

THURGOOD MARSHALL SCHOOL OF LAW *

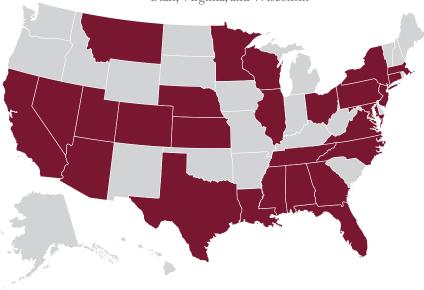


Inside TMSL 2010-2011

LAW SCHOOL POPULATION: 580

STATES OF STUDENT BODY

Residency (2010): Alabama, Arizona, California. Colorado, Connecticut, Washington D.C., Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Maryland, Montana, Mississippi, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada, New York, New Jersey, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, and Wisconsin



CAREER SERVICES

The Career Services Office (CSO) prepares students for employment by introducing them to various traditional and non-traditional legal career options. The CSO provides extensive guidance in interviewing skills, resume building, cover letters, and networking tools. It presents employment opportunities through numerous resources that include on-campus interview programs; off-campus recruitment events and job fairs; and access to legal job sources that regularly announce available positions.

JOBS/CAREER CHOICES

Houston, as a city, is the largest legal market in Texas. The current law firm scene is dynamic offering some of the broadest variety in the types of legal

work, with local, regional, and international firms all playing significant roles. As the largest seaport in the United States, an energy hub, a transportation center, and home for several major offices of financial institutions and insurance companies, Houston has the most diversified economy in Texas.

The following areas that are consistently active include: bankruptcy; compliance; employment; litigation; real estate; mergers and acquisitions; divestitures; public finance; biotech; IP prosecution, securities, oil and gas; appellate; ERISA; public service; probate; tax; and family law.

WHO WE ARE

The strength of Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law lies in its ability to attract a diverse student body and faculty. Moreover, Thurgood Marshall School of Law is proud that it has produced numerous attorneys and judges of all ethnicitiesthereby, significantly impacting the diversity of our nation's legal representatives. This strength has enabled the law school to rank among the top five producers of African American law graduates each year. The highly competent faculty includes many teachers who are well suited to the law school's mission. The strengths are as follows:

- A diverse student body, faculty, and staff.
- A local, regional, and national leader in the aggregation of minority law graduates.
- The largest producer of African-American lawyers to the Texas Bar.
- One of five approved law programs at a historically black college/university.
- One of the largest pools of African-American law professors at any law school.
- A large variety of funding sources.
- Second largest application pool for historically black law schools.
- Several institutes for specialized learning.
- A highly-credentialed administrative staff including six non-faculty JDs.

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- The creation of several faculty support programs annual sabbaticals, summer releases, research assistants, teaching assistants, and travel allowances.
- Association with a parent university with a large group of scholars in various disciplines.
- The provision of a community resource in the Environmental Justice area.

LOCATION

TMSL knows it's not just academia that promotes intellectual growth; social experiences matter too. The campus is centrally located in Houston, the fourth most populous city in the nation and a world-class city second to none. Come revel in a rich melting pot of diversity and experience a vibrant wealth of opportunity!

Undergraduate Institutions

Amherst College Baylor University

Brigham Young University

California State University-Dominguez Hills

California State University-Fullerton California State University-Northridge

California State University-Sacramento

Clark Atlanta University

College of Wooster Fisk University

Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University

Florida International University

Florida State University

Georgia State University

Houston Baptist University

Howard University

Hunter College-CUNY

Jackson State University

John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Kent State University

Lamar University

Langston University

Louisiana State University-Baton Rouge

Mississippi State University

Morehouse College

Nicholls State University

North Carolina Agricultural and Tech State University

Ohio State University-Columbus

Old Dominion University

Our Lady of the Lake University-San Antonio

Park University

Pennsylvania State University-University Park

Prairie View A&M University

Roger Williams University

Saint Edwards University

Saint Louis University

Salisbury University

Sam Houston State University

San Diego State University

Southern Methodist University

Southern University-Baton Rouge

Southern Utah University

Spelman College

Stephen F. Austin State University

SUNY at Binghamton Center

SUNY College at Buffalo

Temple University

Tennessee State University

Texas A & M University-College Station

Texas A & M University-Corpus Christi

Texas A & M University-Kingsville

Texas Lutheran University

Texas Southern University

Texas State University-San Marcos

Texas Tech University

Tuskegee University

University of California-Berkeley

University of California-Irvine

University of Cincinnati

University of Georgia-Athens

University of Houston

University of Houston- Clear Lake City

University of Houston - Victoria

University of Louisiana at Lafayette

University of Mary Hardin-Baylor

University of Maryland-Baltimore County

University of Maryland-College Park

University of Massachusetts-Boston

University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

University of Minnesota-Minneapolis

University of Mississippi

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

University of North Florida

University of North Texas

University of Oklahoma

University of Pittsburgh

University of Rhode Island

University of Saint Thomas-TX

University of South Alabama

University of South Florida

University of Southern California

University of Texas-Austin

University of Texas-El Paso

University of Texas-San Antonio

University of Texas-Brownsville

University of Texas-Pan American

University of the Incarnate Wood

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University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

VA Commonwealth University Academic Division

Virginia State University

Western New England College

Western Washington University

Xavier University of Louisiana