

**GENERAL STATISTICS REPORT  
JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION<sup>1</sup>  
OVERALL STATISTICS**

	First-Timers			Repeaters			All Takers		
Applicant Group	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
General Bar Examination	5838	3486	59.7	2485	396	15.9	8323	3882	46.6
Attorneys' Examination	254	112	44.1	159	32	20.1	413	144	34.9
Total	6092	3598	59.1	2644	428	16.2	8736	4026	46.1

**DISCIPLINED ATTORNEYS EXAMINATION STATISTICS**

	Took	Pass	% Pass
CA Disciplined Attorneys	19	1	5.2

**GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS**

	First-Timers			Repeaters			All Takers		
Law School Type	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
CA ABA Approved	3535	2411	68.2	823	194	23.6	4358	2605	59.8
Out-of-State ABA	1251	735	58.8	469	73	15.6	1720	808	47.0
CA Accredited	335	71	21.2	469	37	7.9	804	108	13.4
CA Unaccredited	73	16	21.9	207	15	7.2	280	31	11.0
Law Office/Judges' Chambers	1	1	100	0	0	0.0	1	1	100
Foreign Educated/JD Equivalent + One Year US Education	88	12	13.6	90	9	10.0	178	21	11.8
US Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam <sup>2</sup>	335	202	60.3	153	47	30.7	488	249	51.0
Foreign Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam <sup>3</sup>	218	38	17.4	208	21	10.1	426	59	13.8
4-Year Qualification <sup>4</sup>	2	0	0.0	21	0	0.0	23	0	0.0
Schools No Longer in Operation	0	0	0.0	45	0	0.0	45	0	0.0
Total	5838	3486	59.7	2485	396	15.9	8323	3882	46.6

<sup>1</sup> These statistics were compiled using data available as of the date results from the examination were released.

<sup>2</sup> Attorneys admitted in other jurisdictions less than four years must take and those admitted four or more years may elect to take the General Bar Examination.

<sup>3</sup> Attorneys admitted in foreign jurisdictions must take the General Bar Examination.

<sup>4</sup> Applicants may qualify to take the General Bar Examination through a combination of four years of law study without graduating from a law school.

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
NUMBER OF TAKERS AND PERCENT PASSING BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP  
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION FIRST-TIME TAKERS ONLY\***

School Type	White		Black		Hispanic		Asian		Other Minority	
	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	2023	71.8	118	53.4	460	61.3	525	65.9	268	63.1
Out-of-State ABA	666	66.4	102	33.3	143	46.9	225	59.6	78	50.0
CA Accredited	182	26.4	21	14.3	60	13.3	32	15.6	31	12.9
CA Unaccredited	47	27.7	5	0.0	6	0.0	8	37.5	7	0.0
Other	334	50.9	26	19.2	49	28.6	165	30.3	58	19.0
Total*	3252	65.4	272	38.6	718	51.7	955	56.3	442	50.5

**NUMBER OF TAKERS AND PERCENT PASSING BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP: REPEATERS\***

School Type	White		Black		Hispanic		Asian		Other Minority	
	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	391	28.9	58	20.7	143	14.7	134	20.1	82	23.2
Out-of-State ABA	174	19.0	72	15.3	78	10.3	94	12.8	44	18.2
CA Accredited	225	8.0	52	5.8	94	12.8	48	4.2	44	2.3
CA Unaccredited	108	8.3	20	0.0	37	2.7	32	3.1	19	21.1
Other	173	19.7	50	14.0	61	8.2	164	15.2	50	10.0
Total*	1071	19.3	252	13.1	413	11.4	472	14.2	239	15.5

\*Totals are for those reporting racial/ethnic group.

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION**  
**NUMBER OF FIRST-TIMERS AND REPEATERS PASSING BY GENDER\***

	First-Timers				Repeaters			
	Males		Females		Males		Females	
School Type	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	1723	67.6	1791	69.0	429	23.3	394	23.9
Out-of-State ABA	643	60.5	588	57.3	252	13.1	217	18.4
CA Accredited	156	21.8	177	20.9	223	6.3	246	9.3
CA Unaccredited	45	24.4	28	17.9	133	4.5	84	10.7
Other	295	41.4	336	37.2	272	12.5	233	18.5
Total*	2862	60.1	2920	59.6	1309	14.3	1174	17.8

\* Totals are for those reporting gender.

