

CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW
Employment Survey
Class of 2019



Includes graduates between September 1, 2018 and August 31, 2019 **(94.3% return)***

Total Class Size 212
 Total Graduates with Known Employment Status 200

Of Known Graduates, those Employed, Pursuing a Graduate Degree, Not Seeking Employment or Employed with Start Date Deferred 87.5%

Employed 80.5%
 Pursuing a Graduate Degree 1.0%
 Not Seeking Employment 5.0%
 Employed, Start Date Deferred 1.0%
 Unemployed, Seeking Employment 12.5%

Of Those Employed

Employed in Law Firms 61.5%
 Employed in Government (includes district attorney positions) 11.8%
 Employed in Business 11.2%
 Employed in Public Interest (includes public defender positions) 9.9%
 Employed in Judicial Clerkships 4.4%
 Employed in Academia 1.2%

Of Those Employed in Law Firms **% in this size firm**

Self-Employed 3.0%
 1-10 Attorney Firm 62.6%
 11-25 Attorney Firm 14.1%
 26-50 Attorney Firm 6.1%
 51-100 Attorney Firm 6.1%
 101-250 Attorney Firm 3.0%
 251-500 Attorney Firm 2.0%
 500 or More Attorney Firm 3.0%

Salaries for Employed Graduates**

Private Practice - Average Salary \$79,141
Public Sector - Average Salary \$71,208

*Employment data is voluntarily self-reported. These summary figures are based on the 94.3% of the Class of 2019 whose employment data is reported and known.

**Salary figures are voluntarily self-reported and are not provided by all respondents. Salary data reflects full-time, long-term positions only, and does not include data for those self-employed. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis.