

***NALP Class of 2015 Summary Report***  
***Northwestern Pritzker School of Law***

Please note:

- In the interest of graduates' privacy, certain information along age, racial and gender lines has been redacted.
- NALP excludes university-funded positions from its salary statistics.
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			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Employment Status Known:</b>							
Bar Passage Required	248	86.1	238	105,000	160,000	160,000	131,611
JD Advantage	21	7.3	17	125,000	135,000	150,000	134,029
Other Professional	1	0.3	.	.	.	.	.
Pursuing Degree FT	2	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Start date after 3/15/16	3	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
Not employed-Seeking	12	4.2	.	.	.	.	.
Not employed-Not Seeking	1	0.3	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
Note: Categories with no graduates reported are not shown. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis. Employment by sector does not include graduates for whom employer type was not reported.							

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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Total Employed or Degree:</b>							
Pursuing Degree FT	2	0.7	.	.	.	.	.
Employed	270	99.3	256	107,500	160,000	160,000	131,503
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Employment by Sector</b>							
Private Sector	224	83.0	211	147,000	160,000	160,000	147,536
Public Sector	46	17.0	45	50,000	58,500	63,000	56,331
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>FT/PT Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Req'd-FT	243	90.0	238	105,000	160,000	160,000	131,611
Bar Passage Req'd-PT	5	1.9	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage-FT	21	7.8	17	125,000	135,000	150,000	134,029
Other Professional-FT	1	0.4	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Employment Categories:</b>							
Business	25	9.3	18	115,000	132,500	150,000	134,528
Judicial Clerk	26	9.6	26	58,000	62,250	63,323	59,874
Private Practice	199	73.7	193	160,000	160,000	160,000	148,749
Government	8	3.0	7	40,568	50,000	63,700	48,038
Public Interest	12	4.4	12	50,000	50,000	52,500	53,492
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Business Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required	4	16.0	.	.	.	.	.
JD Advantage	20	80.0	16	125,000	141,000	153,000	141,781
Other Professional	1	4.0	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Private Practice Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required	199	100.0	193	160,000	160,000	160,000	148,749
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Government Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required	7	87.5	6	50,000	53,500	63,700	54,378
JD Advantage	1	12.5	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Judicial Clerkships:</b>							
Federal	21	80.8	21	61,000	63,000	64,000	62,225
State	4	15.4	.	.	.	.	.
Local	1	3.8	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Public Interest Jobs:</b>							
Bar Passage Required	12	100.0	12	50,000	50,000	52,500	53,492
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Size of Firm:</b>							
1-10	8	4.0	6	55,000	64,000	75,000	61,667
11-25	7	3.5	.	.	.	.	.
26-50	2	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
51-100	3	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
101-250	8	4.0	8	90,000	112,500	130,000	111,250
251-500	23	11.6	23	138,000	160,000	160,000	150,696
501+	148	74.4	148	160,000	160,000	160,000	156,419
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Type of Law Firm Job:</b>							
Associate	198	99.5	193	160,000	160,000	160,000	148,749
Law Clerk	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
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			Full-time Long-term Salaries				
	Number Reported	% of Reported	# with Salary	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile	Mean
<b>Jobs Taken by Region:</b>							
New England	5	1.9	5	63,000	130,000	160,000	112,600
Mid-Atlantic	51	18.9	50	160,000	160,000	160,000	151,666
E North Central	114	42.2	106	110,000	160,000	160,000	132,002
W North Central	9	3.3	9	62,000	110,000	115,000	95,088
South Atlantic	23	8.5	22	75,000	158,000	160,000	130,032
E South Central	4	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
W South Central	8	3.0	8	64,000	131,000	160,000	116,500
Mountain	3	1.1	.	.	.	.	.
Pacific	46	17.0	43	115,000	160,000	160,000	135,705
Non US locations	7	2.6	7	12,000	70,000	160,000	82,429
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b>Location of Jobs:</b>							
In-State	106	39.3	98	125,000	160,000	160,000	134,583
Out of State	164	60.7	158	102,000	160,000	160,000	129,593
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>100.0</b>					
<b># States and Territories w/Employed Grads:</b>							
	29	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	.					
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	Number Reported	% of Reported
<b>Source of Job</b>		
Fall OCI	146	84.4
Job fair/consortia	1	0.6
Job posted online or in print	3	1.7
Return to Prior Job	2	1.2
Start own practice	2	1.2
Temp Agency	1	0.6
Other	18	10.4
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Timing of Job Offer</b>		
After Bar Results	22	8.6
Before Graduation	233	91.4
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Search Status of Employed Grads</b>		
Seeking a different job	11	4.1
Not seeking a different job	258	95.9
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Note: Figures are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs.		