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS  
CALIFORNIA ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW	157	94	60	48	16	33
CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	118	84	71	19	3	16
GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	122	48	39	64	10	16
LOYOLA LAW SCHOOL - LOS ANGELES	327	250	76	43	9	21
McGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW	186	130	70	43	7	16
PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	157	108	69	16	8	50
SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	176	122	69	46	17	37
SOUTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL	263	133	51	99	29	29
STANFORD LAW SCHOOL	98	87	89	5	0	0
THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW	132	63	48	106	17	16
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - BERKELEY	204	173	85	9	5	56
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - DAVIS	171	127	74	8	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – HASTINGS COLLEGE OF THE LAW	274	185	68	58	13	22
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – IRVINE	88	70	80	5	1	20
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – LOS ANGELES	281	240	85	15	4	27
UNIVERSITY OF LA VERNE COLLEGE OF LAW	30	16	53	21	4	19
UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO SCHOOL OF LAW	218	157	72	39	11	28
UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO SCHOOL OF LAW	135	64	47	36	10	28
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF LAW	195	169	87	7	2	29
WESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW	81	45	56	52	16	31
WHITTIER LAW SCHOOL	122	46	38	84	12	14
TOTAL	3535	2411	68	823	194	24

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**CALIFORNIA ACCREDITED, NOT ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
CAL NORTHERN SCHOOL OF LAW	10	3	30	6	0	0
EMPIRE COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW	14	4	29	12	1	8
GLENDALE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW	13	4	31	17	2	12
HUMPHREYS COLLEGE, LAURENCE DRIVON SCHOOL OF LAW	16	2	13	23	0	0
JOHN F. KENNEDY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	31	8	26	38	2	5
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SACRAMENTO	52	23	44	26	1	4
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SAN JOSE	10	2	20	15	3	20
MONTEREY COLLEGE OF LAW	8	2	25	13	1	8
PACIFIC COAST UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	35	3	9	43	1	2
SAN FRANCISCO LAW SCHOOL	27	2	7	12	1	8
SAN JOAQUIN COLLEGE OF LAW	31	9	29	25	2	8
SANTA BARBARA COLLEGE OF LAW	8	0	0	8	1	13
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF LAW - SANTA BARBARA	2	1	50	6	1	17
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF LAW - VENTURA	8	0	0	33	1	3
TRINITY LAW SCHOOL	33	5	15	88	6	7
UNIVERSITY OF WEST LOS ANGELES SCHOOL OF LAW – SAN FERNANDO VALLEY	21	2	10	38	8	21
UNIVERSITY OF WEST LOS ANGELES SCHOOL OF LAW – WEST LOS ANGELES	8	1	13	45	3	7
VENTURA COLLEGE OF LAW	8	0	0	21	3	14
TOTAL	335	71	21	469	37	8

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS  
CALIFORNIA UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS – FIXED FACILITY**

<u>LAW SCHOOL</u>	<u>FIRST-TIMERS</u>			<u>REPEATERS</u>		
	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN LAW SCHOOL	10	4	40	12	0	0
IRVINE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW	1	0	0	6	0	0
PACIFIC WEST COLLEGE OF LAW	2	0	0	4	0	0
PEOPLES COLLEGE OF LAW	2	0	0	2	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO SCHOOL OF LAW	1	0	0	5	0	0
WESTERN SIERRA LAW SCHOOL	3	0	0	11	0	0
TOTAL	19	4	21	40	0	0

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
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CALIFORNIA UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS – DISTANCE LEARNING**

<u>LAW SCHOOL</u>	<u>FIRST-TIMERS</u>			<u>REPEATERS</u>		
	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>
ABRAHAM LINCOLN UNIVERSITY	5	1	20	48	2	4
AMERICAN HERITAGE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	3	0	0	5	2	40
CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF LAW	5	0	0	10	3	30
CONCORD UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	20	5	25	47	5	11
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TOTAL	33	6	18	110	12	11

