

## January 2024 Annual Disclosure by California Accredited Law Schools Under California Business & Professions Code Section 6061.7(a)

Name of Law School: Thomas Jefferson School of Law

Primary Address: 701 B Street, Suite 110

San Diego, CA 92101

Additional Approved Branch Campus(es):  
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Law schools that are registered or accredited in the State of California but are not approved by the American Bar Association must file this disclosure at the start of each calendar year pursuant to California Business & Professions Code section 6061.7(a). Data in this report covers the 52 weeks ending September 15, 2023 unless noted. The State Bar of California’s website includes a [list](#) of all law schools that are registered as unaccredited or accredited in California.

### 1) Admissions Data:

- a) Total number of first-year applications received: 461
- b) Total number of first-year students admitted: 396
- c) Total number of first-year students enrolled: 81\*
- d) Undergraduate Grade Point Average (GPA) for all first-year students enrolled:
  - i) 75th Percentile: 3.26
  - ii) 50th Percentile: 3.03
  - iii) 25th Percentile: 2.68
- e) Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) numerical score for all first-year students enrolled who provided an LSAT score (if LSAT is required or accepted for admission):  
Reported Numerical Score:
  - i) 75th Percentile: 147
  - ii) 50th Percentile: 143
  - iii) 25th Percentile: 140

\* As of first day of classes.

### 2) Time and Charges to earn a JD degree as of September 15, 2023:

- a) Total number of semester units required to earn a JD degree: 80
- b) Estimated **total** tuition charged to **complete** a JD degree: \$ 96000
- c) Estimated **total** fees charged to **complete** a JD degree: \$ 7200

### 3) Financial Aid Available to First-Year Students (if qualified):

- Federally Guaranteed Loans
- Private Student Loans
- Veterans Education Benefits
- California Department of Rehabilitation
- Unrestricted Scholarships/Grants/Discounts:  
Total number and dollar amount awarded:  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Conditional Scholarships/Grants:  
Total number and dollar amount awarded: (2022-23 award year)  
8 \$ 166,100

Description of all conditions (e.g., cumulative GPA) required to maintain any such scholarship:

Conditional scholarships renew automatically with a cumulative GPA of 2.700 or higher, after each Fall and Spring semester.

**4) Enrollment Data**

a) Total number of students enrolled per class in the law school's JD degree program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2020	2021	2022	2023
1st Year	126	129	85	82
2nd Year	42	92	91	60
3rd Year	39	42	84	82
4th Year	16	11	4	16
Total JD enrollment	223	274	264	240

b) Total number of students who transferred to or from the JD program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2020	2021	2022	2023
Transfers (to)	2	2	3	1
Transfers (from)	5	3	8	3

c) Total number of students who did not remain enrolled in the JD program, on either a voluntary or involuntary basis, during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below (includes those who transferred to other schools):

	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total Attrition (#)	15	50	52	35

**5) Law School Administrators, Faculty, and Librarians as of September 15, 2023:**

- a) Number of full-time faculty: 9
- b) Number of part-time faculty: 60
- c) Number of full-time administrators: 17
- d) Number of part-time administrators: 1
- e) Number of trained and degreed librarians (full- or part-time): 3

**6) Required Courses and Clinical Courses as of September 15, 2023:**

- a) Number of required courses for JD degree: 21
- b) Average class size for required courses: 30
- c) Number of school-sponsored clinical programs offered for credit: 4

**7) Employment Outcomes:**

The percentage of students graduating in 2020 who were employed in 2021, 2022, or 2023 in:

a) jobs that require a JD degree; or b) jobs in which holding a JD degree is an advantage:

Total number of 2020 JD graduates: 98 Total number of surveys returned: 46  
 Total number of 2020 JD graduates surveyed: 98 Survey response rate: 46.9 %

Employment Status of 2020 Grads in:	2021	2022	2023
JD degree required job	73.9 %	76.1 %	80.4 %
JD degree advantage job per job description	17.4 %	17.4 %	15.2 %

\*Survey conducted between 9/18/23 and 11/10/23. Of the 52 graduates who did not respond to the survey, 22 passed a bar exam. Not included in the chart are 15 graduates currently in JD Required positions whose employment has been verified but who did not respond to the survey.

**8) California Bar Examination Cumulative Passage Data Calculated using the formula set forth in Accredited Rule 4.160(D) Minimum, Cumulative Five-Year Bar Passage Rate (MPR) Reporting Period: August 1, 2017 - July 31, 2022**

Cumulative percentage of students who graduated during the Reporting Period and passed any California Bar Examination during the Reporting Period or the February 2023 bar exam, if they graduated within 10 administrations of that bar exam; adjusted to exclude those pursuing licensure under CRC 9.49.1 and include those who have licensed through this option.

64.6 %