

Michigan State University College of Law - 2016 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics

Type of school	PRIVATE
Term	Semester
Application deadline	4/30/2017
Application fee	\$ 60
Financial aid deadline	4/1/2017
Can first year start other than fall?	No

GPA and LSAT Scores (calendar year**)

	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
# of apps	2,362	2,274	88
# of offers	1,056	1,008	48
# of matriculants	259	236	23
75th Percentile GPA	3.72	3.72	3.68
50th Percentile GPA	3.51	3.51	3.43
25th Percentile GPA	3.16	3.19	2.86
# not incl. in GPA percentile calc.	2.00	-1.00	3.00
75th Percentile LSAT	156	156	153
50th Percentile LSAT	154	154	147
25 Percentile LSAT	150	150	144
# not incl. in LSAT percentile calc.	0	-1	1

Tuition and Fees (academic year*)

	Resident	Non-Resident
Full-Time	\$ 41,528	\$ 41,528
Part-Time	\$ 28,640	\$ 28,640
Tuition Guarantee Program		No

Living Expenses (academic year*)

Estimated Living Expenses for singles

Living on Campus	\$ 16,150
Living Off Campus	\$ 16,150
Living at Home	\$ 16,150

Grants and Scholarships (prior academic year*)

	Total		Full-Time		Part-Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	801	100	709	88.5	92	11.5
Total # receiving grants	559	69.8	545	76.9	14	15.2
Less than 1/2 tuition	104	13	102	14.4	2	2.2
Half to full tuition	299	37.3	292	41.2	7	7.6
Full tuition	151	18.9	146	20.6	5	5.4
More than full tuition	5	0.6	5	0.7	0	0
75th Percentile grant amount			\$ 35,282		\$ 20,356	
50th Percentile grant amount			\$ 26,462		\$ 14,928	
25th Percentile grant amount			\$ 17,642		\$ 10,000	

Conditional Scholarships

Students Matriculating in	# Entering with	# Reduced or Eliminated
2015-2016 Academic Year	231	47
2014-2015 Academic Year	183	39
2013-2014 Academic Year	182	35

J.D. Enrollment and Ethnicity (academic year*)

	Men		Women		Other		Full-Time		Part-Time		First - Year		Total		J.D. Deg Awd
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Hispanics of any race	15	3.9	24	6.3	0	0	32	4.7	7	8.5	18	6.9	39	5.1	17
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	0.3	8	2.1	0	0	7	1	2	2.4	5	1.9	9	1.2	5
Asian	12	3.2	12	3.2	0	0	21	3.1	3	3.7	8	3.1	24	3.2	10
Black or African American	26	6.8	29	7.6	0	0	46	6.8	9	11	14	5.4	55	7.2	21
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	1	0.3	0	0	1	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1	0
Two or more races	20	5.3	17	4.5	0	0	28	4.1	9	11	11	4.2	37	4.9	5
Total Minority	74	19.5	91	23.9	0	0	135	19.9	30	36.6	56	21.6	165	21.7	58
White	264	69.5	246	64.7	0	0	467	68.9	43	52.4	183	70.7	510	67.1	175
Nonresident Alien	22	5.8	22	5.8	0	0	42	6.2	2	2.4	11	4.2	44	5.8	18
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	20	5.3	21	5.5	0	0	34	5	7	8.5	9	3.5	41	5.4	14
Total	380	50	380	50	0	0	678	89.2	82	10.8	259	34.1	760	100	265



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Curriculum (prior academic year*)

Typical first-year section size	72
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	163
# of upper division classroom course sections	
Under 25	129
25 - 49	31
50 - 74	13
75 - 99	9
100+	0
# of positions available in simulation courses	1,071
# of simulation positions filled	805
# of seminar positions filled	548
# of law clinics	12
# of seats available in the law clinics identified in sub-part (i) above	209
# of seats filled in the law clinics identified in sub-part (i) above	176
# of field placement positions filled	189
# of students who enrolled in independent study	96
# of students who participated in law journals	180
# of students who participated in interschool skills competitions	110

Faculty and Administrators (calendar year**)

	Total		Men		Women		Other		Minorities	
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall
Full-Time	50	51	27	29	23	22	0	0	8	8
Deans, librarians & others who teach	18	18	6	7	12	11	0	0	2	2
Part-Time	59	35	38	25	21	10	0	0	5	2
	127	104	71	61	56	43			15	12

J.D. Attrition (prior academic year*)

	Academic	Transfer	Other	Total	%
	#	#	#	#	%
1st year	9	15	10	34	12.1
2nd year	1	1	2	4	1.6
3rd year	0	0	1	1	0.4
4th year	0	0	0	0	0

Transfers (prior academic year*)

Transfers In

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See Appendix for list of schools from which students transferred	

Transfers Out 16

Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2015)

First Time Takers: 279

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Michigan	134	107	79.85	71.77	8.08
New York	18	10	55.56	78.12	-22.56
Illinois	18	10	55.56	80.80	-25.24
Texas	15	11	73.33	73.21	0.12
Florida	11	9	81.82	67.79	14.03
	Reporting %	Avg. School Pass %	Avg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %	
	70.25	74.99	73.06	1.93	

Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2014)

First Time Takers: 315

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Michigan	147	124	84.35	68.81	15.54
New York	25	20	80.00	78.60	1.40
Illinois	24	19	79.17	85.41	-6.24
California	16	9	56.25	66.05	-9.80
New Jersey	14	8	57.14	75.80	-18.66
	Reporting %	Avg. School Pass %	Avg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %	
	71.75	79.64	71.90	7.74	

Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2013)

First Time Takers: 276

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
Michigan	143	116	81.12	69.16	11.96
Illinois	28	21	75.00	87.84	-12.84
New York	22	16	72.73	84.76	-12.03
California	12	4	33.33	71.09	-37.76
	Reporting %	Avg. School Pass %	Avg. State Pass %	Avg. Pass Diff. %	
	74.28	76.59	73.50	3.09	

* "Academic year" refers to the 2016 - 2017 academic year. ** "Calendar year" refers to the 2016 calendar year.