Application Instructions

Steps to Applying

Register with the LSAC Credential Assembly Service (CAS)

Carolina Law requires that their applicants register for the Credential Assembly Service (CAS). There is a registration fee of $175. After you register with theCredential Assembly Service, you will need to process all the information listed below through the Credential Assembly Service before you send in your application:

• An undergraduate academic summary
• Copies of all undergraduate, graduate, and law/professional school transcripts
• LSAT scores and writing sample copies
• Copies of letters of recommendation if processed by LSAC

Once you've entered all the required information into the Credential Assembly Service, you can then electronically transmit your application. When we receive your application, the Credential Assembly Service will provide a report for us about you, at a cost of $30, containing information that is important in our admissions process.

For more information about the Credential Assembly Service, visit the Law School Admission Council's website at www.LSAC.org.

Take the Law School Admission Test (LSAT)

All applicants for admission are required to take the Law School Admission Test (LSAT). Test scores earned after January 2012 will be accepted for admission purposes. If the LSAT is taken more than once, the highest of the scores earned may be used. Although we will accept the June 2017 LSAT, we encourage all students to take one of the earlier exams so that your application is completed in a timely fashion.

Future test dates:

• Saturday, December 3, 2016
• Saturday, February 4, 2017
• Monday, June 12, 2017

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Law School Admission Council (www.LSAC.org).

Transcripts

After you register for the Credential Assembly Service, you must have a separate transcript sent to LSAC from each undergraduate and graduate institution you have attended. Transcripts you should send include:

• undergraduate and graduate schools
• law/medical/professional schools
• schools attended for summer or evening courses
• schools attended even though a degree was never received
• schools from which you took college-level courses while in high school even though they were for high school credit
• schools that sponsored your exchange or cooperative program abroad if credit is not indicated on your undergraduate transcript

Transcripts must be sent directly from the attended institutions. Transcripts issued to you or sent by you will be returned unprocessed. Most schools charge a fee for forwarding transcripts. Allow two weeks from the time of receipt for LSAC to process your transcripts. Do not send transcripts directly to the Office of Admissions.

You can download the transcript request forms from the LSAC site at www.LSAC.org. LSAC's address will be listed on your Transcript Request Forms.

Submit a Completed Application

Apply to the School of Law using the online application provided through LSAC, or the PDF version of the application found on the School of Law's website (www.law.unc.edu). We prefer that you use the online version provided through LSAC. Remember to sign and date the application form before returning it to the School of Law by the August 1 deadline, if you are not applying through the online application.
Letters of Recommendation

Two letters of recommendation, submitted through the Credential Assembly Service, are required in order for your application to be considered. A third letter of recommendation is optional. Instructions on how to complete the letters of recommendation can be found on the LSAC website. Letters of recommendation should not be sent directly to the Office of Admissions. The only exception would be if your recommender is an alum of UNC Law, the Credential Assembly Service (CAS) report will not release to us unless two letters of recommendation are on file and assigned to us through LSAC.

Personal Statement

Carolina Law requires that each applicant electronically transmit a personal statement. The personal statement provides prospective students an opportunity to share their perspective on a number of specified topics. Please refer to the personal statement question on the application for specific information regarding the personal statement requirement and the topics to be addressed. The mandatory and optional personal statement questions can be answered in one document. If you are answering them in one document, please include page breaks to separate the answers to each question. You also have the option of answering the mandatory questions in one document and the optional questions in a separate document. Please make sure the answer to each question is appropriately identified. You should attach the statement(s) in the attachments section of the application. PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING PAGE LENGTH, SPACING, AND FONT SIZE.

Resume

Carolina Law requires that each applicant include a résumé as part of the application. The page limit is three pages and should be attached in the attachments section of the application.

Paying the Application Fee

Once you've transmitted the application through LSAC, you should pay your $75 application fee through the LSAC payment portal. If you received a fee waiver, it must be applied prior to submitting your application. We cannot refund processed application fees.

Applying as a Dual-Degree Student

Students interested in combining a second degree with their JD must complete and submit separate applications to both the School of Law and the respective graduate program granting the second degree. The application process and acceptance decisions are separate for each school, and admission to one program does not guarantee admission to the other.