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
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CALIFORNIA UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS – CORRESPONDENCE**

<u>LAW SCHOOL</u>	<u>FIRST-TIMERS</u>			<u>REPEATERS</u>		
	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>
CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY	2	2	100	2	0	0
NORTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	12	4	33	33	2	6
OAK BROOK COLLEGE OF LAW & GOVERNMENT POLICY	0	0	0	4	0	0
TAFT LAW SCHOOL	6	0	0	15	1	7
UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU SCHOOL OF LAW	1	0	0	3	0	0
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TOTAL	21	6	29	57	3	5

**JULY 2015 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION  
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS  
OUT-OF-STATE ABA SCHOOLS WITH 10 OR MORE TAKERS**

<u>LAW SCHOOL</u>	<u>FIRST-TIMERS</u>			<u>REPEATERS</u>		
	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>
AMERICAN UNIVERSITY	37	10	27	9	1	11
ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY	13	8	62	10	2	20
BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO SCHOOL OF LAW	8	3	38	2	0	0
BOSTON COLLEGE	6	4	67	4	1	25
BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY	7	3	43	3	1	33
BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL	9	6	67	2	0	0
CHARLOTTE SCHOOL OF LAW	7	1	14	6	1	17
COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY	31	26	84	4	0	0
CORNELL UNIVERSITY	17	13	76	1	0	0
DICKINSON SCHOOL OF LAW	9	4	44	5	1	20
DUKE UNIVERSITY	23	17	74	1	0	0
EMORY UNIVERSITY	12	5	42	3	0	0
FLORIDA COASTAL SCHOOL OF LAW	4	0	0	11	2	18
FORDHAM UNIVERSITY	18	10	56	7	3	43
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY	44	31	70	14	3	21
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY	84	60	71	6	2	33
HARVARD UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL	93	80	86	2	0	0
HOWARD UNIVERSITY	14	8	57	6	1	17
INDIANA UNIVERSITY - BLOOMINGTON	8	3	38	4	1	25
JOHN MARSHAL LAW SCHOOL - CHICAGO	8	1	13	4	1	25
LEWIS AND CLARK COLLEGE	12	6	50	6	0	0
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY – NEW ORLEANS	12	6	50	6	1	17
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF LAW	8	2	25	5	1	20
NEW ENGLAND SCHOOL OF LAW	12	3	25	1	0	0
NEW YORK UNIVERSITY	42	36	86	6	3	50



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**OUT-OF-STATE ABA SCHOOLS WITH 10 OR MORE TAKERS (Continued)**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY	6	4	67	5	2	40
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY	48	38	79	5	2	40
PHOENIX SCHOOL OF LAW	13	1	8	24	1	4
SEATTLE UNIVERSITY	12	5	42	10	1	10
SUFFOLK UNIVERSITY	10	0	0	11	2	18
SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY	13	0	0	11	5	45
THOMAS M. COOLEY LAW SCHOOL	8	0	0	41	4	10
TULANE UNIVERSITY	20	13	65	4	1	25
UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA	15	8	53	7	1	14
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL	29	26	90	0	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	7	3	43	4	1	25
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI	7	1	14	3	1	33
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	53	45	85	2	1	50
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA	11	3	27	5	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME	12	8	67	4	1	25
UNIVERSITY OF OREGON	12	6	50	2	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA	18	16	89	1	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS	12	10	83	1	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA	38	35	92	2	1	50
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON	17	11	65	2	1	50
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN	6	3	50	4	2	50
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY	14	7	50	0	0	0
VERMONT LAW SCHOOL	14	2	14	3	0	0
WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY	9	7	78	4	1	25
WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY	23	9	39	4	0	0

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**OUT-OF-STATE ABA SCHOOLS WITH 10 OR MORE TAKERS (Continued)**

<u>LAW SCHOOL</u>	<u>FIRST-TIMERS</u>			<u>REPEATERS</u>		
	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>	<u>Took</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>%Pass</u>
YALE UNIVERSITY	30	28	93	2	1	50
ALL OTHER OUT-OF-STATE SCHOOLS	256	100	39	180	19	11
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TOTAL	1251	735	59	469	73	16