

July 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	1,496	75.52%
Unsuccessful Applicants		
* Combined MBE and Scaled Essay/PT scores of 271 or less	485	24.48%
Total Number of Applicants Tested:	1,981	

MBE Scaled Score Data

Mean MBE Scaled Score for Applicants Testing in Pennsylvania	144.310
Mean MBE Scaled Score for Total Population (National)	141.468
Range of MBE Scaled Scores for Applicants Testing in Pennsylvania	84.800-182.100
Range of MBE Scaled Scores for Total Population (National)	44.400-187.500
Minimum Successful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	122.100
Maximum Successful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	182.100
Minimum Unsuccessful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	84.800
Maximum Unsuccessful MBE Scaled Score in Pennsylvania	151.800

Essay/PT Scaled Score Data

Mean Essay/PT Scaled Score	144.270
Minimum Successful Essay/PT Scaled Score	124.901
Maximum Successful Essay/PT Scaled Score	181.144
Minimum Unsuccessful Essay/PT Scaled Score	90.125
Maximum Unsuccessful Essay/PT Scaled Score	147.227

Passing Rates for Specific Attempts

	<u>Successful</u>	<u>Unsuccessful</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pass Rate</u>
1st Attempt	1,439	304	1,743	82.56%
2nd Attempt	29	53	82	35.37%
3rd Attempt	22	67	89	24.72%
4th or more Attempts	6	61	67	8.96%
Total:	1,496	485	1,981	75.52%



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Passing Rates for Pennsylvania Area Law Schools

	Attempts	Successful	Unsuccessful	Applicants	Pass Rate
Drexel University School of Law	1st	98	14	112	87.50%
	2 or more	3	4	7	42.86%
	Total	101	18	119	84.87%
Duquesne University School of Law	1st	140	13	153	91.50%
	2 or more	7	16	23	30.43%
	Total	147	29	176	83.52%
Pennsylvania State University - Dickinson School of Law	1st	87	17	104	83.65%
	2 or more	0	14	14	0.00%
	Total	87	31	118	73.73%
Rutgers University School of Law - Camden	1st	112	30	142	78.87%
	2 or more	2	9	11	18.18%
	Total	114	39	153	74.51%
Temple University - James E. Beasley School of Law	1st	151	28	179	84.36%
	2 or more	4	9	13	30.77%
	Total	155	37	192	80.73%
University of Pennsylvania Law School	1st	42	2	44	95.45%
	2 or more	0	1	1	0.00%
	Total	42	3	45	93.33%
University of Pittsburgh School of Law	1st	141	15	156	90.38%
	2 or more	5	10	15	33.33%
	Total	146	25	171	85.38%
Villanova University School of Law	1st	139	9	148	93.92%
	2 or more	1	9	10	10.00%
	Total	140	18	158	88.61%
Widener University School of Law - Delaware	1st	83	37	120	69.17%
	2 or more	8	21	29	27.59%
	Total	91	58	149	61.07%
Widener University School of Law - Harrisburg	1st	68	17	85	80.00%
	2 or more	3	8	11	27.27%
	Total	71	25	96	73.96%



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5	Albany Law School of Union University
9	American University - Washington College of Law
2	Appalachian School of Law
1	Atlanta's John Marshall Law School
7	Ave Maria School of Law
2	Barry University – Dwayne O Andreas School of Law
4	Benjamin N Cardozo School of Law - Yeshiva University
8	Boston College Law School
1	Boston University School of Law
1	Brooklyn Law School
1	California Western School of Law
1	Campbell University - Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law
4	Capital University Law School
9	Case Western Reserve University - Franklin Thomas Backus School of Law
6	Catholic University of America - Columbus School of Law
1	Chapman University School of Law
6	Charlotte School of Law
1	Cleveland State University - Cleveland-Marshall College of Law
3	Columbia University School of Law
7	Cornell Law School
2	DePaul University College of Law
119	Drexel University School of Law
4	Duke University School of Law
176	Duquesne University School of Law
2	Elon University
3	Emory University School of Law
13	Florida Coastal School of Law
2	Florida International University College of Law
1	Florida State University College of Law
3	Fordham Law School
5	George Mason University School of Law
19	George Washington University Law School
18	Georgetown University Law Center
1	Golden Gate University College of Law
1	Gonzaga University School of Law
2	Hamline University School of Law
8	Harvard University Law School
5	Hofstra Law School/Maurice A. Deane School of Law
8	Howard University School of Law