International Applicants

International applicants for admission are required to submit the same materials as any prospective student. See "Steps to Applying" for required materials and submission deadlines.

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Law requires that your foreign transcripts be submitted through the LSAC Credential Assembly Service. If you completed any postsecondary work outside the US (including its territories) or Canada, you must use this service for the evaluation of your foreign transcripts. The one exception to this requirement is if you completed the foreign work through a study-abroad, consortium, or exchange program sponsored by a US or Canadian institution, and the work is clearly indicated as such on the home campus transcript. An International Credential Evaluation will be completed by the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (AACRAO), which will be incorporated into your Credential Assembly Service report. If you need to submit a TOEFL score, you must contact the Educational Testing Service (ETS) and request that your TOEFL score be sent to LSAC. LSAC's TOEFL code for the Credential Assembly Service is 0058. Your score will be included in the International Credential Evaluation document that will be included in your law school report. We will waive the TOEFL score if you received a degree from an American college or university within the past five years, or a degree from a university program conducted entirely in English in an English speaking country within the past five years.

To use the Credential Assembly Service, log in to your LSAC.org account and follow the instructions for registering for the service. Be sure to print out a Transcript Request Form for each institution and send it promptly to the registrar of the institution. More time is usually required for LSAC to receive foreign transcripts. Questions about the Credential Assembly Service can be directed to LSAC at 215.968.1001, or LSACinfo@LSAC.org.

North Carolina Residency for Purposes of Admission

North Carolina law requires that every student admitted to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (initially or after a lapse in enrollment) be classified as either a resident or nonresident for tuition purposes for the term for which they are applying to enroll. To be classified as a resident for tuition purposes, an applicant must furnish evidence required by the
University to enable it to make such a classification on our supplemental application. The Office of Admissions will attempt to determine the applicant's residency for tuition purposes based upon the information provided in the supplemental application, however, it may be necessary to complete the full NC Residency Form. You will be notified if you need to complete the full form.

North Carolina law (GS 116-143.1) requires that "To qualify as a resident for tuition purposes, a person must have established legal residence (domicile) in North Carolina and maintained that legal residence for 12 months immediately prior to his or her classification as a resident for tuition purposes." The information requested by the University must be supplied by every applicant for admission or readmission to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill who claims to be eligible for the North Carolina tuition rate.

If you are awarded a scholarship based on non-resident status, but you are later reclassified to resident status prior to matriculating as a first year student, your scholarship will be adjusted accordingly. If your resident status changes after your first year of law school, your scholarship award will be adjusted according to the details of your scholarship agreement.

Supplemental Application

A complete application consists of your E-app, CAS report, and supplemental application. The E-app and CAS report are completed online through LSAC, but the supplemental application must be completed separately. We will process all materials provided through LSAC, and once all required materials are processed, you will receive an email inviting you to complete your supplemental application. Once your supplemental application is processed, your law school application will be complete and eligible for review.

The Decision Process

Admission to the School of Law is competitive and applicants with the strongest records are given priority. Admissions decisions are based on all the information revealed during a careful and thorough consideration of an applicant's entire admissions file. Every file is carefully evaluated. No applicant is granted or denied admission exclusively on the basis of an LSAT score or grade-point average. Every applicant's file is individually assessed on the basis of both quantifiable and qualitative criteria. Applications for admission are examined with the goals of:

- Assessing the overall competitive strength of the applicant's record as compared with all other applicants within that applicant's pool.
- Achieving a class that, as a whole, will have depth in quality, richness of background, a wide variety of experience, breadth of perspective, and substantial diversity of viewpoint.

Such factors contribute positively to the attainment of a stimulating educational environment at Carolina Law and are essential to educational excellence.

Assessment Factors

Assessment factors that influence whether an applicant will be offered admission include, but are not limited to, consideration of the applicant's personal statement, essays, letters of recommendation, and the following interrelated areas:

Applicant's academic background, preparation, and likelihood of success

The quantifiable data and qualitative information regarding the applicant's acquired academic skills are evaluated by considering grades, college attended, major, undergraduate and graduate degrees earned, courses taken, class rank, trend or development in grades or academic program, activities, work or service experience during and after college, LSAT score, graduate work, and the development of strong reading, writing, analytical abilities, and other skills particularly important to successful law study. In evaluating undergraduate achievement, substantial amounts of credit earned in various mechanical or technical courses, correspondence courses, military service, practical or studio arts and music performance courses, may be excluded.

