California Western School of Law
LL.M./M.C.L. Admissions Application

Degree Applying For:

- ☐ M.C.L. (Master of Comparative Law)
- ☐ LL.M. (Master of Laws in Comparative Law) - Scholarly Writing Requirement
- ☐ Certificate Program in Comparative & International Law (One semester)

Semester: ○ Fall ○ Spring

Year:

Contact Information

First Name:

Middle Name:

Last (Family) Name:

Mailing Address

City:

State/Province:

Zip Code:

Country:

Permanent Address (if different):

City:

State/Province:

Country:

E-mail Address:

Daytime Phone:

Should we contact you by Phone or E-mail?

- ○ Phone
- ○ E-mail

Personal Information

U.S. Social Security Number (optional):

Note: If including a Social Security Number, please consider mailing your completed application. E-mail is not a secure way to transmit this sensitive information.

Gender:
- ◯ Male
- ◯ Female

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Citizenship:
- ◯ U.S. Citizen
- ◯ U.S. Permanent Resident
- ◯ Non-Resident Alien
- ◯ Other:

If Non-Resident Alien, Current Visa Type:

Will You Require an I-20 Form for an F-1 Student Visa?
- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing System (IELTS)

If your native language is not English, when did you or do you plan to take the TOEFL/IELTS?

Date:

Score:

Please have your scores sent directly to California Western School of Law by Educational Testing Services. Our Institutional Code is 4802 and the Department Code is 03.

Demographic Information

California Western School of law values the diversity of our student body. If you wish to voluntarily identify yourself to the law school as a member of a particular racial and/or ethnic group, please answer questions 1- 3 below. If no category describes you accurately, please select the closest category listed or you may select "other" and provide a description. The information you provide will not be used in any discriminatory manner. If you choose to provide this information, please respond to all three questions.

Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino?
(A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race)

○ Yes ○ No

If Yes, please select one of these categories:

☐ Central American ☐ Chicano/Mexican
☐ Cuban ☐ Puerto Rican
☐ South American
☐ Other Hispanic/Latino _____

In addition, please select one or more of the racial categories to describe yourself.

American Indian/ Alaska Native
(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America- including Central America- who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or attachment)

☐ Alaska Native
☐ American Indian

Asian
(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of East Asia or the Indian Subcontinent)

☐ Cambodian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino
☐ Indian ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean
☐ Malaysian ☐ Pakistani ☐ Thai
☐ Vietnamese
☐ Other Asian _____

Black or African American
(A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa)

☐ Black or African American
☐ Other Black or African American _____

Caucasian/White
(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North America)

☐ European
☐ Middle East
☐ North African
☐ Other Caucasian/White _____

Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander
(A person having origins in any of the Pacific Islands)

- ☐ Native Hawaiian
- ☐ Pacific Islander
- ☐ Other

Educational Information

List all colleges, universities, graduate, and professional schools attended or currently attending.

School:

Major:

Degree:

Graduation Date:

GPA or Class Rank:

School:

Major:

Degree:

Graduation Date

GPA or Class Rank:

School:

Major:

Degree:

Graduation Date:

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List all academic honors, publications, bar memberships, and relevant extracurricular activities:

Professional Employment Experience

Employer:

Job Description:

Dates:

Employer:

Job Description:

Dates:

Employer:

Job Description:

Dates:

If you answer yes to either of the following two questions, submit a full explanation with dates.

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic infraction or are there any criminal charges pending or expected to be brought against you?

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

Has any educational institution, governmental or administrative agency (including any branch of the armed forces) or employer ever taken disciplinary action (including academic probation or suspension) against you?

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

If yes, provide full explanation with dates:

Letters of reference will be submitted by:

Who or what prompted you to apply to California Western?

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING: I certify that the information provided by me in this application is complete and accurate. While this application is active, I shall promptly advise the Admissions Office of any change in any of the facts presented in this application. I understand and agree that omission, misrepresentation, or concealment of any facts or information on this application may be considered sufficient reason for refusal of admission, expulsion, or dismissal after admission or revocation of degree.

Signature:
(Sign by hand after completing and printing application)

Date:

Application Instructions: After completing this form via computer, please print and sign your legal name. Please mail to the address below or scan to PDF and e-mail to llm-mcl@cwsl.edu (not recommended if including Social Security Number).

Your application is not complete until all of the following items are received: (check those included)

- ☐ Complete and signed application
- ☐ Non-refundable application fee of $55
- ☐ Personal statement
- ☐ Official transcripts
- ☐ Two recommendation letters
- ☐ Official TOEFL scores
- ☐ Financial certification
- ☐ Passport size photo

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