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Application Instructions

LL.M. candidates must have completed a first degree in law (J.D., LL.B. or the equivalent) by the time of their enrollment in the program.

Candidates are evaluated primarily on the strength of their academic record. If a candidate has prior work experience, for example in a law firm, company, NGO or other organization, the Committee will also consider this in its evaluation. Environmental law candidates are also evaluated for a demonstrated commitment to pursuing a career in the environmental field.

Â̾ÞÈËÊÓÆμLaw School operates a rolling admissions process. This means there is no official deadline for applications. However, candidates are encouraged to apply as early as possible to ensure that places are available for the program of their choice. International students are particularly advised to apply early so that they have enough time to obtain the required student visa.

The Graduate Admissions Committee or graduate program staff may interview candidates in person, by telephone or video-conference.

To be considered for admission to any of the graduate programs at Âl¾ÞÈËÊÓÆµLaw School, please submit the following:

- 1. A completed on-line application using the LSAC system.
- Official transcripts from all undergraduate and graduate institutions attended. Transcripts need to be in English or enclose a certified English Translation.
- 3. A personal statement. Please discuss your professional goals and ambitions, and your reasons for applying to a graduate program at Âl¾ÞĒĒĒÓÆμLaw School. You may include a description of your work experience, extracurricular or volunteer activities. You may also anticipate any questions the Graduate Admissions Committee may have while reviewing your application. The personal statement must be entirely your own work, written in English, and 500 words or less.
- 4. Two letters of recommendation. These should be from someone who knows you well and can comment on your academic or professional work and preparation for a graduate law program. Potential sources include current or former law professors, employers, supervisors, colleagues or business partners. The letters need to be dated and signed by the reccomender.
- 5. A legal writing sample. Please send us a short sample (3 to 4 pages) of your best legal writing. This could be a law school research paper, a legal brief or memorandum of law. It must be entirely your own work and written originally in English.
- 6. A complete resume or curriculum vitae. This should contain a summary of your academic and professional experience, with a chronological list of jobs held and duties performed.
- 7. Proof of English proficiency. The Graduate Admissions Committee accepts only TOEFL scores of at least 90 or IELTS scores of at least 6.5. Candidates whose native language is not English, but who have completed university degrees in which English was the language of instruction, may apply for a waiver of the English proficiency requirement. Only Bachelor, Graduate and Post Graduate degrees are considered for the waiver.
- Applicants to the SJD program must submit a 5-page thesis proposal. They should have also completed an LLM in environmental law, either at Âl¾ÞĒĒĒÓÆμLaw School or another institution, by the time of enrollment in the SJD program.

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9. All applicants must pay a nonrefundable application fee of USD 60 through the LSAC system.

Please contact the Graduate Programs Office if you have any questions about the LLM or SJD programs at Â̾ÞÈËÊÓÆμLaw School. You may e-mail us at llm@law.pace.edu, or contact us by telephone (+1) (914) 422 4670, or fax (+1) (914) 422 4261.

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Program

Application for an:	
LLM Environmental Law: Global	
LLM Comparative Legal Studies	
LLM Environmental Law	
SJD Environmental Law	
LLM Environmental Law:Climate Change	
LLM Environmental Law: Land Use	
Are you applying for full or part time?	
Full Time	
Part Time	
Where did you learn about Â̾ÞÈËÊÓÆμLaw School?	
Brochure or flyer	
Campus visit	
Internet Search	
LLM or graduate school fair	
Other	
Other website Â̾ÞÈËÊÓÆµLaw School website	
Print advertisement	
Recommendation by a third party	
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<u>Biographical</u>	
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 or chosen first name	LSAC account number

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Citizenship Information

Are you a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.? Yes No	
Will you need the I-20 Certificate of Eligibility? Yes No	
Country of Citizenship:	
Contact Information	
Current Address	
Country	Current mailing address good until date
Street addressline 1	
Street addressline 2	
Street addressline 3	
City	
State/province	
Zip/postal code	
Permanent Address	
Country	Permanent mailing address good until date
Street addressline 1	
Street addressline 2	
Street addressline 3	
City	
State/province	
Zip/postal code	



