

University of Nebraska  
**College of Law**  
Application for Admission  
2009 - 2010



# Application for Admission

## University of Nebraska College of Law

Read the application procedures carefully and make sure that you include the application fee. Include your name, social security number and LSAC account number on any additional sheets of paper you submit with your application.

### 1. Full Legal Name

LAST	SUFFIX	FIRST	MIDDLE
OTHER LAST NAME			

### Social Security Number

### LSAC Account Number

### 2. Current Address

STREET OR RFD

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Number of Years  Months  at current address

Current Phone

AREA CODE NUMBER

Current E-mail

### 3. Permanent Address

STREET OR RFD

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

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Permanent Phone

AREA CODE NUMBER

Permanent E-mail

### 4. Date after which mail should be sent to your permanent address

### 5. Ethnic and Racial Background

#### 5a. University of Nebraska-Lincoln Reporting Requirement\*

What is your ethnic background:

- a. Hispanic or Latino  
 b. Not Hispanic or Latino

What is your racial background (mark one or more):

- a. White  
 b. Black or African American  
 c. Asian  
 d. American Indian or Alaska Native  
 e. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Ethnicity is based on the following categorization:

**Hispanic or Latino:** A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Race is based on the following five categorizations:

**American Indian or Alaska Native:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America).

**Asian:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

**Black or African American:** A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

**Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

**White:** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

\*The ethnic and racial data collection instruments shown here have been formulated to comply with federal guidelines set forth through the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System as designated by the United States Department of Education.

#### 5b. American Bar Association Reporting Requirement

- Black American  
 American Indian/Alaskan Native  
 Asian or Pacific Islander  
 Mexican American  
 Puerto Rican  
 Other Hispanic  
 White, Not Hispanic Origin

### 6. Date of Birth

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MM	DD	YY			

### 7. Place of Birth

CITY	STATE OR COUNTRY

Hometown

CITY	STATE OR COUNTRY

8. Sex Female  Male

9. Are you a United States citizen, permanent resident, asylee, or refugee? No  Yes

If no, state your country of citizenship

Are you a permanent resident alien? No  Yes   
(If yes, attach a copy of your resident alien card.)

10. Have you overcome significant educational or economic disadvantages to obtain your undergraduate education?

No  Yes

(If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.)

Please copy information from page 1.

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CITY STATE OR COUNTRY

11. Have you previously applied to the University of Nebraska College of Law? No  Yes

If yes, when?

Under what name?

Permanent Address

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Permanent Phone

Permanent E-mail

12. Type of Application

Applying as a **first year student** planning to enter the College of Law in August, 20

with a bachelors degree.

under the combined 3-3 Program without a bachelors degree.

Applying as a **transfer student** planning to enter the College of Law in

MM DD YY

Applying as a **visiting student** planning to attend the College of Law for the following semester(s):



19. When you were an undergraduate student, did you work during the school year? No  Yes   
 If yes, state the average number of hours you worked per week:

Freshman Year   HOURS     
 Sophomore Year   HOURS     
 Junior Year   HOURS     
 Senior Year   HOURS

20. Work Experience (during the last four years):

Dates	Employer	Short Job Description

21. Have you ever served in the United States Armed Forces? No  Yes   
 (If yes, state below the branch in which you served, the dates of your service and the type of discharge you received.)

Military Branch	Dates Served	Discharge Type

22. Answer the following questions “yes” or “no.” If you answer any of the questions “yes,” you must attach a separate sheet of paper and provide the additional information requested. Because of the high ethical standards to which lawyers are held, the failure to disclose an act or event such as the ones described below is often more significant, and leads to more serious consequences than the act or event itself. Failure to provide truthful answers, or failure to inform the College of Law of any changes to your answers, may result in revocation of your admission, or if admitted, dismissal from the College of Law or denial of permission to practice law by the state in which you seek admission. All states assess the character and fitness of applicants for admission to the bar. If you believe there is anything in your past conduct which might affect your admission to the bar of any state, you should contact the appropriate bar officials of the state as to the applicable character and fitness requirements.

- No  Yes  Have you ever been charged with or arrested for a crime other than a minor traffic violation? If “yes,” please explain in detail the nature of the crime, the circumstances surrounding the charges or arrest and the disposition. Check “yes” even if the offense was expunged from your record, you went through a pre-trial diversion program, your record was sealed or you were told you did not need to disclose the matter.
- No  Yes  Have you ever been dropped, suspended, warned, placed on academic or disciplinary probation, disciplined, expelled or requested or advised to resign from any postsecondary school, college, university, professional school or law school? If “yes,” explain in detail on a separate sheet.
- No  Yes  Have you ever attended law school? If “yes,” state the name of each law school you attended, the period of attendance and the reason(s) you left that school. Please request that each law school’s dean send a letter indicating your standing as well as a transcript of all law school work.

23. Provide the names, addresses and phone numbers of two people who can be contacted if we need to reach you but are unable to do so.

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LAST FIRST ADDRESS

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CITY STATE ZIP PHONE (include area code)

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24. Provide the names and titles of the people who will be writing your letters of recommendation.

My letters of recommendation will be submitted  through the LSAC Letter of Recommendation Service or  directly to the College of Law.

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25. What prompted you to apply to the University of Nebraska College of Law?

(Prelaw advisor, recruiter, alumnus/a, LSAC's Official Guide or other source or reason)


26. **Optional.** Provide us with information about any of the following factors which apply to you: (1) are you in the first generation in your family to graduate from college; (2) would you be in the first generation of your family to attend law school; (3) do you anticipate that you would have a commitment to provide legal services to underserved communities after you graduate from law school?


27. **Personal Statement.** On a separate sheet of paper, explain why you are interested in pursuing the study of law and provide any information that you believe the Admissions Committee should consider in evaluating your application.

28. I hereby certify that the information I have provided in this application and in any supporting documents is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I agree to promptly inform the College of Law of any changes in any matters covered herein, even if such changes occur after I have submitted my application or enrolled as a student. I understand that any false or misleading information in connection with this application may be the basis for revocation or denial of admission, or if admitted, dismissal from the College of Law.

Dated:  Signature:

# Letter of Recommendation

University of Nebraska College of Law

NAME OF APPLICANT

UNDERGRADUATE SCHOOL

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I have read the above and authorize

NAME OF EVALUATOR

to submit a candid evaluation of me to the University of Nebraska College of Law in conjunction with my Application for Admission to the College.

I do

I do not

waive any right to access I may have to his/her letter of recommendation.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please sign this form, attach it to your letter of recommendation and mail it directly to the Admissions Office, University of Nebraska College of Law, P.O. Box 830902, Lincoln, NE 68583-0902.

We very much appreciate your help in evaluating this applicant.

NAME

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CITY, STATE, ZIP

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