

**UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO-SUNY - 2014 Standard 509  
Information Report**

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**The Basics**

Type of school	PUBLIC
Term	Semester
Application deadline	3/1/2015
Application fee	\$ 85
Financial aid deadline	3/1/2015
Can first year start other than fall?	No

**GPA and LSAT Scores (calendar year\*\*)**

	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
# of apps	1,065	1,065	0
# of offers	584	584	0
# of matriculants	143	143	0
75th Percentile GPA	3.66	3.66	0.00
50th Percentile GPA	3.43	3.43	0.00
25th Percentile GPA	3.11	3.11	0.00
# not incl. in GPA percentile calc.	2.00	2.00	0.00
75th Percentile LSAT	157	157	0
50th Percentile LSAT	154	154	0
25 Percentile LSAT	151	151	0
# not incl. in LSAT percentile calc.	0	0	0

**Tuition and Fees (academic year\*)**

	Resident	Non-Resident
Full-Time	\$ 26,096	\$ 43,986
Part-Time	\$ 0	\$ 0
Tuition Guarantee Program		No

**Living Expenses (academic year\*)**

Estimated Living Expenses for singles

Living on Campus	\$ 23,287
Living Off Campus	\$ 23,287
Living at Home	\$ 12,529

**Grants and Scholarships (prior academic year\*)**

	Total		Full-Time		Part-Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	610	100	607	99.5	3	0.5
Total # receiving grants	360	59	360	59.3	0	0
Less than 1/2 tuition	349	57.2	349	57.5	0	0
Half to full tuition	10	1.6	10	1.6	0	0
Full tuition	0	0	0	0	0	0
More than full tuition	1	0.2	1	0.2	0	0
75th Percentile grant amount				\$ 6,500		\$ 0
50th Percentile grant amount				\$ 5,000		\$ 0
25th Percentile grant amount				\$ 2,947		\$ 0

**Conditional Scholarships**

The school does not award scholarships that may be reduced or eliminated based on law school academic performance other than failure to maintain good academic standing. Therefore, the school does not complete a 'conditional scholarship retention chart.'

**J.D. Enrollment and Ethnicity (academic year\*)**

	Men		Women		Other		Full-Time		Part-Time		First - Year		Total		J.D. Deg Awd
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Hispanics of any race	10	3.6	15	5.4	0	0	25	4.5	0	0	8	5.6	25	4.4	7
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	10	3.6	12	4.3	0	0	22	4	0	0	3	2.1	22	3.9	10
Black or African American	11	3.9	15	5.4	2	40	24	4.3	4	40	4	2.8	28	5	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two or more races	9	3.2	8	2.9	0	0	17	3.1	0	0	4	2.8	17	3	4
Total Minority	40	14.3	50	18.1	2	40	88	15.9	4	40	19	13.3	92	16.4	27
White	211	75.4	205	74	2	40	414	75	4	40	108	75.5	418	74.4	142
Nonresident Alien	14	5	8	2.9	1	20	21	3.8	2	20	6	4.2	23	4.1	6
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	15	5.4	14	5.1	0	0	29	5.3	0	0	10	7	29	5.2	14
Total	280	49.8	277	49.3	5	0.9	552	98.2	10	1.8	143	25.4	562	100	189



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**Curriculum (prior academic year\*)**

	Full-Time	Part-Time
Typical first-year section size	68	0
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	196	
# of upper division classroom course sections		
Under 25	191	
25 - 49	33	
50 - 74	5	
75 - 99	6	
100+	1	
# of positions available in simulation courses	1,105	
# of simulation positions filled	880	0
# of seminar positions filled	324	0
# of positions available in faculty supervised law clinic courses	92	
# of faculty supervised law clinic positions filled	92	0
# of field placement positions filled	118	0
# of students who enrolled in independent study	23	0
# of students who participated in law journals	204	0
# of students who participated in interschool skills competitions	68	0
# of credit hours required to graduate	90	

**Faculty and Administrators (calendar year\*\*)**

	Total		Men		Women		Other		Minorities	
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall
Full-Time	43	48	25	28	18	20	0	0	6	6
Deans, librarians & others who teach	10	12	5	5	5	7	0	0	1	2
Part-Time	68	41	44	30	24	11	0	0	5	0
	<b>121</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>38</b>			<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>

**J.D. Attrition (prior academic year\*)**

	Academic	Transfer	Other	Total	%
	#	#	#	#	%
1st year	0	12	5	17	8.6
2nd year	0	0	2	2	0.9
3rd year	0	0	0	0	0
4th year	0	0	0	0	0

**Transfers (prior academic year\*)**

**Transfers In (School has 12 or more)**

#	
75th Percentile 1L GPA	3.32
50th Percentile 1L GPA	2.93
25th Percentile 1L GPA	2.82
See Appendix for list of schools from which students transferred	
<b>Transfers Out</b>	<b>12</b>

**Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2013)**

**First Time Takers: 227**

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
New York	212	176	83.02	84.76	-1.74
	<b>Reporting %</b>	<b>Avg. School Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. State Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. Pass Diff. %</b>	
	93.39	83.02	84.76	-1.74	

**Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2012)**

**First Time Takers: 215**

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
New York	205	169	82.44	81.55	0.89
	<b>Reporting %</b>	<b>Avg. School Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. State Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. Pass Diff. %</b>	
	95.35	82.44	81.55	0.89	

**Bar Passage Rates (February and July 2011)**

**First Time Takers: 234**

Jurisdiction	Takers	Passers	Pass %	State %	Diff. %
New York	224	187	83.48	85.03	-1.55
	<b>Reporting %</b>	<b>Avg. School Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. State Pass %</b>	<b>Avg. Pass Diff. %</b>	
	95.73	83.48	85.03	-1.55	

\* "Academic year" refers to the 2014 - 2015 academic year. \*\* "Calendar year" refers to the 2014 calendar year.

**Appendix to Standard 509 Information Report**

(for schools matriculating more than 5 transfer students)

<b>Schools from which Students Transferred</b>	<b>Number of Transfer Students</b>
CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY	1
CHARLOTTE SCHOOL OF LAW	1
DAYTON, UNIVERSITY OF	2
FLORIDA COASTAL SCHOOL OF LAW	1
NEW ENGLAND LAW   BOSTON	1
NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL	1
PACE UNIVERSITY	1
SUFFOLK UNIVERSITY	1
SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY	1
THOMAS M. COOLEY LAW SCHOOL - ANN ARBOR	1
TOLEDO, UNIVERSITY OF	1
TOURO COLLEGE	1
WESTERN NEW ENGLAND UNIVERSITY	1