Contact Information continued

Other Contact In	formation	
Primary e-mail addr	ess	
Secondary e-mail a	ddress	
Permanent e-mail a	ddress	
Mobile phone		
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<u>Standardiz</u>	ed Testing	
TOEFL		
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IELTS		
Test Date	Test Score	
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Education

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Institution type	High School	Undergraduate	Graduate	Law	Other Post Graduate
Institution name _					
Major					
Country			Start date		
State/Province		_	End date		
City			Degree		
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City					



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Major	
Country	
State/Province	
City	
GPA	Date degree granted
Rank	
Bar Admission	
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Country	Date of Admittance
State or Province	Current Status Active Inactive
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State or Province	Current Status Active Inactive

List professional or academic activities:



Bar Admission continued Date of Admittance _____ Country _____ State or Province _____ Current Status ____ Active ____ Inactive Date of Admittance Country _____ State or Province _____ Current Status ____ Active ____ Inactive If you are not a member of the bar in any state/country, when do you plan to sit for a bar examination and in which state/ country? Planned bar exam date Country _____ State or Province _____ If you are not qualified to practice law, have you completed all of the academic (university level) legal education requirements necessary to take the bar examination? Yes No Additional Information List publications and lectures:

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____ No



Additional Information continued
List volunteer service:
Would you wish to be consider for a merit based Scholarship? Merit based Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic and professional merit.
Yes No
If you wish to be consider for a merit based scholarship briefly describe why.
Character and Fitness
If your answer to any of the Character and Fitness questions is "yes," explain fully on a supplemental sheet.
Please be sure that all instructions have been followed. The Admissions Committee will consider an application only after it has been completed in full and the Office of Graduate Admissions has received all required documents.
Has your college or university, graduate or professional school course been interrupted for one or more terms for any reason?
Yes
No
Have you ever been placed on academic and/or disciplinary probation for actions arising from allegations of academic dishonesty, plagiarism, cheating, etc., during your college, university, graduate or professional school course work?
Yes
No
Have you ever been suspended or required to withdraw from any academic program for scholastic or other reasons?
Yes No
Are there any disciplinary charges pending against you?
Yes

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Character and Fitness continued

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Have you ever been convicted of a crimin Yes	nal offense other than a minor traffic violation?
No	
If you have ever served on full-time milita Yes	ary active duty, was your discharge under conditions other than honorable?
No	
Application Statement	
I understand that, if I am admitted to the application and all supporting materials a such disclosure.	Â̾ÞÈËÊÓÆµ School of Law and registered as a student, the School will retain this and may make them available to state bar character committees, and I consent to
I agree that my admission, if granted, and set forth on the statutes and bulletins of \hat{A}	d my registration and continuance on the rolls are subject to all rules and regulations Â̾ÞÈĒÊÓÆµ.
While this application is active, either dur	me in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. ring review or during my enrollment period at Â̾ÞÈĒĆÓÆµshould I be admitted, I shall Graduate Admissions of the School of Law of any change in any of the facts
I understand that falsification of this appli School of Law.	ication will be grounds for its denial, or, if I am accepted, for dismissal from the
I certify that I am a law school graduate.	
By submitting this form the applicant agre	ees to all the statements and terms described above.
I agree to this statement.	
Law School Interest	
What prompted you to apply to this law s	chool?
Internet	Faculty/Alumni/Professional
ABA	Admissions recruiter
Law School	Alumni
LSAC	Faculty/acquaintance
Other	Law school faculty member
	Legal professional
	Prelaw advisor

__ Relative

____ University/college faculty member



Law School Interest continued

Publications	Recruiting Events
Law school publication	Campus event
LSAC Official Guide to ABA Law Schools	Current student
Other advertisement	International forum
Princeton Review	Law school direct mail/e-mail
US News & World Report	Law school fair
	LSAC Forum
If you attended any events mentioned in the Recruiting	g Events section, please list them below:
Have you previously applied to this law school? Yes No	
If you applied previously, what year was the application	on for?
Were you offered admission?	
Yes	
No	
Are you applying, or have you applied, to other law so	hools? If so, please list them.
Are you applying to any other LLM schools?	
Yes	
No	