

CLASS PROFILE

THE CLASS OF 2025 is a diverse and accomplished group of students from across the country.

The 315 students come from 38 states and the District of Columbia, and attended 131 undergraduate institutions.



GRACE WENSTROM, of Galesburg, Illinois, graduated from the University of Iowa and interned full time at the U.S. Justice Department and legal services groups before law school.

"Even as an incoming student, I had the opportunity to read a faculty-written book on oral advocacy, hear from current students about clinical experiences and connect with career development staff," she said. "I greatly appreciated this concurrent flow of academic and professional resources, and knew it was indicative of a robust program."



CLASS OF 2025 FAST FACTS as of Aug. 22, 2022

171 median LSAT
166-173 25%-75% LSAT
3.94 median GPA

3.69-3.99 25%-75% GPA
315 students enrolled
from 6,031 applicants

19-34 age range
50% women
49% men

1% nonbinary,
transgender or
gender-nonconforming

40% people of color
67% have postgraduate
experience

STUDENTS COME FROM 38 states and the District of Columbia.

IN ADDITION TO VIRGINIA, the following states are represented by five or more students:

California 33
Texas 20
New York 19

New Jersey 14
Illinois 12
Pennsylvania 12

Florida 11
Georgia 11
North Carolina 10

Washington, D.C. 9
Maryland 7
Massachusetts 7

Louisiana 6
South Carolina 6
Arizona 5

Connecticut 5
Tennessee 5

THE J.D. CANDIDATES also include citizens of China, India, South Korea, Egypt, Australia, the Czech Republic, Peru and Hungary.

UNDERGRADUATE SCHOOLS represented by four or more first-years:

University of Virginia 22
University of Texas, Austin 9
Georgetown University 8
Cornell University 8
College of William & Mary 7
University of California, Berkeley 7
UCLA 7

University of North Carolina,
Chapel Hill 7
Boston College 6
Duke University 6
Emory University 6
George Mason University 6
George Washington University 6

University of Chicago 6
University of Maryland,
College Park 6
Colgate University 5
University of Notre Dame 5
Washington University 5
American University 4

Tulane University 4
University of Michigan,
Ann Arbor 4
University of Oklahoma 4
Vanderbilt University 4
Wake Forest University 4

Hampton, Virginia, native **AVIAE GIBSON** graduated from UVA's undergraduate school.

"As someone who loves to engage in hands-on learning, I was thrilled to learn that many clinics offer the opportunity for 1Ls to volunteer and be involved," she said. Gibson added that she was impressed by how "faculty are invested in their students' success and readily make themselves available."



Denver native **RAHUL RAMESH** placed in national debate tournaments as a University of California, Berkeley, student before beginning his studies at UVA.

"From the moment I stepped onto campus, it was abundantly clear how kind and passionate the students are as well as how invested the faculty is in your success," Ramesh said. "From talking to other UVA Law students, professors really want to engage with their students, hear their stories, and learn their ambitions."



WHERE GRADUATES GO: Top Job Locations, Classes of 2019-21

New York 213
Washington, D.C. 213
Texas 86

Virginia 85
California 67
Pennsylvania 24

Georgia 23
Ohio 19
Maryland 14

North Carolina 13
Tennessee 13
Delaware 12

Illinois 12
Colorado 11
Massachusetts 11

VIRGINIA LAW Fast Facts

FOUNDED

1819

DUAL-DEGREE PROGRAMS

in accounting, business, economic law, English, foreign affairs, government, history, philosophy, public health, public policy, medicine, and urban and environmental planning

EXTERNAL COLLABORATIVE PROGRAMS

(with Princeton, Tufts and Johns Hopkins) in public international law fields

STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Second- and third-year students have access to 10 international exchange programs:

- BOCCONI LAW SCHOOL** Italy
- BUCERIUS LAW SCHOOL** Germany
- HEBREW UNIVERSITY** Israel
- INSTITUTO DE EMPRESA** Spain
- MELBOURNE LAW SCHOOL** Australia
- SEOUL NATIONAL UNIVERSITY** South Korea
- TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL** Israel
- UNIVERSITY OF AUCKLAND** New Zealand
- UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY** Australia
- WASEDA UNIVERSITY** Japan

STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO

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TOTAL J.D. ENROLLMENT*

922 students
50.4% men
49.4% women
0.2% nonbinary, transgender or gender-nonconforming
28% people of color
*AS OF OCT. 5, 2021

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

71, plus 10 journals

GRADUATE STUDIES

Each year about 45 students, mainly from foreign countries, earn their

LL.M. or S.J.D. degree at UVA Law.

ALUMNI

The Law School has more than 20,000 alumni in all 50 states and more than 60 foreign countries.

PUBLIC SERVICE

Students logged 16,340 pro bono hours during the 2021-22 school year.

ACADEMIC JOURNALS

Journal of Law & Politics
Virginia Environmental Law Journal
Virginia Journal of Criminal Law
Virginia Journal of

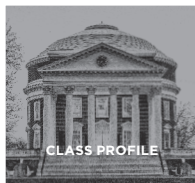
International Law
Virginia Journal of Law & Technology
Virginia Journal of Social Policy & the Law
Virginia Law & Business Review
Virginia Sports & Entertainment Law Journal
Virginia Tax Review

CLINICS

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U.S. SUPREME COURT CLERKS

Virginia is fifth in contributing the most clerks to the U.S. Supreme Court from 2007-2021.



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