UALR William H. Bowen School of Law - 2024 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics		
Type of school	Public	
Application deadline	April 1	
Application fee	0	

April 1

Academic Calendar

Financial aid deadline

Term	Semesters
Months students may begin studying law	August
Months the Law School confers degrees	May, August, December
# of credit hours required to earn the JD	90

2022 2024

Curricular Offerings 2023-2024

	2023-2024
Average first-year section size, excluding Legal Research & Writing	76
Number of course titles, beyond the first year curriculum, offered last year	93
Number of upper division class room course sections with an enrollment:	
Under 25	46
25 to 49	27
50 to 74	6
75 to 99	3
100 +	4
Number of seats available in law clinics	120
Number of field placement positions filled	60
Number of seats available in simulation courses	309
Number of seminars	16
Number of co-curricular offerings	37

2024 First Year Class (Oct 6th 2023-O	ct 5th 20	024)					
		2024					
Completed Applications	521						
Offers of Admission		204					
Acceptance Rate (Percent)		39.16					
Enrollees from Applicant pool		136					
Enrollment rate from Completed Applications		26.10					
Enrollment rate from Offers of Admission		66.67					
Other first-year enrollees		5					
	All	Full Time	Part Time				
Total in First-year class	141	112	29				
LSAT	All	Full Time	Part Time				
LSAT Admissions Enrollees	141	112	29				
75th Percentile	155	155	157				
50th Percentile	151	151	153				
25th Percentile	148	148	147				
UGPA	All	Full Time	Part Time				
75th Percentile	3.69	3.71	3.66				
50th Percentile	3.47	3.49	3.39				
25th Percentile	3.19	3.19	3.10				
# not included in UGPA calculation	0	0	0				

Under ABA Standard 503, law schools are required to use a valid and reliable admission test to help assess an applicant's preparedness for the study of law. Because schools may choose what admission tests they will consider for admission, this section may look different for individual law schools. Only law schools with a variance from Standard 503 allowing them to use JD Next are able to report JD Next scores. Test score data for first year enrollees is presented for each type of test accepted by the law school, with one exception: where the number of students who were accepted using a particular test is fewer than 10, score percentile data is collected but not published in order to protect student privacy. In all other cases, statistical data will be presented for each test that is accepted by the particular law school.

The UGPA data is aggregated across the law school's entire first year class, regardless of admission test.

J.D Enrollment	as of	Octo	ber 5	th 202	24																
			JD1					JD2				JD3 JD4	JD4			Total					
	т	М	w	AGI	PNR	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	т	М	w	AGI	PNR	Т
Hispanics of any race	8	3	5	0	0	12	7	5	0	0	11	4	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	32
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Asian	6	3	3	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Black or African American	11	4	7	0	0	8	0	8	0	0	15	8	7	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	37
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	12	4	7	0	1	3	1	2	0	0	7	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Total People of Color	37	14	22	0	1	28	11	16	0	1	36	15	21	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	105
White	93	40	53	0	0	85	31	54	0	0	101	47	54	0	0	19	6	13	0	0	298
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	5	2	2	0	1	5	3	2	0	0	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Total	135	56	77	0	2	118	45	72	0	1	143	66	77	0	0	23	7	16	0	0	419

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Faculty Resour	ces 20	23 - 2024	1			
	Male	Female	Another Gender Identity	Prefer Not to Report	People of Color	Total
Full-time faculty members	12	17	0	0	5	29
Non-full-time faculty	21	19	0	0	8	40
Total	33	36	0	0	13	70
	Full	Time	F	Part Time		Total
Librarians		5		0		5

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1L Tuition a	nd Fees 20	024 - 20	25				
Per Annual:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees	
Full-Time	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Part-Time	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Per Credit:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees	
Full-Time	\$459	\$3,704	\$1,006	\$3,704	\$0	\$0	

\$1,006

\$3,080

Tuition Guarantee Program	Ν

\$3,080

\$459

J.D. Degrees Awarded 2023-2024	
Hispanics of any race	3
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Asian	1
Black or African American	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0
Two or More Races	8
Total People of Color	19
White	119
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	0
Total	138

Living Expenses 2024-2025	
Estimated Living Expenses for singles	
Living on Campus	\$18,170
Living Off Campus	\$22,450
Living At Home	\$10,912

Part-Time

Grants and Scholarships 2023-2024							
	To	otal	Full	Time	Part Time		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total # of students	435	100	337	77	98	23	
Total # receiving grants	238	55	192	57	46	47	
Less than 1/2 tuition	117	27	89	26	28	29	
Half to full tuition	101	23	87	26	14	14	
Full tuition	14	3	13	4	1	1	
More than full tuition	6	1	3	1	3	3	
75th Percentile grant amount			\$13	,352	\$7,176		
50th Percentile grant amount			\$8,	383	\$4,	451	
25th Percentile grant amount			\$3,	481	\$2,	337	

The term "full tuition scholarships" refers to scholarships that cover
tuition and mandatory fees. The term "more than full tuition" refers to
scholarships that cover more than tuition and mandatory fees.

Students Matriculating in	# Entering with	# Reduced or Eliminated
2023-2024 Academic Year	87	46
2022-2023 Academic Year	74	34
2021-2022 Academic Year	83	30
2021-2022 Academic Year	83	30

Academic Att	rition	2023	3-202	4																		
	JD1					JD2					JD3						UL					
	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	%	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	Т	М	W	AGI	PNR	%
Hispanics of any race	1	0	1	0	0	8.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	1	0	1	0	0	9.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total People of Color	2	0	2	0	0	6.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
White	4	1	3	0	0	4.0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	1	5	0	0	5.0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

Academic attrition refers to those students who discontinued their education at a time when they were not in good academic standing as defined by the Law School. It includes both students who have been dismissed because they did not satisfy the minimum standards of progress established by the Law School to continue their legal studies at that school, and students who discontinued their enrollment at the school at a time when their GPA was below that required for good academic standing as of the end of the first year.

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Other Attritio	n 202	23-20	24																			
	JD1					JD2					JD3						UL					
	Т	М	w	AGI	PNR	%	T	М	w	AGI	PNR	T	М	w	AGI	PNR	T	М	w	AGI	PNR	%
Hispanics of any race	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	1	0	1	0	0	9.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	1	1	0	0	0	25.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total People of Color	2	1	1	0	0	6.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
White	2	1	1	0	0	2.0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	2	2	0	0	3.0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0

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Transfers 2023-2024								
JD1 Transfers Out	2							
Transfers In*	1							
75th Percentile JD1 GPA	0							
50th Percentile JD1 GPA	0							
25th Percentile JD1 GPA	0							

^{*}GPA Percentiles provided if School has 12 or more transfers in. If more than 5 but less than 12 transfers in only 50th percentile will be provided.