSO	3	27.3	0	0	0	0	10	10.8
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4.3
Pre-law school employer	0	0	1	11.1	1	12.5	6	6.5
Referral from friend	2	18.2	2	22.2	0	0	17	18.3
Letter/self-initiated	1	9.1	2	22.2	5	62.5	36	38.7
All other	2	18.2	3	33.3	2	25.0	13	14.0
TOTAL	11	100.0	9	100.0	8	100.0	93	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	Maine	1	1.1
		1	1.1
Mid Atlantic	New York	2	2.1
		2	2.1
E. North Central	Indiana	1	1.1
		1	1.1
W. North Central	Kansas	1	1.1
	Missouri	1	1.1
		2	2.1
South Atlantic	Washington, DC	2	2.1
	Florida	3	3.2
	Georgia	4	4.3
	South Carolina	3	3.2
	Virginia	2	2.1
		14	14.9
E. South Central	Alabama	7	7.4
	Kentucky	1	1.1
	Mississippi	46	48.9
	Tennessee	9	9.6
		63	67.0
W. South Central	Arkansas	1	1.1
	Texas	4	4.3
		5	5.3
Mountain	Colorado	2	2.1
		2	2.1
Pacific	California	3	3.2
	Washington	1	1.1
		4	4.3
TOTAL		94	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
Clarksdale	1	2.2
Columbus	1	2.2
Greenville	1	2.2
Gulfport	5	10.9
Hattiesburg	2	4.3
Jackson	12	26.1
Other/unknown Mississippi	12	26.1
Oxford	9	19.6
Tupelo	3	6.5
	46	100.0

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
Education	2	66.7	1	33.3	3	100.0
Business	12	92.3	1	7.7	13	100.0
Judicial clerkship	14	100.0	0	0	14	100.0
Law firm	44	95.7	2	4.3	46	100.0
Government	10	100.0	0	0	10	100.0
Public interest	7	87.5	1	12.5	8	100.0

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

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