Likelihood of contribution to educational environment

The applicant's ability to make a contribution to the diversity of viewpoints and perspectives among the students is evaluated by consideration of:

- factors that contribute to diversity of viewpoint and perspective. These factors would include an applicant's perspectives as expressed in materials submitted with the application; educational, economic, social, and family background; geographic or regional origin; disability or handicap; ethnic identification or race, veteran status, gender, and age.
- the applicant's ability to interact with diverse types of people.
- the applicant's personal experiences, characteristics, and life circumstances that have informed and shaped his or her perspectives.
Applicant's motivation, effort, and desire

The level of the applicant's motivation, effort, and desire to study law and be a successful member of the legal profession is evaluated by considering an applicant's special interest or special preparation for studying the law or participating in the legal profession, and an applicant's experience of having to overcome adversity, disadvantage, or discrimination.

Likelihood of contribution to the legal profession

The applicant's potential to make a contribution to the legal profession and to society is evaluated by consideration of the applicant's maturity; leadership potential; evidence of good character, including assessment of the likelihood that the applicant will be an ethical and honest citizen and member of the legal profession; interest in helping the legal profession improve the quality and availability of legal services for all people, entities, and institutions in society that need access to quality legal services; and special skills or knowledge the applicant would bring to the practice of law or other professional use of his or her legal education.

Acceptance and Enrollment

The decision process begins in the fall with notification to applicants whose credentials fall within clear admission and deny categories. Those applications falling in the middle are held for later decision. A waiting list has been established by this time also. Offers of admission from the waiting list generally occur beginning in June through the end of August when vacancies are created by withdrawals. Applicants accepting an offer of admission are required to make an initial, nonrefundable deposit of $250 after admission and then a second, nonrefundable deposit of $250 later in the summer, both of which will be credited against the first semester's billing. Beginning students are admitted only once a year to the fall semester. Carolina Law offers a full-time day program only.

Deferred Admission

Applications are accepted, and admission granted, for the current year only, except in extraordinary circumstances. Accepted applicants may request a one-year deferment by submitting a statement to the Assistant Dean for Admissions, detailing reasons for requesting a deferment. Two year deferments are generally granted for Teach for America or Peace Corps participants. You must contact the law school and make an official request to defer. Deferments are approved on an individual basis and are generally not awarded to people admitted from the waitlist.

Supplemental Materials

If you wish grades earned in the Fall of 2016 and Spring of 2017 to be included in your undergraduate cumulative grade-point average, you should send an updated transcript to LSAC to be included in your CAS report.

For Additional Information

Any questions concerning admissions or the status of an application for admission should be directed to the Office of Admissions at 919.962.5109.

Application Deadline: August 1, 2017

Web: www.law.unc.edu
E-mail: law_admissions@unc.edu
**Applicant Status**

I am applying for:

- [ ] 1st Time
- [ ] 2nd Time
- [ ] 3rd or more

Are you an applicant to a joint-degree program? If so, please select from the dropdown list.

- [ ] J.D./Master of Sports Administration
- [ ] J.D./MBA
- [ ] J.D./Master in Mass Comm.
- [ ] J.D./MLIS or MSIS
- [ ] J.D./Master of Public Policy at Duke
- [ ] J.D./Master of Regional Planning (MRP)
- [ ] J.D./Master of Social Work (MSW)
- [ ] J.D./Master of Public Health
- [ ] J.D./Master of Public Administration

**Resident Status**

Do you claim North Carolina residency?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

If you are applying for North Carolina residency, please indicate your North Carolina county of residency.

