

Lewis & Clark Law School
Class of 2023 Summary Report

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
Total Reported = 178							
Gender Reported:							
Women							
Men							
Non-binary or Chose to Self-identify							
Subtotal							
Race Reported:							
People of Color							
White/Caucasian							
Subtotal							
Gender & Race Reported:							
Women of Color							
Men of Color							
White/Caucasian Women							
White/Caucasian Men							
White/Caucasian Non-binary or Chose to Self-identify							
Subtotal	126	100.0					
Employment Status Known:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	134	75.7	55	67,000	75,000	90,000	87,616
JD Advantage	22	12.4	5	75,000	80,000	107,000	103,600
Other Professional	3	1.7	.	.	.	.	.
Other Position	2	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Employed-Start Date after March 15, 2024	2	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	14	7.9	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	177	100.0					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. At least five salaries are required for each salary analysis. The non-binary or chose to self-identify category also includes graduates who selected multiple gender identities. Salaries are reported only for full-time, long-term positions. Salaries for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.							

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Total Employed or Enrolled in Graduate Studies:							
Employed	161	91.0	61	68,000	75,000	90,000	89,571
Subtotal	161	91.0					
Employment by Sector:							
Private Sector	86	53.4	27	75,000	85,000	150,000	112,194
Public Sector	75	46.6	34	60,000	70,000	75,000	71,606
Subtotal	161	100.0					
Full-time or Part-time Job Status:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated: Full-time	134	83.2	55	67,000	75,000	90,000	87,616
JD Advantage: Full-time	18	11.2	5	75,000	80,000	107,000	103,600
JD Advantage: Part-time	4	2.5	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional: Full-time	3	1.9	.	.	.	.	.
Other Position: Part-time	2	1.2	.	.	.	.	.
Subtotal	161	100.0					
Employment Categories:							
Education	4	2.5	.	.	.	.	.
Business	10	6.2	.	.	.	.	.
Judicial Clerkships	19	11.8	9	57,739	60,000	70,000	62,082
Private Practice	76	47.2	26	75,000	85,000	140,000	108,817
Government	23	14.3	8	69,939	82,500	102,500	86,610
Public Interest	29	18.0	17	66,000	73,000	75,000	69,588
Subtotal	161	100.0					
<p>Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. At least five salaries are required for each salary analysis. Private sector includes jobs in law firms and business. All other jobs are considered public sector. Employment by sector does not include graduates for whom employer type was not reported. Salaries are reported only for full-time, long-term positions. Salaries for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.</p>							

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Education Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	1	25.0
JD Advantage	3	75.0
Subtotal	4	100.0					
Business Jobs:							
JD Advantage	6	60.0
Other Professional	2	20.0
Other Position	2	20.0
Subtotal	10	100.0					
Private Practice Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	72	94.7	26	75,000	85,000	140,000	108,817
JD Advantage	4	5.3
Subtotal	76	100.0					
Government Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	17	73.9	5	70,000	75,000	90,000	80,576
JD Advantage	5	21.7
Other Professional	1	4.3
Subtotal	23	100.0					
Judicial Clerkships:							
Federal	2	10.5
State	17	89.5	8	55,620	60,000	67,500	61,092
Subtotal	19	100.0					
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Public Interest Jobs:							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	25	86.2	15	56,000	70,000	75,000	68,533
JD Advantage	4	13.8
Subtotal	29	100.0					
Size of Law Firm (by # of Attorneys):							
1-10	34	44.7	10	70,000	73,500	80,000	74,924
11-25	14	18.4	5	80,000	85,000	90,000	106,000
26-50	10	13.2
51-100	3	3.9
101-250	2	2.6
251-500	3	3.9
501+	9	11.8	6	130,000	180,000	200,000	168,333
Solo Practitioner	1	1.3
Subtotal	76	100.0					
Type of Law Firm Job:							
Associate/Entry-level Attorney	68	89.5	25	75,000	85,000	140,000	110,840
Staff Attorney	2	2.6
Law Clerk	5	6.6
Paralegal	1	1.3
Subtotal	76	100.0					
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Jobs Taken by Region:							
New England	1	0.6
Mid-Atlantic	6	3.7
E North Central	5	3.1
South Atlantic	7	4.3
W South Central	5	3.1
Mountain	4	2.5
Pacific	133	82.6	52	69,000	75,000	94,000	90,471
Subtotal	161	100.0					
Location of Jobs:							
In-State	108	67.1	40	70,000	77,500	94,000	91,513
Out of State	53	32.9	21	58,240	73,000	84,000	85,874
Subtotal	161	100.0					
# States and Territories with Employed Grads:							
	20
Total #	20	.					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported
Source of Job:		
On-campus interview (OCI) program	4	4.8
Job fair/consortia	1	1.2
Responded to career services office job posting	16	19.3
Non-career services office job posting	16	19.3
Clerkship application process or OSCAR	3	3.6
Returned to or continued with pre-law school employer	1	1.2
Referral	8	9.6
Started own practice or business	3	3.6
Self-initiated contact/networking	28	33.7
Other	3	3.6
Subtotal	83	100.0
Timing of Job Offer:		
Before graduation	75	50.3
After graduation	74	49.7
Subtotal	149	100.0
Search Status of Employed Grads:		
Seeking a different job	10	6.6
Not seeking a different job	142	93.4
Subtotal	152	100.0
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.		

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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	3	1
Business	9	1
Judicial Clerkships	18	1
Private Practice	74	2
Government	23	.
Public Interest	29	.
Total Reported	156	5
Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School:		
	4	.
Total Reported	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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