Why Attend FAMU College of Law?

Tuition rates for Florida Residents: $13,816.00, full-time and $10,207.00, part-time, per academic year; Non-Resident yearly tuition: $33,077.00, full-time and $24,332.00 part-time. Full-time is based on 30 credits, and part-time is based on 22 credits per academic year.

Affordability - Tuition for in-state and out-of-state students at FAMU College of Law remains among the lowest in Florida. Our tuition rate offers a remarkable value, even on a national scale. Our comprehensive financial aid program includes institutional grants and federal loan programs to help eligible students fulfill the financial obligations attendant with a legal education. All admitted students are considered automatically for any institutional scholarships and need only submit a separate scholarship application when specifically requested.

Flexibility - FAMU College of Law applicants may apply to the full-time day program, or part-time evening program, or both programs at the time of application. Complementing our standard curriculum, we offer international legal opportunities that permit our students to expand their scope of knowledge by exploring the law abroad and through other law schools.

Fall 2020 Prospective Students
Applications may be submitted electronically at the Law School Admissions Council website (www.lsac.org). The deadline for application submission is May 31, 2020. Priority deadline for FAFSA is March 1, 2020, use FAMU code 001480.

Fall 2019 Entering Class Profile

145/147/149
LSAT 25th/Avg./75th

2.87/3.12/3.43
GPA 25th/Avg./75th

212
Class Size
1271 applications received
Values based on data as of Sept. 2019
Professional skills training and development courses are offered throughout the learning continuum to effectively prepare students for the practice of law. Students hone essential lawyering skills in simulation courses, such as mediation and interviewing, negotiation and counseling; and litigation courses such as trial practice. Students can meet the professional skills requirement by taking those and other practical courses or by taking a clinic course, including the Criminal Defense Clinic, Mediation Clinic and Judicial Externship.

Experiential Learning:

Field Placements offer students semester-long opportunities to leave the traditional classroom setting and assist lawyers and judges in the practice of law and the administration of justice. Field Placements enhance the substantive law curriculum through experiential, hands-on learning under the close supervision of a Florida A&M University College of Law faculty member. Students in the program will work for judges, government agencies, public interest organizations, non-profit organizations, law firms and corporate legal offices, receiving valuable instruction to supplement what they learn in the classroom. Field Placements will provide insight into professional responsibility and the operation of the legal system, and students will develop the practical skills, poise and confidence necessary to be effective practitioners.

Graduate Employment

Recent FAMU Law graduates are busy serving their communities at large firms such as Holland & Knight, LLP, Morgan & Morgan, P.A., Greenberg Traurig, LLP, and Cole, Scott & Kissane, P.A.; major businesses such as Lockheed Martin Corporation, Walt Disney World, and Verizon Communications; and governmental agencies such as the Office of the State Attorney, Office of the Public Defender, the Internal Revenue Service, and the Judge Advocate Generals Corps in the armed forces.

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