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**Biographical**

Prefix ___________________________  Date of birth ___________________________

First name _________________________  Place of birth: City _______________________

Middle name ______________________  Place of birth: Country __________________

Last name _________________________  Place of birth: State/Province ____________

Suffix ____________________________  Gender ________________________________

Previous (other) name __________________________

Preferred first name __________________________  LSAC account number __________________
Contact Information

Current Address

Country ____________________________
Street address--line 1 ____________________________
Street address--line 2 ____________________________
Street address--line 3 ____________________________
City ____________________________
State/province ____________________________
Zip/postal code ____________________________

Current mailing address good until date ____________
Day phone ____________________________
Evening phone ____________________________

Permanent Address

Country ____________________________
Street address--line 1 ____________________________
Street address--line 2 ____________________________
Street address--line 3 ____________________________
City ____________________________
State/province ____________________________
Zip/postal code ____________________________

Permanent mailing address good until date ____________
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Other Contact Information

Primary e-mail address ____________________________
Secondary e-mail address ____________________________
Permanent e-mail address ____________________________
Mobile phone ____________________________

University of North Carolina School of Law can send text messages to my mobile phone.
____ Yes
____ No
Demographics

Citizenship

- [ ] Non-Resident Alien
- [x] US Citizen
- [ ] US Permanent Resident

Country of citizenship __________________________

Visa type __________________________

Visa/SEVIS number __________________________

Permanent resident number __________________________

Permanent city __________________________

Permanent state/province __________________________

Permanent country __________________________

Native language __________________________

Ethnicity

Are you Hispanic or Latino?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If you selected ‘Yes’ to the above question, select an ethnicity.

- [x] Chicano/Mexican American
- [ ] Hispanic/Latino Other
Demographics continued

What is your race? Select one or more races to indicate what you consider yourself to be.

**Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Australian**

___ Aboriginal/Torres Strait Isl. Australian

**American Indian or Alaska Native**

___ American Indian/Alaskan Native

**Asian**

___ Asian

**Black or African American**

___ Black/African American

**Canadian Aboriginal**

___ Canadian Aboriginal

**Caucasian/White**

___ Caucasian/White Other ___ Middle Eastern

**Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander**

___ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

**Puerto Rican**

___ Puerto Rican

**Consent**

___ Decline to respond

**Tribal Affiliation**

Tribal affiliation or village name _________________

Enrollment number (enrolled members only) ______
Standardized Testing

LSAT
Test Date Test Score

TOEFL
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Law School Interest
What prompted you to apply to this law school?

Internet
___ ABA
___ Law School
___ LSAC
___ Other

Faculty/Alumni/Professional
___ Admissions recruiter
___ Alumni
___ Faculty/acquaintance
___ Law school faculty member
___ Legal professional
___ Prelaw advisor
___ Relative
___ University/college faculty member

Publications
___ Law school publication
___ LSAC Official Guide to ABA Law Schools
___ Other advertisement
___ Princeton Review
___ US News & World Report

Recruiting Events
___ Campus event
___ Current student
___ International forum
___ Law school direct mail/e-mail
___ Law school fair
___ LSAC Forum
Law School Interest continued

If you attended any events mentioned in the Recruiting Events section, please list them below:

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Have you previously applied to this law school?
    ____ Yes
    ____ No

If you applied previously, what year was the application for?  ________________________________

Were you offered admission?
    ____ Yes
    ____ No

Are you applying, or have you applied, to other law schools? If so, please list them.

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Coursework Interest

Please indicate your areas of legal interest.

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Character and Fitness

(Please read carefully.) You are applying to UNC School of Law and other law schools with the likely goal of becoming licensed to practice law in some state after graduation. When a law school graduate applies to take a bar examination in any state, the bar examiners of that state ask the applicant's law school to provide an evaluation of the student's character and fitness to practice law. Most states are interested in character and fitness issues that include, but by no means are limited to, prior criminal conduct. Typically, state bar examiners compare a student's answers to conduct questions on the applicant's law school application to information provided by the student on the student's bar application when assessing the applicant's character and fitness to practice law. We recommend that as soon as you know the state in which you intend to practice, you contact that state's Board of Bar Examiners to determine its requirements. The Board of Bar Examiners of a particular state might ask you for information on an application to sit for its bar exam that is not asked for in an application for law school admission. This may include criminal records that have been sealed or expunged by order of a court. Because of the high ethical standards to which lawyers are held, failing to disclose an act or event is often more significant, and leads to more serious consequences, than the act or event itself. Similarly, in applying to Carolina Law, we encourage open disclosure of any matters that might bear on an assessment of your character and fitness to practice law. Thus, as part of the admissions process, all applicants to Carolina Law are required to answer the questions below as accurately and completely as possible. If you answer yes to any of the questions below, you must submit a completely factual explanation of the circumstances and disposition of the event(s) referred to.

