



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION — SUMMER 2010

Select one: [] First-Year [] Transfer [] Visiting/Special Student

PERSONAL INFORMATION (Do not use all caps when entering information)

Prefix _____

Name _____ LSAC Account Number L _____

Preferred First Name _____ Previous Name _____

U.S. Social Security Number* _____ Date of Birth* []/[]/[] Gender* [] Female [] Male

Do you accept text-messaging? [] Yes [] No Cell Phone: (_____) _____

Current Address Valid From: []/[]/[] To: []/[]/[]

Permanent Address (if different) Valid From: []/[]/[] To: []/[]/[]

Current Address:

address 1 Apt#

address 2

city state zip

Country (if outside the U.S.)

Primary E-mail

Day Telephone: (_____) _____

Evening Telephone: (_____) _____

Permanent State of Residence _____

Citizenship type: _____ Country of Citizenship: _____

Visa Granted: [] Yes [] No Visa Type: _____ Visa Number: _____

LAW SCHOOL ADMISSION TEST (LSAT) Date test was taken _____ score received: _____

I am scheduled to take/retake the LSAT on (date) _____

*The information requested is optional.

Please indicate race/ethnic background:*

Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No

The term Hispanic or Latino is defined as a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Identify your race by checking one or more of the following:*

- American Indian or Alaska Native
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains a tribal affiliation or community attachment.
- Black or African American
A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- Asian
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific islands.
- White
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa.
- Nonresident Alien
A person who is not a citizen or national of the United States and who is in this country on a visa or temporary basis and does not have the right to remain indefinitely.
- Decline to indicate race/ethnicity

Areas of Interest:*

- Advocacy & Dispute Resolution (trial attorney, criminal defense, prosecution, mediation & arbitration)
- Personal Transaction Law (estate planning, family law, small business counseling, real estate, child advocacy)
- Intellectual Property, Cyber Law, and Creativity (copyright, patent law, technology, entertainment law, media law)

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION*

Mother's Name _____
(OR GUARDIAN) (IF DECEASED, PLEASE INDICATE)

Father's Name _____
(OR GUARDIAN) (IF DECEASED, PLEASE INDICATE)

_____ address (if different from permanent address)

_____ address (if different from permanent address)

_____ city state zip

_____ city state zip

Occupation/Firm _____

Occupation/Firm _____

College and Degree _____

College and Degree _____

Graduate School and Degree _____

Graduate School and Degree _____

**The information requested is optional.*

EMPLOYMENT (You may attach a resume electronically, in lieu of completing this section.)Are you currently employed? Yes NoDo you have law-related employment experience? Yes No

Current Employer _____

Employer _____

Title and/or nature of your employment _____

Title and/or nature of your employment _____

Dates of employment (MM/YY-MM/YY) _____

Dates of employment (MM/YY-MM/YY) _____

Average hours/week _____

Average hours/week _____

Do (or did) you work during your academic years? Yes (_____ hours/week) NoWere you in military service (full-time active duty)? Yes No

BRANCH OF SERVICE

DATE OF ENTRY (MM/YY)

DATE OF RELEASE (MM/YY)

HIGHEST RANK

TYPE OF DISCHARGE

EDUCATIONList *all* colleges, universities, graduate schools, and professional schools attended.

College or University	Dates of Attendance MM/YY-MM/YY	Grade-Point Average	Major Field of Study	Degree Awarded	Year Awarded
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Have you previously submitted an application for admission to the University of Dayton School of Law? Yes No

If so, for what year? _____

Have you ever registered for and/or attended law school? Yes NoWere you academically dismissed? Yes NoIf so, enter official date of dismissal from previous law school _____
MM/DD/YYYY**Note:** You must furnish a letter from any law school attended, verifying your good standing or, if academically dismissed, unconditional eligibility to re-apply at your former law school(s).

Law School Attended	Dates of Attendance MM/YY-MM/YY	Grade-Point Average	Status	Reasons for Leaving
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****The information requested is optional.***

CHARACTER AND FITNESS

Applicants should be aware that all jurisdictions screen applicants on character and fitness issues before admitting them to be licensed to practice law in the jurisdiction. The School of Law is under an obligation to provide any information about an applicant's character and fitness to such jurisdictions upon request.

The Admissions Committee reviews applicants based on all information submitted, including character and fitness information. **You are under a continuing obligation to notify the Office of Admissions of any changes in your answers throughout the application process and, if admitted, until the first day of class.**

Failure to provide full and accurate answers and complete disclosure in response to these questions may result in the University of Dayton School of Law revoking admission, or imposing other appropriate sanctions(s).

- Yes No Have you ever been cited, arrested, charged or convicted for any violation of any law including as a juvenile, including traffic violations, but excluding parking tickets?
- Yes No Have you ever been terminated, suspended, disciplined, or permitted to resign in lieu of termination from any job or from any board or volunteer position?
- Yes No Have you ever been dropped, suspended, warned, disciplined, placed on scholastic or disciplinary probation, expelled or requested to resign, or allowed to resign in lieu of discipline from any high school, college or university, or requested or advised by any such institution to discontinue your studies therein?
- Yes No Have you ever been charged with fraud?

If you answered YES to any of the above questions, you must electronically attach a detailed explanation of each incident, including:

1. Date of incident(s) and your age at the time
2. Parties involved
3. Description of the incident
4. Result (expunged, dismissed, conviction, fine, etc.)
5. Information related to post-sentence events (pardon, etc.)