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3	Illinois Institute of Technology - Chicago-Kent College of Law
2	Indiana University School of Law - Bloomington
2	Lewis & Clark Law School
1	Louisiana State University, Paul M. Herbert Law Center
2	Loyola University - New Orleans School of Law
2	Marquette University Law School
1	Mercer University - Walter F. George School of Law
13	Michigan State University College of Law
1	Mississippi College School of Law
1	Moscow State Law Academy
7	New England School of Law
4	New York Law School
4	New York University School of Law
4	Northeastern University School of Law
1	Northwestern University School of Law
3	Nova Southeastern University - Shepard Broad Law Center
12	Ohio Northern University - Claude W. Pettit College of Law
3	Ohio State University Moritz College of Law
2	Oklahoma City University School of Law
3	Pace University School of Law
118	Pennsylvania State University - Dickinson School of Law
3	Pepperdine University School of Law
2	Phoenix School of Law
1	Quinnipiac University School of Law
6	Regent University School of Law
9	Roger Williams University School of Law
153	Rutgers University School of Law - Camden
8	Rutgers University School of Law - Newark
6	Saint Louis University School of Law
12	Seton Hall University School of Law
1	Southwestern Law School
3	St. John's University School of Law
5	St. Thomas University School of Law
2	Stanford University Law School
2	State University of New York - Buffalo Law School
2	Stetson University College of Law
12	Suffolk University Law School
14	Syracuse University College of Law
192	Temple University - James E. Beasley School of Law



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2	Texas A & M University School of Law
1	Thomas Jefferson School of Law
52	Thomas M. Cooley Law School
2	Touro Law, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center
7	Tulane University Law School
1	Universidad Santa Maria
5	University of Akron
2	University of Alabama School of Law
3	University of Arkansas at Little Rock, William H. Bowen School of Law
14	University of Baltimore School of Law
3	University of California - Berkeley School of Law
1	University of California - Hastings College of Law
1	University of California - Los Angeles School of Law
3	University of Chicago Law School
1	University of Cincinnati College of Law
1	University of Connecticut School of Law
10	University of Dayton School of Law
2	University of Denver Sturm College of Law
5	University of Detroit Mercy School of Law
2	University of District of Columbia - The David A. Clarke School of Law
3	University of Florida - Frederic G. Levin College of Law
1	University of Georgia School of Law
2	University of Illinois College of Law
2	University of Iowa College of Law
4	University of Maryland School of Law
9	University of Miami School of Law
9	University of Michigan Law School
3	University of Minnesota Law School
1	University of Mississippi School of Law
1	University of Missouri - Columbia School of Law
1	University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Law
1	University of New Hampshire School of Law
3	University of North Carolina School of Law
2	University of North Dakota School of Law
14	University of Notre Dame Law School
2	University of Oklahoma College of Law
45	University of Pennsylvania Law School
171	University of Pittsburgh School of Law
1	University of Richmond



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2	University of San Francisco School of Law
1	University of South Carolina School of Law
1	University of Tennessee College of Law
1	University of Texas School of Law
1	University of the Pacific - McGeorge School of Law
2	University of Toledo College of Law
1	University of Tulsa College of Law
17	University of Virginia School of Law
2	University of Wisconsin Law School
1	University of Wyoming College of Law
2	Valparaiso University School of Law
4	Vanderbilt University Law School
5	Vermont Law School
158	Villanova University School of Law
5	Wake Forest University School of Law
6	Washington and Lee University School of Law
7	Washington University Law School
12	West Virginia University College of Law
1	Western New England College School of Law
1	Western State University College of Law
1	Whittier Law School
149	Widener University School of Law - Delaware
96	Widener University School of Law - Harrisburg
16	William & Mary Law School - Marshall Wythe School of Law
3	Yale Law School

Law Schools Represented: 142