If the School of Law determines that your answers are incomplete or inaccurate, your application will be considered incomplete and will not be sent to the Admissions Committee for review until it is complete. When completing this application for admission, all applicants are required to disclose ALL THE DETAILS AND RESULTS of any criminal charges (except for minor traffic violations, which include parking tickets and/or original charges of speeding less than 10 mph over the speed limit). Even if charges were dismissed, or a conviction reversed, set aside, or vacated, the matters must be disclosed to the School of Law. Contrary advice by legal counsel does not exempt an applicant from this requirement. Records that have been sealed or expunged by order of a court need not be disclosed on this application.

Your answers to the questions are confidential, except as may be required by Bar Examiner disclosure, a court order, or other legal process. All applicants are under a continuing obligation to notify the Office of Admissions of any changes in their applications up until the time of enrollment, and to notify the Assistant Dean for Student Services of any changes in their answers to these questions after enrollment. As part of the Honor Code for the University of North Carolina, a student who is found to have falsified or withheld information from answers to an admissions application is subject to disciplinary action, including possible dismissal from the School of Law. If you answer yes to any of the following questions, include a statement providing dates and a complete explanation and description of the circumstances and resolution of each incident.

_____ I have read the above.

Have you ever been expelled, dismissed, suspended, placed on probation, or otherwise subject to any disciplinary sanction by any high school, college, university, graduate or professional school? (This includes information listed in your academic records as "FOR INFORMATION ONLY.") If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

_____ Yes
_____ No

Have you ever received a citation for, been arrested for, charged with, convicted of, or pled guilty, no contest, nolo contendere, entered an Alford plea, or otherwise accepted responsibility for a crime, or have you received a deferred prosecution or prayer for judgment continued, for any criminal charge other than a minor traffic violation (parking or an original charge speeding under 10 mph)? This would include any charges of driving under the influence or any other drug or alcohol-related offenses. (Records that have been sealed or expunged need not be disclosed.) If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

_____ Yes
_____ No

Are there any criminal charges pending against you or are you presently under investigation for a crime of any kind? (This includes any charges of driving under the influence or other drug or alcohol-related charges.) If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

_____ Yes
_____ No
Character and Fitness continued

Have you ever been involuntarily separated from a job, internship, externship, or as a volunteer for a nonprofit organization, as a result of an accusation that involved dishonesty or moral turpitude? If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

___ Yes
___ No

Have you ever been sued for a non-criminal act that was alleged to have been intentional? If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

___ Yes
___ No

Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action by a professional association or state licensing board, or had a professional license suspended or revoked? If yes, please include an attachment explaining the circumstances.

___ Yes
___ No

Please address any other incident involving questions of your character that are not covered by the above questions. You should not include responses from the questions above in this space. Please include those responses in an addendum.

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In addition to a bar examination, there are character, fitness, and other qualifications for admission to the bar in every U.S. jurisdiction. Applicants are encouraged to determine the requirements for any jurisdiction in which they intend to seek admission by contacting the jurisdiction. Addresses for all relevant agencies are available through the National Conference of Bar Examiners.

Do you have any adverse financial history, including but not limited to, bankruptcy, foreclosure, or loan default?

___ Yes
___ No
# Education

List ALL educational institutions attended.

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Major

Country __________________________ Start date __________________________

State/Province __________________________ End date __________________________

City __________________________ Degree __________________________

GPA __________________________ Date degree granted __________________________

Rank __________________________

Have you ever attended any law school?

____ Yes

____ No

Did you leave the law school under less than good standing?

____ Yes

____ No

If you did not leave the law school in good standing, explain the circumstances.

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

Has your education in college, university, or professional school been interrupted for one term or more for any reason?

____ Yes

____ No

If your education was interrupted, explain the circumstances.

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

List the academic honors, awards, or other recognitions you have received and explain the reason(s) upon which awards were made.

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**Military Service**

Are you currently serving or have you ever served in the United States Armed Forces?

_____ Yes  
_____ No

Your current military status:

_____ Active Duty  
_____ NC National Guard  
_____ Other National Guard  
_____ Reservist  
_____ Retiree  
_____ Separated Veteran

If you served in the military, which branch of service was it?

