

IN THE WORKPLACE The most popular pre-law-school vocation was as a paralegal or legal assistant, primarily with law firms but also with the Alaska Public Defender Service, the ACLU, the Department of Justice, the NFL Players Association, the New York County D.A., the New York City Department of Education, a Virginia Circuit Court judge, and the SBA Office of Disaster Assistance. Others were business analysts for Accenture, McKinsey & Co., and Capitol One; financial analysts for Lehman Brothers, Barclays Bank, Citigroup, Wachovia Securities, Lockheed Martin, Deloitte Touche, Merrill Lynch, and Morgan Stanley; dealers in securities and futures; and commodities traders. Many have experience in information technology, including as a software engineer; programmer and operations manager; web developer, and university tech support. Other jobs included chemical engineer for ExxonMobil; manager for a family restaurant; environmental engineer; insurance claims adjuster; engineering liaison for Microsoft in Shanghai; media strategist for the Centers for Disease Control; researcher at the Harvard School of Public Health; mechanical engineer at Honeywell; cook on a salmon fishing vessel; New York City public school teachers; National Park Service ranger; co-editor of a book in Hindi; transportation planner; newspaper staff writer; glassblower; soil scientist; legislative assistant for a member of the Taiwanese legislature; hazmat specialist for the Transportation Security Administration; molecular genetics lab technician; CIA police officer; tax consultant; composer, conductor, and musician on Broadway; technician at a state crime lab; research coordinator for the governor of South Carolina; mission coordinator for Operation Smile; youth employment counselor; assistant director of student affairs at the University of Arizona; elementary school Spanish teacher; church organist and music director; CPA; wine consultant; sushi chef; manager of a 20,000-acre Wyoming cattle ranch; processor on a fishing boat in the Bering Sea; high school history teacher; sports writer; associate editor of the *Asia Security Monitor*; assistant for Sen. Mitch McConnell; strategy director for Travelocity; assistant to the president and intervention associate with the International Justice Mission; the New York outreach director for the Howard Dean campaign; director and stage manager of an off-Broadway theater company; writer for the *Let's Go* guides; president and CEO of an information systems company; aquarium technician; editorial coordinator for *National Geographic*; pretrial officer with criminal offenders; legislative correspondent for Sen. John Edwards; funeral home administrator; and an oncology market researcher for Bristol Myers. Students have served with the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force, and several have seen recent duty in Iraq, Afghanistan, or Pakistan.



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UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA
 SCHOOL OF LAW

CLASS OF 2007 PROFILE

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MEDIAN GPA: 3.63 on a 4.0 scale
25%-75% GPA: 3.49-3.82
MEDIAN LSAT: 169 (98th percentile)
25%-75% LSAT: 166-171
AVERAGE AGE: 24 (range is 19 to 54)

360 students enrolled from among 5,475 applicants
 144 resident (40%), 216 non-resident students (60%)
 220 men (61%), 140 women (39%)
 62 identify themselves as minority students (17%)

NON-RESIDENT REPRESENTATION

New York	26	Pennsylvania	7
Georgia	15	New Jersey	6
California	14	Connecticut	6
Texas	12	Ohio	6
North Carolina	11	Michigan	6
Maryland	11	Tennessee	5
District of Columbia	8	Washington	5
South Carolina	8	Wisconsin	5
Massachusetts	7	Arizona	4
Florida	7	Colorado	4

Three each from Arkansas, Illinois, Alabama, Minnesota, and Utah; two each from Nebraska, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Iowa, and Oklahoma, and one each from Vermont, Oregon, Nevada, New Mexico, Mississippi, New Hampshire, Maine, Idaho, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, and Delaware. Students also come from Pakistan, China, Korea, Ukraine, and India.

EXPERIENCE

EDUCATION Twenty-six members of the class hold graduate degrees, including master's degrees in business, American studies, education, biotechnology, East Asian studies, international law, philosophy, economics, national security studies, mechanical engineering, soil science, English, history, accounting, forensic science, church-state studies, Slavic languages, international development, computer science, marine sciences, and international relations. There is also an M.Div., and two Ph.D.s, one in sociology and the other in the history of science. One student is taking a leave of absence from medical school to get a J.D. before completing his M.D.

GLOBETROTTERS Many members of this class have lived, worked, or studied overseas, including in the United Kingdom, throughout western Europe, and in China, Romania, Japan, Tanzania, Chile, Egypt, Senegal, Morocco, Singapore, Israel, Cuba, Mexico, Korea, New Zealand, Lebanon, Mauritania, Australia, India, Argentina, the Czech Republic, Turkey, Greece, Cameroon, Bolivia, Ethiopia, Gambia, Kenya, Botswana, Croatia, Nepal, Zimbabwe, Lithuania, Russia, Guatemala, Latvia, Thailand, Haiti, and Ukraine.