As you review these questions and consider your past conduct, if you have concerns about character and fitness issues that could arise when you apply to a state board of bar examiners, research that state's bar application and admission requirements. The National Conference of Bar Examiners (www.ncbex.org) provides basic information for each state and may be a place to begin such research.

**The information requested is optional.*

ACTIVITIES AND HONORS

List activities, honors, awards, and special interests related to your academic career to date. Indicate offices held. (You may attach a resume electronically, in lieu of completing this section.)

PERSONAL STATEMENT

The **required** personal statement should highlight your law school interest and motivation. The purpose of this statement is to give the Admissions Committee additional insight about you and to provide a basis for appraising your writing ability. We would like you to comment on your reasons for applying for admission to law school and articulate why you believe you are a good candidate for the study of law and, ultimately, for the practice of law. The **required** personal statement should be typewritten and attached with the required application materials. *We recommend the personal statement be at least one page in length. You may, also, attach an addendum to explain unusual circumstances which may have influenced your academic performance and/or LSAT score.*

Here at UDSL, we value the diverse background and experiences of our entering class. You may attach an **optional** addendum outlining your own diverse background and/or experiences that you might bring to the School of Law.

The Personal Statement and Optional Diversity Statement should be uniquely your own with no assistance from others in their creation beyond basic proofreading or a general critique.

OFFICIAL RECOMMENDERS

The School of Law requires two professional letters of recommendation from persons who can substantively comment on your academic and/or employment record. We recommend academic references if possible. **These letters must be sent by the recommenders directly through the LSAC Letter of Recommendation Service (LOR) that is part of your Credential Assembly Service (LSDAS) registration.** (If you are a foreign-educated applicant, you may have your recommendations sent through LSAC as part of the Credential Assembly Service.) Please list your two recommenders below:

1. _____ NAME	2. _____ NAME
_____ POSITION/ORGANIZATION	_____ POSITION/ORGANIZATION

LAW SCHOOL APPLICATIONS*

List *all* law schools to which you have applied or intend to apply.

1. _____	5. _____
2. _____	6. _____
3. _____	7. _____
4. _____	8. _____

**The information requested is optional.*

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US?

What was your FIRST exposure to the University of Dayton School of Law (pick only one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Advertisement (in print publication) | <input type="checkbox"/> Email from the University of Dayton School of Law
(name obtained from LSAC Candidate Referral Service)
received on _____ / _____
MM/YY |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Web Search | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from a Practicing Attorney |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dayton Law Publication
Which? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from a Pre-law advisor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ABA/LSAC <i>Official Guide to ABA-Approved Law Schools</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from a School of Law alumnus
Who? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Publication
Which? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral from current student
Who? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>U.S. News and World Report</i> Ranking | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
(Please specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing from the University of Dayton School of Law
(name obtained from LSAC Candidate Referral Service)
received on _____ / _____
MM/YY | |
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INTEREST IN THE UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON SCHOOL OF LAW

The primary reason I applied to the University of Dayton School of Law is (pick only one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Summer-start Option | <input type="checkbox"/> A personal email received from the University of Dayton
School of Law Office of Admissions on _____ / _____
MM/YY |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Semester Option | <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation from a Practicing Attorney |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in a curricular track
Which? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation from a Pre-law advisor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in a particular program
Which? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation from a UD Law alumnus or student
Who? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Visit to the School of Law to attend a formal program on
_____ / _____
MM/YY | <input type="checkbox"/> Conversation with a School of Law representative
Who/Where? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual visit to the School of Law on _____ / _____
MM/YY | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
(Please specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A personal letter received from the University of Dayton
School of Law Office of Admissions on _____ / _____
MM/YY | |
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PERMISSION TO RELEASE ACCEPTANCE

If you are accepted to the School of Law, the Admissions Office would like to notify those individuals who provided you with letters of recommendation, and/or the pre-law advisor at your undergraduate school.

May we have permission to inform these parties if accepted? Yes No

By answering "Yes" above, and submitting this application, the School of Law is granted permission to release your name to these parties.

**The information requested is optional.*

SIGNATURE

Any material misstatements on this application form or its accompanying documents or any forms of dishonesty, including fraudulent practices relating to LSAT/Credential Assembly Service, or plagiarizing the personal statement and/or optional diversity statement, will result in the applicant being disqualified for admission and, if discovered after admission, may affect the student's standing in the School of Law and with the Board of Bar Examiners. All applications for admission become the property of the University of Dayton School of Law.

The University of Dayton School of Law Student Body has established an Honor Code which all enrolled law students are to follow. If admitted, I understand my behavior as a law student at the University of Dayton School of Law is governed by the School of Law Honor Code.

By submitting this application electronically, I certify the information herein is complete and accurate, and I will promptly inform the Office of Admissions of any facts that require a change in *any of the answers submitted in this application, and, if admitted, up to the first day of class.*

Name _____

Date _____

NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY

The University of Dayton School of Law admits students of both sexes and of any race, color, creed, and national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the University. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, national or ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, or against otherwise qualified handicapped students in its admissions policies and academic and other standards, nor in the granting of scholarships, loans, and other financial aid, nor in the planning and administration of any of its academic and other programs, services and activities.

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