



**CALIFORNIA WESTERN**  
SCHOOL OF LAW / San Diego

# CALIFORNIA WESTERN EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY\*

## Class of 2022

### SALARIES FOR EMPLOYED GRADUATES

Private Practice / Average Salary: \$82,643

Public Sector / Average Salary: \$72,006

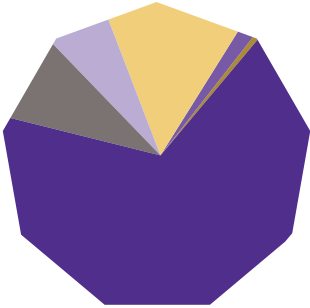
^ Salary figures are voluntarily self-reported and are not provided by all respondents. Salary data reflects full-time, long-term positions only, and does not include data for those self-employed. A minimum of five salaries is required for each salary analysis.

### EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR



### EMPLOYMENT CATEGORIES

- Law Firms (all sizes) / 67.8%
- Business & Industry / 9%
- Government / 6.2%
- Public Interest/ 14.7%
- Clerkships (all levels) / 1.7%
- Education / 0.5%



### SIZE OF LAW FIRM (BY # OF ATTORNEYS)

- 1-10 / 58.3%
- 11-25 / 14.2%
- 26-50 / 10%
- 51-100 / 4.2%
- 101-250 / 3.33%
- 251-500 / 1.67%
- 501+ / 8.3%



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California Western School of Law encourages prospective law students to review our complete Class of 2022 ABA and NALP employment reports.

\* Employment data is voluntarily self-reported. These summary figures are based on the 98.5% of the Class of 2022 whose employment data is reported and known. This Data Summary covers graduates of the Class of 2022 who were employed as of the American Bar Association's March 15, 2023 employment reporting deadline and does not reflect the employment of Class of 2022 graduates who secured positions after that date.

# WHERE ARE MORE THAN 11,800 ALUMNI WORKING?

● Law firms	57%
● Government	14%
● Business	14%
● Public interest	10%
● Judicial clerkships	3%
● Academia	2%



Cal Western Alumni can be found in:

**49**  
STATES

## BUSINESSES

- Bloomberg BNA
- Booz Allen
- Dexcom
- Expedia
- Hologic
- Honeywell
- Hughes Marino
- Liberty Mutual
- Northrop Grumman
- Petco
- Qualcomm
- Sempra

## GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

- US Patent and Trademark Office
- Social Security Administration
- US Attorneys | Department of Justice
- San Diego District Attorney's Office
- San Diego Public Defender's Office
- US Navy JAG

## LAW FIRMS

- Baker McKenzie
- Ballard Spahr
- CaseyGerry
- Dentons
- DLA Piper
- Fish & Richardson
- Gordon & Rees
- Higgs Fletcher & Mack
- Jackson Lewis
- Klinedinst
- Lewis Brisbois Bisgaard & Smith LLP
- Littler
- Mayer Brown
- Morgan Lewis
- Neil Dymott
- Pillsbury
- Procopio
- Sheppard Mullin
- Wilson Sonsini



Cal Western alumni include more than

**500**

"SUPER LAWYERS"

**\$82,600**

Average salary for California Western graduates in private practice, 2022