

St. Mary's University School of Law
Application for Admission to the Master of Jurisprudence Program

This application is to begin studies in (Check one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Spring 2017 | <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time | <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fall 2017 | <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time | <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spring 2018 | <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time | <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time |

This application is as a (Check one): First-Year Entering Student or Transfer Student

General Information: Please answer *all required* questions and attach additional 8 ½ " x 11" pages as necessary.

1. _____
U.S. Social Security Number (if applicable)

2. _____
Full Name (Last, First, Middle)

Name Under Which Formerly Known (If applicable)

3. _____
Date of Birth (MM-DD-YR)

City, County, and State (or Province or Territory), and Country of Birth

4. Gender Male Female

5. Current Mailing Address (Valid through: / /) (MM-DD-YR)

Street

City

State (or Province or Territory) and Zip Code (or Post Code)

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Day Phone Evening Phone Cell Phone

E-mail Address: _____

6. Permanent Mailing Address (Use Effective: / /)

_____ Street

_____ City

_____/_____ State and Zip Code Texas County of Permanent Residence (*Scholarship Purposes*)

() / () Day Evening

Note: Failure to advise our office of address changes may delay or prevent delivery of notices from the Law School. **Local address updates are required from international students at Orientation and whenever an address changed is made.**

International Students Only:

(a) Are you a US Citizen? Yes (if yes, skip to 7) No

If no indicate:

Country of Citizenship _____

Country of Residence _____

Country of Birth _____

City of Birth _____

(b) Are you a permanent resident? Yes No

If yes indicate:

Visa Type _____ Alien Number _____

SEVIS Number _____

International Students Only

Please note that international students are required to submit a TOEFL or IELTS score. Foreign M.Jur. applicants must have English test scores, TOEFL (80 or above) or IELTS (6.0 or above). After an interview, program directors may waive English tests with the permission of the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs. **International students who have not yet taken either test must indicate the date they plan to take the test.**

All Applicants:

Academic Information:

7. List in chronological order all community/junior colleges, colleges, universities, graduate and professional schools attended (*Please do not abbreviate*).

Institution	Dates of Attendance		Degrees Received			or Anticipated/Date
	Location		From	To	Major	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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8. Standardized test scores are not required for admission. However, if you have taken the LSAT, GRE, GMAT or MCAT you may ask for your scores to be submitted if you wish. If you plan to do so, please indicate here which test(s) results you will be submitting and the date for each test. For GRE scores, please indicate the subject test.

9. Have you ever applied to St. Mary's University School of Law? Yes No
If yes, in what year(s)? _____

10. Have you ever been, or are you currently registered, at any law school? Yes No
If yes, identify the law school and the dates attended below and give reasons for leaving *on a separate sheet of paper*.

Name of Law School

Dates of Attendance

11. List *on a separate sheet of paper* all scholastic or academic honors achieved.

12. Have you ever been dropped, suspended, warned, placed on academic or disciplinary probation, disciplined, expelled or advised to resign from any post-secondary school, college, university, graduate, professional or law school? Yes No
If yes, list and explain in detail each instance *on a separate sheet of paper*.

Employment Information:

13. Were you employed during the academic year while attending college? Yes No
If yes, describe the nature of your employment and the hours worked per week *on a separate sheet of paper*.

14. If you are not currently enrolled in school, list employment held since graduation, including the dates of employment *on a separate sheet of paper*. (***A resume providing this information may be submitted with the application.***)
15. If your answers to any of the following questions (15a, b, c) is “**yes**”, provide full and complete explanations clearly answering the questions *on separate sheets of paper*.

(a)

Yes No

- Have you ever, either as an adult or a juvenile, been **arrested, cited, ticketed for or charged with any violation of the law?**(You may exclude minor traffic violations. However, you must report any traffic offenses involving alcohol, drugs or a controlled substance and any offenses in which there was an attempt, successful or not, to suspend or revoke your driver’s license.) You must disclose each instance of arrest, citation, or ticketing, even though charges may not have been brought against you and even if charges were dismissed or you were acquitted. You must also disclose each instance even if such charges resulted in deferred adjudication or a conviction was reversed, set aside, or vacated, as well as fully disclosing even if you were granted any type of pretrial diversion. (An applicant will not need to disclose information about a juvenile record that has been sealed or expunged.)
Disclosure is required even if you have been told by any source that you do not have to disclose any such instance.

(b)

Yes No

- Have you ever been disciplined or reprimanded by any trade, business or professional organization or had revoked a publicly granted license to practice a trade, business or profession?

(c)

Yes No

- If you have ever served in the Armed Forces (federal or state), were any administrative or disciplinary proceedings commenced against you, or did you receive a less than honorable discharge? (*If you have never served in the Armed Forces, you may leave this question blank.*)

16. Personal Statement. Please submit a statement, *on a separate sheet of paper*, telling the Admissions Committee about yourself and your motivation to pursue legal education. Our goal is to create an intellectually stimulating student body comprised of persons who have diverse backgrounds and who share a desire for academic excellence and accomplishment in their chosen field. In addition to outstanding academic ability, which is a prerequisite, we seek evidence of qualities such as leadership ability, maturity, organizational skills, knowledge of other languages and cultures, a history of meeting challenges or overcoming disadvantage, extraordinary accomplishment or success in a previous career. If you possess any of the above qualities, or other qualities you wish the Committee to consider, include information to that effect in your statement.

Optional Information

*Providing the following information is optional. If you choose to provide it, you may include it in your personal statement or attach it **on a separate sheet of paper.***

18. If you wish to have your ethnicity or cultural background considered for diversity purposes, please describe your ethnic and/or cultural background.
19. Describe any volunteer public-interest or social-service work in which you are or have been involved, in what capacity you served and the time devoted to it.
20. If there is any other information you wish the Committee to consider, including other extracurricular activities, accomplishments or personal history not included elsewhere in this application, please provide it.
21. How did you hear about the Master of Jurisprudence Program at St. Mary's?
Please check all that apply.

- Internet Please specify Web site: _____

- Alumni Please identify alumnus/a: _____

- St. Mary's Professor Please identify professor: _____

- Other Professor Please identify professor/school: _____

- Other Please identify source: _____

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Certification Statement (Required)

I certify that the information provided in this application for admission, and in any attachments hereto, is true and complete. I understand that St. Mary's University School of Law will rely on the information I have provided in reaching an admissions decision. I further understand that if I am admitted and the information provided in this application is found to be false or incomplete, I may be dismissed from St. Mary's University School of Law and/or any degree I earn may be revoked.

Signature

Date City State

**Send completed form to:
St. Mary's University School of Law
Office of Student Recruitment and Admissions
One Camino Santa Maria, San Antonio, TX 78228-8601**

Applicant's Checklist

No Application Fee Required

1. If submitting standardized test scores, I have taken the necessary steps to forward such scores.
2. I have included my Personal Statement and resume.
3. I have arranged for two (2) recommendations to be sent on my behalf.
4. I have completed, dated and signed the St. Mary's University School of Law application form.
5. I have arranged to send official transcripts of my undergraduate and graduate studies. International students must arrange for their foreign transcripts to be evaluated. Only evaluations from the following will be accepted: naces.org, aice-eval.org or ies.aacrao.org.
Note: Only official standardized test scores and official transcripts are accepted.
6. I have retained a copy of my completed application form and attachments for my personal records.