

February 2014 Pennsylvania Bar Examination

Examination Statistics



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Overall Data

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Successful Applicants		
* Combined MBE and Scaled Essay/PT scores of 272 or greater	413	57.36%
Unsuccessful Applicants		
* Combined MBE and Scaled Essay/PT scores of 271 or less	307	42.64%
Total Number of Applicants Tested:	720	

MBE Scaled Score Data

Mean MBE Scaled Score for Applicants Testing in Pennsylvania	137.397
Mean MBE Scaled Score for Total Population (National)	137.957
Range of MBE Scaled Scores for Applicants Testing in Pennsylvania	87.700-177.000
Range of MBE Scaled Scores for Total Population (National)	70.700-187.100
Minimum Successful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	123.800
Maximum Successful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	177.000
Minimum Unsuccessful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	87.700
Maximum Unsuccessful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	150.200

Essay/PT Scaled Score Data

Mean Essay/PT Scaled Score	137.340
Minimum Successful Essay/PT Scaled Score	126.827
Maximum Successful Essay/PT Scaled Score	173.253
Minimum Unsuccessful Essay/PT Scaled Score	92.984
Maximum Unsuccessful Essay/PT Scaled Score	144.616

Passing Rates for Specific Attempts

	<u>Successful</u>	<u>Unsuccessful</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pass Rate</u>
1st Attempt	249	95	344	72.38%
2nd Attempt	134	129	263	50.95%
3rd Attempt	14	28	42	33.33%
4th or more Attempts	16	55	71	22.54%
Total:	413	307	720	57.36%



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Passing Rates for Pennsylvania Area Law Schools

	Attempts	Successful	Unsuccessful	Applicants	Pass Rate
Drexel University School of Law	1st	6	3	9	66.67%
	2 or more	9	8	17	52.94%
	Total	15	11	26	57.69%
Duquesne University School of Law	1st	0	2	2	0.00%
	2 or more	16	29	45	35.56%
	Total	16	31	47	34.04%
Pennsylvania State University - Dickinson School of Law	1st	4	2	6	66.67%
	2 or more	1	6	7	14.29%
	Total	5	8	13	38.46%
Rutgers University School of Law - Camden	1st	21	6	27	77.78%
	2 or more	12	10	22	54.55%
	Total	33	16	49	67.35%
Temple University - James E. Beasley School of Law	1st	18	4	22	81.82%
	2 or more	11	11	22	50.00%
	Total	29	15	44	65.91%
University of Pennsylvania Law School	1st	6	0	6	100.00%
	2 or more	2	1	3	66.67%
	Total	8	1	9	88.89%
University of Pittsburgh School of Law	1st	14	1	15	93.33%
	2 or more	19	17	36	52.78%
	Total	33	18	51	64.71%
Villanova University School of Law	1st	6	2	8	75.00%
	2 or more	9	19	28	32.14%
	Total	15	21	36	41.67%
Widener University School of Law - Delaware	1st	38	21	59	64.41%
	2 or more	19	21	40	47.50%
	Total	57	42	99	57.58%
Widener University School of Law - Harrisburg	1st	10	1	11	90.91%
	2 or more	8	10	18	44.44%
	Total	18	11	29	62.07%



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Law Schools Represented

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2	Albany Law School of Union University
3	American University - Washington College of Law
1	Arizona State University College of Law
1	Atlanta's John Marshall Law School
5	Ave Maria School of Law
1	Barry University – Dwayne O Andreas School of Law
4	Benjamin N Cardozo School of Law - Yeshiva University
1	Boston College Law School
2	Boston University School of Law
2	Brooklyn Law School
2	California Western School of Law
1	Capital University Law School
6	Case Western Reserve University - Franklin Thomas Backus School of Law
3	Catholic University of America - Columbus School of Law
6	Charlotte School of Law
3	Cleveland State University - Cleveland-Marshall College of Law
5	Columbia University School of Law
3	Cornell Law School
4	Depaul University College of Law
26	Drexel University School of Law
1	Duke University School of Law
47	Duquesne University School of Law
3	Emory University School of Law
1	Florida A & M University College of Law
7	Florida Coastal School of Law
3	Florida International University College of Law
5	Fordham University School of Law
1	George Mason University School of Law
4	George Washington University Law School
5	Georgetown University Law Center
1	Gonzaga University School of Law
2	Hamline University School of Law
6	Hofstra University School of Law
3	Howard University School of Law
1	Inter American University School of Law
1	John Marshall Law School (Illinois)
1	Lewis & Clark Law School
1	Louisiana State University, Paul M. Herbert Law Center
1	Loyola University - Chicago School of Law



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1	Marquette University Law School
3	Michigan State University College of Law
3	Mississippi College School of Law
1	Moscow State Law Academy
3	New England School of Law
6	New York Law School
2	New York University School of Law
2	North Carolina Central University School of Law
3	Northeastern University School of Law
2	Northwestern University School of Law
2	Nova Southeastern University - Shepard Broad Law Center
4	Ohio Northern University - Claude W. Pettit College of Law
2	Ohio State University Moritz College of Law
2	Pace University School of Law
13	Pennsylvania State University - Dickinson School of Law
2	Quinnipiac University School of Law
5	Roger Williams University School of Law
49	Rutgers University School of Law - Camden
3	Rutgers University School of Law - Newark
1	Saint Louis University School of Law
2	Santa Clara University School of Law
1	Seattle University School of Law
6	Seton Hall University School of Law
1	Southern Illinois University School of Law
1	Southern University Law Center
2	St. John's University School of Law
1	St. Mary's University School of Law
1	St. Thomas University School of Law
1	Stanford University Law School
3	State University of New York - Buffalo Law School
3	Stetson University College of Law
4	Suffolk University Law School
4	Syracuse University
44	Temple University - James E. Beasley School of Law
1	Texas A & M University School of Law
3	Thomas Jefferson School of Law
42	Thomas M. Cooley Law School
1	Touro Law, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
2	Tulane University Law School



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2	University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law
1	University of Arkansas School of Law - Fayetteville
12	University of Baltimore School of Law
1	University of California - Davis School of Law
2	University of California - Hastings College of Law
2	University of California - Los Angeles School of Law
1	University of Chicago Law School
1	University of Cincinnati College of Law
5	University of Dayton School of Law
1	University of Denver Sturm College of Law
2	University of Detroit Mercy School of Law
4	University of District of Columbia - The David A. Clarke School of Law
1	University of Florida - Frederic G. Levin College of Law
1	University of Georgia School of Law
1	University of Hawaii at Manoa - William S. Richardson School of Law
2	University of Louisville
3	University of Maryland School of Law
2	University of Massachusetts- Dartmouth School of Law
2	University of Miami School of Law
5	University of Michigan Law School
1	University of Missouri - Columbia School of Law
1	University of North Carolina School of Law
1	University of Oregon School of Law
9	University of Pennsylvania Law School
51	University of Pittsburgh School of Law
1	University of Richmond
4	University of San Diego School of Law
1	University of St. Thomas
2	University of the Pacific - McGeorge School of Law
4	University of Virginia School of Law
1	University of Wisconsin Law School
2	Vermont Law School
36	Villanova University School of Law
1	Washington and Lee University School of Law
1	Washington University Law School
1	Wayne State University School of Law
10	West Virginia University College of Law
2	Western New England College School of Law
1	Western State University College of Law



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1	Whittier Law School
99	Widener University School of Law - Delaware
29	Widener University School of Law - Harrisburg
2	William & Mary Law School - Marshall Wythe School of Law
1	William Mitchell College of Law

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