

Basic Information

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Compensation & Benefits

2023 compensation for entry-level lawyers (\$/year) 205,000

Summer Compensation

2023 compensation for Post-3Ls (\$/week)

2023 compensation for 2Ls (\$/week) 3,942

2023 compensation for 1Ls(\$/week) 3,942

Partnership & Advancement

Does the firm have two or more tiers of partner? No

If no, how many years is the partnership track? 8

Lawyer Demographics

		Partner/Member	Associates	Counsel	Non-traditional Track/Staff Attorneys	Summer Associates
	Men	55	22	9	0	0
	Women	16	18	10	0	5
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	71	40	19	0	5
Latinx	Men	2	1	0	0	0
	Women	0	1	0	0	1
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
White	Men	50	23	16	0	0
	Women	17	15	8	0	2
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	Men	2	2	0	0	0
	Women	0	3	1	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	Men	4	2	0	0	0
	Women	1	2	0	0	2
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Native American or Alaska Native	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
2 or More Races	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	2	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Persons with Disabilities	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
LGBTQ	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	1
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0
Veteran	Men	0	0	0	0	0
	Women	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-binary	0	0	0	0	0

Pro Bono/Public Interest

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Is the pro bono information indicated here firm-wide or specific to one office?

Firm-wide

% Firm Billable Hours last year

Average Hours per Attorney last year

Percent of associates participating last year

Percent of partners participating last year

Percent of other lawyers participating last year

Professional Development

Evaluations

Annual

Does your organization use upward reviews to evaluate and provide feedback to supervising lawyers?

No

Rotation for junior associates between departments/practice groups?

No

Does your organization have a dedicated professional development staff?

Yes

Does your organization have a coaching/mentoring program

Yes

Does your organization give billable hours credit for training time?

No

HIRING & RECRUITMENT

LAWYERS	Began Work In				Expected
	2021	Prior Summer Associates	2022	Prior Summer Associates	2023
Entry-level	2	2	4	2	5
Entry-level (non-traditional track)					
Lateral Partners	4		8		
Lateral Associates	12		13		
All Other Laterals (non-traditional track)					
Post-Clerkship					
LL.M.s (U.S.)					
LL.M.s (non-U.S.)					
SUMMER					
Post-3Ls					
2Ls	1	1	4	3	3
1Ls	1		1		1

Number of 2022 Summer 2Ls considered for associate offers

17

Number of offers made to summer 2L associates

17

General Hiring Criteria

General Practice Areas

GENERAL PRACTICE AREAS	EMPLOYER'S PRACTICE GROUP NAME	NO. OF PARTNERS/MEMBERS	NO. OF COUNSEL	NO. OF ASSOCIATES	NO. OF ENTRY-LEVEL PLACEMENTS IN THIS PRACTICE AREA LAST YEAR	NO. OF NON-TRADITIONAL TRACK/STAFF ATTORNEYS
Business, Corporate	Business	17	4	11	2	
Bankruptcy	Business Restructuring & Bankruptcy					
Labor and Employment	Employment & Labor Relations		1	4	1	
General Practice	Health & Life Sciences		1			
Intellectual Property	Intellectual Property	10	3	2		
Litigation	Litigation	25	4	13	1	
Family	Private Client	3	1			

Banking, Finance	Public Finance	3		
Real Estate, Land Use	Real Estate	12	10	7
Tax	Tax			

Diversity & Inclusion

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Organization Narrative

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