_____ Army  
_____ Navy  
_____ Air Force  
_____ Marine Corps  
_____ Coast Guard

What period did you serve in the military?

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Have you ever been separated from any branch of the US armed forces under less than honorable conditions?

_____ Yes  
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If you have been separated from any branch of the US armed forces under less than honorable conditions, explain the circumstances. (maximum characters 500)

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Total number of months full-time work experience.

List your extracurricular, community, or other activities in the order of their importance to you. Give a brief description of your involvement, including any special responsibilities or leadership positions held.

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Family

Next of Kin/Emergency Contact

Salutation _________________________________ Country _________________________________

First (given) name _________________________________ Street address--line 1 _________________________________

Middle name/initial _________________________________ Street address--line 2 _________________________________

Last (family) name _________________________________ Street address--line 3 _________________________________

Relationship to applicant _________________________________ City _________________________________

Telephone (include area code) _________________________________ State/province _________________________________

Zip/postal code _________________________________
Family continued

If you have any close relatives who have been students at this university, please provide the following information.

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Recommenders

Please include the name, title, and affiliation of your proposed recommenders (up to three).
Honor System at UNC

It is required that you read about the UNC Honor System before electronically submitting and certifying your application. Under the University's system of self governance, every student carries the responsibility to obey and to enforce the Instrument of Student Judicial Governance (Honor Code), which prohibits lying, cheating or stealing when those actions involve academic processes or University, student or academic personnel acting in an official capacity and which further prohibits conducting oneself in a manner that impairs significantly the welfare or the educational opportunities of others in the University community.

I certify that the information I have provided is true and complete and that I will uphold the Honor System; that I will notify the Office of Admissions by letter immediately if, after submission of this application and prior to enrollment, there is any change in the information that I have provided in this application; that I will notify the Assistant Dean for Student Services by letter immediately if at any time after enrollment, there is any change in the information asked on this application; that I am the author of the statements or additional information included with this application; and that I understand the statements made herein are the basis upon which my application will be decided.

I understand that falsifying or withholding information in this application violates the policies of the School of Law. A violation of this policy constitutes grounds for immediate withdrawal of my application from further admission consideration or cancellation of my offer of admission or dismissal from the School of Law during my tenure as a law student. In the event I fail to update this information by letter to the Assistant Dean for Student Services subsequent to my matriculation, I understand that I will be subject to an Honor Code proceeding, suspension, and/or immediate dismissal from the University of North Carolina School of Law.

By submitting this application electronically, I certify that all information in this application and any attachments and addenda are complete, accurate and truthful. I further understand that any material submitted will not be copied or returned. I further acknowledge and understand that submitting this application constitutes a waiver of my rights to acquire access to my application or any information contained within either personally or by anyone acting on my behalf.

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill is committed to equality of educational opportunity. The University does not discriminate in offering access to its educational programs and activities on the basis of race, color, gender, age, national origin, religion, creed, disability, veteran's status, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression. The Dean of Students (CB# 5100, 450 Ridge Road, Suite 1106 [Student Academic Services Bldg.], Chapel Hill, NC 27599-5100 or 919-966-4042) has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the University's non-discrimination policies.

Note: Most jurisdictions have standards of character and fitness to practice law, which must be satisfied by candidates applying for admission to the bar. It is incumbent on any candidate with a record of criminal conviction, therefore, to investigate this in regard to any jurisdiction where he or she contemplates admission.

If we believe that you have been dishonest in this application or any of the accompanying materials, we reserve the right to send the application and materials to the Law School Admission Council for reporting and investigation by the LSAC Misconduct and Irregularities Committee.

I have read the above text.
**Interruption of Education**

If you had an interruption of six months or more in your education, please explain here.

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**Good standing**

If you are not in good standing with a previously attended law school, please explain here. Please include the exact dates of attendance and separation in your explanation.

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Awards and service

Which of the following awards or service apply to you? Please DO NOT select awards you anticipate receiving, only those YOU HAVE ALREADY BEEN AWARDED.

- Teach for America
- Peace Corps
- Americorps
- Phi Beta Kappa
- Magna Cum Laude
- Summa Cum Laude
- Cum Laude
- High Honors
- Highest honors