



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO LL.M. PROGRAMS

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1. Program (check only one):

- LL.M. in Business and Corporate Law
- LL.M. in Comparative Law (for International Lawyers)
- LL.M. in International Law
- LL.M. in Taxation

- Diploma in Taxation
- General LL.M. (as approved) with concentration in:
 - Criminal Law
 - Environmental Law
 - Healthcare Law
 - Intellectual Property Law
 - Labor and Employment Law

2. Entering Status: (please check one) 2010 2011

- (please check one) Fall Spring Summer
- (please check one) New Transfer Visitor
- Reapplication: Year previously applied _____

3. Enrollment Status:

- Full-Time Part-Time

4. Name: Mr. Ms. Dr.

Last name (family name)	First name	Middle name
Name on previous academic records if different from above:		
Last name (family name)	First name	Middle name

5. Mailing Address: (valid until _____) (MM/DD/YYYY)

Number and Street _____

City, State, Zip _____

Country _____

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____

Fax Number _____ Mobile Phone _____

Permanent Address:

Number and Street _____

City, State, Zip _____

Country _____

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____

Fax Number _____ Mobile Phone _____

E-mail Address* _____
*Please note that e-mail is the primary method of communication used by the Graduate Programs Office.

6. U.S. Social Security Number: _____

LSAC Account Number: L _____

7. Birthdate: / /
MM DD YYYY

8. Birthplace: _____
City State Country

9. Personal Information: (please check one) Male Female

10. Citizenship: (please check one)

U.S. Citizen

U.S. Permanent Resident but not Citizen

Non-Resident Alien: Will you obtain an F-1 student visa? Yes No

If you are currently on a visa, please list visa type: _____

Country of Citizenship: _____

Country of Legal Permanent Residency: _____

11. U.S. Citizens Only

A. Are you Hispanic/Latino?

Yes, Hispanic or Latino (including Spain) No

If yes, please select one or more of the following subgroups to describe yourself:

Mexican Puerto Rican Hispanic-Other

B. Regardless of your answer to the Question 11(A), please select one or more of the following groups that best describe you:

American Indian or Alaska Native (including all Original Peoples of the Americas)

Asian (including Indian subcontinent and Philippines)

Black or African American (including Africa and the Caribbean)

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Original Peoples)

White (including Middle Eastern and Eastern European)

12. LSAT (not necessary for graduates of international law schools):

Please list date(s) taken and score(s):

_____	_____	_____
MM/YY	score	MM/YY score

13. TOEFL (for graduates of international law schools only):

If English is not your native language, USD requires the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) as proof of your proficiency in English. To register for this test, please visit the Educational Testing Service website at: www.ets.org/toefl.

TOEFL: please list date(s) taken and score(s):

_____	_____	_____
MM/YY	score	MM/YY score

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE									
CK# _____	Fee _____	Date _____	Initial _____	DEC _____	Date _____				
DIPT _____	LLMB _____	LLMC _____	LLMG _____	LLMI _____	LLMT _____	TERM _____	P/T _____	F/T _____	

14. Please list all colleges, universities and law schools attended. If additional space is needed, attach a separate page or electronic attachment.

University/City, State, Country	Attendance Dates (MM/YY-MM/YY)	Major	Degree	Date Received or Expected (MM/YY)
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

15. Please list all law school honors and activities:

16. How did you hear about the LL.M. Program at USD? Please check all that apply.

- Internet Please specify website: _____
- Alumni Please identify alumnus / a: _____
- USD Professor Please identify professor: _____
- Other Professor Please identify professor / school: _____
- Other Please identify source: _____

17. Are you currently enrolled at the University of San Diego?

Yes No

18. Have you ever been subject to academic or disciplinary action (e.g., probation, suspension, dismissal, warnings, invitation to withdraw) from any institution attended?

Yes* No

19. Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony? As used herein, a conviction includes a plea of guilty or *nolo contendere*, or a verdict or finding of guilt, regardless of whether sentence is imposed by a court.

Yes* No

20. If you were in the military service, were you ever convicted by General Court Martial or did you receive a dishonorable discharge? (check "no" if not applicable)

Yes* No

21. If you are or were a member of the bar, have you ever been disciplined formally or informally? (check "no" if not applicable)

Yes* No

**If you answered "yes" to questions 18, 19, 20 or 21, you must submit an explanation on a separate page or electronic attachment.*

22. Employment Data: Please attach a current résumé or curriculum vitae. You may use an electronic attachment.

23. If you are admitted to the practice of law, indicate which jurisdiction(s) and date(s) of admission:

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Jurisdiction	Date (MM/YY)	Jurisdiction	Date (MM/YY)								

24. Please submit a brief personal statement addressing the following. You may use an electronic attachment.

- A) The nature and extent of your legal and related practice in taxation and probate (for those seeking admission to the Taxation Program), business and corporate law (for those seeking admission to the Business and Corporate Law Program), international law (for those seeking admission to the International Law Program), or general practice experience (for those seeking admission to the Comparative Law Program or to the other graduate programs)
- B) Other related professional experience you may have
- C) Uses you plan to make of your graduate law degree
- D) Any additional information you deem important

25. Check here to certify that you are the sole author of application materials (except the letters of recommendation, transcript, and other score reports) and that your personal statement and résumé have not been translated.

26. USD Policy of Nondiscrimination:

The University prohibits discrimination against current or prospective students and employees on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, or any other legally protected characteristic. The University does not by this nondiscrimination statement disclaim any right it might otherwise have to maintain its commitment to its Catholic identity or the doctrines of the Catholic Church.

By signing this application or by submitting it electronically, I certify that I have read all of the information contained in this application and all of the supplemental materials I submit, and that I have answered all questions fully and frankly. I understand that any false or misleading statement may disqualify my application or terminate my studies at USD. I understand that the application fee is nonrefundable. I acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree to comply with the USD School of Law requirements and rules. I further understand that submitted records and documents will not be photocopied by the Graduate Programs Office for any purpose, and cannot be returned.

Signed

Date

Failure to disclose an act or event such as described in questions 18, 19, 20 or 21 failure to provide truthful answers, or failure to inform the Graduate Programs Office of any changes to your answers may result in revocation of admission.