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	Jobs lasting a year or more			
	Total Number	Number of Indefinite Duration	Number of Fixed Duration	Number of Short-term Jobs
<b>Duration of Jobs by Employer Type</b>				
Business	25	25	.	.
Judicial Clerk	26	.	26	.
Private Practice	195	195	.	4
Government	7	5	2	1
Public Interest	12	4	8	.
<b>Total Reported</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Total Number of Jobs Reported as Funded by Law School</b>				
	13	.	.	.
<b>Total Reported</b>	<b>13</b>	.	.	.
Note: Figures for job duration are based on jobs for which the item was reported, and thus may not add to the total number of jobs. The count of jobs funded by the law school is a total, regardless of duration.				

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**Table 12**

*Source of Job by Employer Type*

Source of Job by Employer Type	Business		Law firms of 50 or fewer		Law firms of 51 or more	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	0	0	2	33.3	144	96.0
Pre-law school employer	2	13.3	0	0	0	0
Temp agency or legal search	0	0	0	0	1	0.7
All other	13	86.7	4	66.7	5	3.3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source of Job by Employer Type	Government		Public interest		All Employer Types*	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Fall OCI	0	0	0	0	146	84.4
Pre-law school employer	0	0	0	0	2	1.2
Temp agency or legal search	0	0	0	0	1	0.6
All other	1	100.0	1	100.0	24	13.9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>100.0</b>

*\* Excludes jobs for which a source, employer type, or firm size was not reported.*

*"Other" also includes job fairs, spring OCI, non-CSO job sites and postings, and the self-employed.*

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*Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State*

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
New England	Connecticut	1	0.4
	Massachusetts	4	1.5
		5	1.9
Mid Atlantic	New Jersey	1	0.4
	New York	49	18.1
	Pennsylvania	1	0.4
		51	18.9
E. North Central	Illinois	106	39.3
	Indiana	2	0.7
	Michigan	2	0.7
	Ohio	2	0.7
	Wisconsin	2	0.7
		114	42.2
W. North Central	Kansas	2	0.7
	Minnesota	5	1.9
	Missouri	2	0.7
		9	3.3
South Atlantic	Delaware	1	0.4
	Washington, DC	13	4.8
	Florida	4	1.5
	Georgia	3	1.1
	North Carolina	1	0.4
	Virginia	1	0.4
		23	8.5
E. South Central	Alabama	1	0.4
	Kentucky	1	0.4
	Tennessee	2	0.7
		4	1.5
W. South Central	Louisiana	1	0.4
	Texas	7	2.6

*Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.*

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*Number of Jobs Reported Taken by State*

Region	State	# of jobs	% of jobs
		8	3.0
Mountain	Colorado	3	1.1
		3	1.1
Pacific	Alaska	2	0.7
	California	41	15.2
	Oregon	2	0.7
	Washington	1	0.4
		46	17.0
Non US locations	Non U.S. locations	7	2.6
		7	2.6
<i>TOTAL</i>		270	100.0

*Excludes employed graduates for whom job location was not reported.*

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*Location of Instate Jobs*

In-state location	# of Jobs	% of Jobs
Chicago	104	98.1
Other/unknown Illinois	1	0.9
Waukegan	1	0.9
	106	100.0

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*Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type*

Full and Part-time Jobs by Employer Type	Full-time		Part-time		All	
	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported	Number Reported	% of Reported
Business	25	100.0	0	0	25	100.0
Judicial clerkship	26	100.0	0	0	26	100.0
Law firm	195	98.0	4	2.0	199	100.0
Government	7	87.5	1	12.5	8	100.0
Public interest	12	100.0	0	0	12	100.0

*This table excludes jobs for which full or part-time information was not reported.*

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