WELL-ROUNDED Members of this class served as CASA volunteers; in homeless shelters and food kitchens; building houses here and abroad with Habitat for Humanity; tutored, coached, and mentored kids; staffed domestic violence centers and sexual assault hotlines; worked with Teach for America; served in the Peace Corps in Senegal, Morocco, China, and Romania; served international medical missions, worked at AIDS clinics, and taught therapeutic riding; and have been volunteer firefighters, EMTs, and on mountain rescue teams. One lasted two days on "Jeopardy"; another appeared on "Wheel of Fortune." We have Utah's Cherry Blossom Princess and Virginia's Apple Blossom Princess. One founded a Japanese animation interest group; another gave significant hours to an open-source software project. Two rode 4,200 miles across the United States to raise funds for Habitat for Humanity. One student drove a bus in Athens for the Olympics. We have editors-in-chief of the campus papers at the University of Virginia, Stanford, and the University of Puget Sound, and the Columnist of the Year at the *Daily Pennsylvanian*. They play football, baseball, basketball, soccer, volleyball, golf, rugby, and tennis; there are martial arts enthusiasts, kickboxers, whitewater canoeists, marathoners, triathletes, cyclists, and gymnasts. They are into backcountry and extreme telemark skiing, snowboarding, ultimate Frisbee, scuba diving, rowing, fencing, and wrestling. There is a semi-pro baseball umpire, a gymnastics coach, and a kayaking instructor. Other students are interested in Indian classical dance, African drumming, African dance, ballroom dancing, backgammon, and one won a prize for slam poetry.



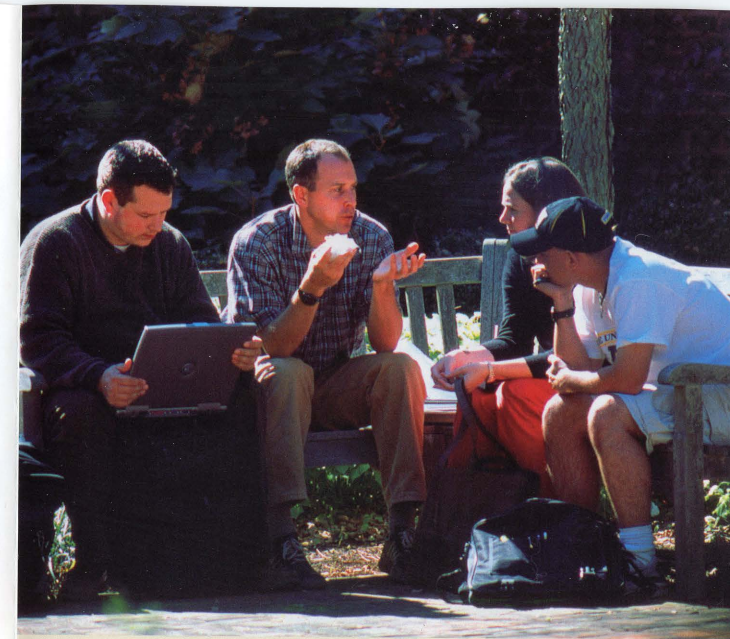
UNDERGRADUATE SCHOOLS REPRESENTED

University of Virginia	48
Duke University	19
Princeton University	13
College of William & Mary	10
Cornell University	10
University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill	10
Georgetown University	9
University of Pennsylvania	9
Emory University	8
Brigham Young University	7
Dartmouth College	7
Yale University	7
Brown University	6
Columbia University	6
University of Florida	6
Harvard University	5
Virginia Tech	5
Stanford University	4
University of California - Berkeley	4
University of Chicago	4
University of Washington	4
Vanderbilt University	4

REPRESENTED BY THREE STUDENTS IN THE CLASS: Amherst College, Davidson College, Johns Hopkins University, Rice University, United States Naval Academy, University of Colorado, University of Georgia, University of Michigan - Ann Arbor, University of Mississippi, University of Wisconsin - Madison, Washington and Lee University, Wake Forest University.

REPRESENTED BY TWO STUDENTS IN THE CLASS: Arizona State University, Barnard College - Columbia University, Boston College, Boston University, Clemson University, Denison University, George Mason University, Lee University, Liberty University, Mary Washington College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Miami University Oxford, Michigan State University, Morehouse College, North Carolina State University, Northwestern University, Southern Methodist University, SUNY Binghamton Center, Texas A&M University, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Missouri - Columbia, University of Notre Dame, University of Richmond, University of Texas - Austin, Washington University, Wellesley College.

REPRESENTED BY ONE STUDENT IN THE CLASS: Agnes Scott College, Auburn University, Beaver College, Belmont



University, Baylor University, Brandeis University, Calvin College, Cameron University, Carleton College, Case Western Reserve University, Columbia College, DePauw University, Dordt College, Furman University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Grinnell College, James Madison University, Lafayette College, Lehigh University, Lewis and Clark College, Macalester College, Mary Baldwin College, Muhlenberg College, North Carolina A&T State University, Northern Arizona University, Ohio State University, SUNY Purchase College, Reed College, Saint Louis University, Saint Olaf College, San Diego State University, San Jose State University, Skidmore College, Spelman College, St. John's College, Swarthmore College, Taylor University, Tufts University, Union University, University of Alabama - Birmingham, University of Arizona, University of Arkansas - Fayetteville, University of Arkansas - Little Rock, University of California - Davis, University of Dallas, University of Dayton, University of Illinois - Urbana, University of Kansas, University of Miami, University of Minnesota - Minneapolis, University of Missouri - Rolla, University of Montana, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, University of New Mexico, University of Puget Sound, University of San Diego, University of South Carolina, University of Southern California, University of Texas - El Paso, University of Texas - San Antonio, University of Utah, University of Vermont, University of Wyoming, Valparaiso University, Vassar College, Wesleyan University, Williams College.

TOTAL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOOLS REPRESENTED: 127