

2018 Entering C	lass*
GPA Median	3.30
LSAT Scores	
75th Percentile	152
LSAT Median	148
25th Percentile	146
Average Age	26
Age Range	20-49
States and Provinces Represented	13
Students of Color	26%

\*As of 8-27-18

#### Location

Western New England University School of Law is located in Springfield, Massachusetts, in the heart of the Pioneer Valley. Springfield is the third largest city in the Commonwealth.

## **Professional Affiliations**

The School of Law is accredited by the ABA and is a member of the Association of American Law Schools.

### **Clinics and Practicums**

- Criminal Law Defense Practicum
- Criminal Law Prosecution Clinic
- Flder Law Clinic
- Family Law Mediation Clinic
- Immigration Clinic
- International Human Rights Clinic
- Legal Services Clinic (includes Disability, Family, and Housing Law units)
- Real Estate Practicum
- Small Business Clinic

#### Concentrations

- Business Law
- Criminal Law
- Estate Planning
- Gender and Sexuality Studies
- International and Comparative Law
- Public Interest Law
- Real Estate



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# **Programs**

- Three-year, full-time program
- Four-year, part-time evening program
- Four-year, part-time day program
- Dual Degree Programs: JD/MBA, JD/MS in Accounting, JD/Master of Regional Planning, JD/Master of Social Work, JD/MS in Organizational Leadership, and JD/MS in Engineering Management
- LLM in Estate Planning and Elder Law
- MS in Estate Planning and Elder Law
- MS in Law

#### Centers and Institutes

- Center for Gender & Sexuality Studies
- Center for Innovation & Entrepreneurship
- Institute for Legislative and Governmental Affairs

# **Faculty**

Our 23 full-time faculty members have been educated at the nation's most prestigious law schools. All have practiced law before joining our faculty and several hold additional graduate degrees in other disciplines. The School of Law also has 48 adjunct faculty members who bring expertise from their current legal practices into the classroom setting.

#### **Small Class Size**

We offer small first-year sections. Our student to faculty ratio of 11:1 promotes greater interaction with peers and professors.

#### Alumni

Our 8,200 alumni live and practice in 50 states, the District of Columbia, and several U.S. territories, with some residing in Europe, Canada and Asia. More than 140 living graduates have ascended to the bench. Most importantly, our alumni serve as career advisors, assist in recruiting new students, and participate as legal career panelists and moot court judges.

#### **Tuition/Financial Aid**

In 2018, tuition for full-time JD students is \$40,634; part-time students pay \$30,476, which includes both the academic year and five credit hours of summer study. The School of Law has a vigorous merit scholarship program consisting of both partial and full-tuition scholarships.