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*Class of 2020 Summary Report*

			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Total Reported = 155</b>							
<b>Employment Status Known:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	114	73.5	70	70,000	83,600	100,000	87,905
JD Advantage	18	11.6	5	52,000	72,000	78,000	64,472
Other Professional	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after March 15, 2021	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Seeking	19	12.3	.	.	.	.	.
Not Employed-Not Seeking	1	0.6	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis. The women category includes graduates reporting a gender identity of woman or trans woman and the men category includes graduates reporting a gender identity of man or trans man. Salaries for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.							

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<b>Total Employed or Enrolled in Graduate Studies:</b>							
Employed	134	86.5	76	70,000	82,500	95,000	86,127
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>86.5</b>					
<b>Employment by Sector:</b>							
Private Sector	118	88.1	71	70,000	84,000	100,000	87,789
Public Sector	16	11.9	5	45,456	72,000	78,000	62,531
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Full-time or Part-time Job Status:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated: Full-time	113	84.3	70	70,000	83,600	100,000	87,905
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated: Part-time	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage: Full-time	13	9.7	5	52,000	72,000	78,000	64,472
JD Advantage: Part-time	5	3.7	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional: Full-time	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional: Full-time	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Employment Categories:</b>							
Business	16	11.9	9	70,000	78,000	85,000	77,262
Private Practice	102	76.1	62	70,000	84,500	100,000	89,317
Government	13	9.7	.	.	.	.	.
Public Interest	3	2.2	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<p>Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is 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 for graduates in law firm solo practice have been excluded from the analysis.</p>							

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<b>Business Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	6	37.5	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	8	50.0	.	.	.	.	.
Other Professional	1	6.3	.	.	.	.	.
Non-professional	1	6.3	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Private Practice Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	94	92.2	61	70,000	85,000	100,000	89,929
JD Advantage	8	7.8	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Government Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	12	92.3	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	1	7.7	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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<b>Public Interest Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required/Anticipated	2	66.7	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	1	33.3	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Size of Law Firm (by # of Attorneys):</b>							
1-10	61	59.8	32	63,700	75,000	85,000	76,349
11-25	18	17.6	11	72,500	85,000	100,000	99,773
26-50	8	7.8	6	85,000	90,000	95,000	90,000
51-100	6	5.9	.	.	.	.	.
101-250	6	5.9	6	90,000	105,000	150,000	120,000
251-500	1	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
501+	2	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Type of Law Firm Job:</b>							
Associate/Entry-level Attorney	81	79.4	53	75,000	85,000	100,000	92,976
Staff Attorney	2	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
Law Clerk	18	17.6	6	52,000	52,000	62,400	61,387
Paralegal	1	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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<b>Jobs Taken by Region:</b>							
New England	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
South Atlantic	3	2.2	.	.	.	.	.
Mountain	3	2.2	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	126	94.0	70	72,000	83,600	100,000	88,154
Non-US locations	1	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Location of Jobs:</b>							
In-State	125	93.3	70	72,000	83,600	100,000	88,154
Out of State	9	6.7	6	49,920	62,750	70,000	62,479
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b># States and Territories with Employed Grads:</b>							
	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total #</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.</b>					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported
<b>Source of Job:</b>		
OCI	17	13.1
Job fair/consortia	1	0.8
Job posting in CSO	49	37.7
Job posted online or in print	16	12.3
Returned to or continued with pre-law school employer	5	3.8
Referral	28	21.5
Started own practice or business	2	1.5
Self-initiated contact/networking	12	9.2
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Timing of Job Offer:</b>		
Before graduation	74	55.2
After graduation	60	44.8
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Search Status of Employed Grads:</b>		
Seeking a different job	23	17.8
Not seeking a different job	106	82.2
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<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)
<b>Duration of Jobs by Employer Type:</b>		
Business	15	1
Private Practice	102	.
Government	7	6
Public Interest	3	.
<b>Total Reported</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>7</b>
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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