



Application Status: First-Year Transfer (2nd Year) Visiting (3rd Year)

Personal Information

NAME			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Former)
Social Security Number			
Current Street Address (valid until _____)		Permanent Street Address (if different from current)	
City, State, Zip code		City, State, Zip code	
Current Phone Numbers:		Permanent Phone Numbers	
Day		Day:	
Evening		Evening:	
email address:		email address:	

Previous Course Work List *all* post-secondary schools attended, starting with the most recently attended school.

Name of School (include city and state)	Major	Attendance Dates (mm/yy - mm/yy)	Degree received or expected	Date received or expected

Character and Fitness PLEASE NOTE: All states require applicants for admission to the Bar to fulfill certain character and fitness requirements. These requirements are separate and may differ from those of the School of Law. You are encouraged to secure information prior to law school matriculation on bar admissions requirements of the state(s) in which you plan to practice

Have you ever been expelled, suspended, disciplined, placed on academic probation, or received academic warning by any school, college, or university? No Yes

Have you ever been found guilty of or pled guilty or no contest to a crime? **NOTE:** this question means that you must disclose, regardless of whether a matter is or ever was of record, (1) all criminal offenses committed as an adult, (2) all traffic offenses occurring within the last five years and (3) all felony criminal offenses committed as a juvenile. No Yes

Have you ever been disciplined by a professional regulatory body for violating standards of conduct, or disciplined by an employer for an employment offense (such as stealing, falsifying records, or abusing intoxicants or drugs?) No Yes

If you answered "Yes" to any of the Character and Fitness questions, you must submit an explanation on a separate page.

LSAT and LSDAS dates

List all dates you have taken or will take the LSAT	Date of registration with LSDAS
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Armed Forces

Have you served as a member of the armed forces of the United States? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, give dates of active duty: ____/____/____ to ____/____/____ Assignment: _____

Citizenship/Residency

Country of Citizenship: _____ If not a US citizen, are you a permanent resident alien of the U.S.? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No type of visa: _____ Date issued ____/____/____ (attach a front and back copy of your current immigrant status card (green card) or visa)

Your responses to the following questions and the Montana University System’s Residency Policy will dictate your residency status for admission and fee purposes. In general, to be admitted as a Montana resident you must have been domiciled in Montana for 12 consecutive months prior to the Law School’s receipt of this application. If you are not a Montana resident as of the date of application, you may qualify for residency status if you will have been domiciled in Montana for 12 consecutive months immediately preceding registration and have taken sufficient steps showing intent to establish residency.

State in which you claim legal residency: _____

If you claim residency in Montana, you must answer the following questions.

Date domicile began in MT: ____/____/____

During the two years prior to the desired term of enrollment, will you have been registered for a total of seven or more credits during a semester/quarter at any post-secondary institution? Yes No If yes, please specify:
 School Name _____ Location (state) ____ Enrollment Status Resident Nonresident

During the twelve months prior to the desired term of enrollment, will you have been absent from the state of Montana for more than 30 days? Yes No

As of the desired term of enrollment, will you have filed a Montana state income tax return?
 Yes No Tax year(s) _____ As a part-year resident As a full-year resident

In what state are you registered to vote? _____ Date of registration ____/____/____

From what state is your driver’s license issued? _____ Date issued: ____/____/____

If you own a motor vehicle, in what state is it licensed? _____ Date of registration ____/____/____

Employment Status: You: <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployed Employer’s name and address _____ Date began ____/____/____	If applicable, your spouse’s Employment Status: Spouse: <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployed Employer’s name and address _____ Date began ____/____/____
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Does your parent or legal guardian claim you as a federal income tax exemption? Yes No

If “yes,” the following questions must also be completed.

Date parent or legal guardian’s domicile began in MT: _____

For what year(s) has your parent or legal guardian filed a Montana state income tax return?
 As a part-year resident As a full-year resident

In what state is your parent or legal guardian registered to vote? _____ Date of registration: ____/____/____

In what state is your parent or legal guardian’s driver’s license issued? _____ Date issued: ____/____/____

Parent or legal guardian’s employment status: Full-time Part-time Unemployed
 Employer’s name and address _____ Date began: ____/____/____

Checklist

- Sign the application and enclose the \$60 application fee payable to The University of Montana School of Law. This fee is not refundable.
- Enclose two personal statements on separate sheets of paper and limit each statement to no more than 800 words. (Please see *Application Instructions and Procedures*.)
- Enclose a resume that includes specific dates of employment and contact information.
- Arrange for three letters of reference to be sent to LSDAS.

Return all materials to:

School of Law
Admissions Office
The University of Montana
32Campus Drive
Missoula, MT 59812

I certify all of the statements made in this application for admission and the accompanying enclosures are complete and accurate. I understand that I am under a continuing obligation to supplement statements and enclosures contained in this application should the information provided become incomplete or inaccurate. I further state I have read the University of Montana School of Law Catalog, and I understand the admission criteria and procedure. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations that are now, or may be in the future, in force at the University of Montana School of Law and understand misrepresentation of application information is sufficient grounds for canceling registration or terminating admission.

Signature

Date

Request for optional information. The University of Montana School of Law requests but does not require you to answer the questions in this section. Your responses assist us in evaluating our admissions program.

Please indicate what significantly influenced your decision to apply to The University of Montana School of Law.

- Prelaw adviser Alumnus Friend Curriculum/Program
 - Campus recruiter Visit to campus Montana location Other
- (specify) _____
- Web site Catalog Publication (specify) _____

Please list any area of law in which you have a specific interest: _____

If applying to a Joint Degree Program, please indicate which one. JD/EVST JD/MPA JD/MBA