

**JURIST Academy Application Process**

The following material must be received by **Delaware** Law School before the **April 14, 2017** application deadline:

1. **Completed application form.** Your application must be received no later than **April 14, 2017**. You may apply on-line or download an application.
2. **Personal Statement.** A personal statement is required discussing why you would like to participate in this program. You may also include a statement discussing other circumstances in your background that demonstrates how your admission into law school in the future would help to correct under representation of a particular minority or disadvantaged group in the legal profession.
3. **Official undergraduate transcript.** The minimum cumulative undergraduate grade point average requirement is 2.80. An official undergraduate transcript must be submitted with the application. Please submit an official transcript from every undergraduate school you have attended. All candidates must be in good academic standing.
4. **Two letters of recommendation.** At least one letter must be from a college professor or dean. Letters of recommendations should discuss your academic potential, writing ability, and professional promise.

Please submit all application materials in one envelope to the following address:

Widener University  
**Delaware Law School**  
JURIST Academy  
Nicole Barkley, Director  
*Public Interest Resource Center*  
4601 Concord Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19803-0406

## JURIST Academy Application Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Last, First, Middle Initial

**Permanent Address**

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Address**

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Demographic Information**

Date of Birth: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Male     Female     Other

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Information**

Please provide relevant information for all colleges or universities that you have attended. You must enclose an official transcript from all colleges or universities that you have attended, including the college in which you are currently enrolled.

| College/University Name | Location | Dates of Attendance | Degree Received | Major |
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- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Are you a first-generation college student?    \_\_\_Yes    \_\_\_No

Please identify your racial and ethnic background by checking one or more of the following boxes (optional):

- African American or Black
- Native American or Alaskan Native
- Asian
- Hispanic or Latina/or

- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- White or Caucasian
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you work while attending school? \_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_Yes (If yes, how many hours per week? \_\_\_\_)

Do you presently receive financial aid (scholarships, loans, grants, etc.)? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No

Please list all academic and scholastic honors: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list all extracurricular and community activities: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### **Character and Fitness Requirement**

Please indicate if you have been found guilty of the following conduct. If so, please submit a statement with your application explaining the circumstances. You must address the consequences of your misdeed(s) and any remedial or corrective action that followed.

- Unlawful conduct
- Academic misconduct
- False statements or omissions
- Neglect of professional obligations
- Employment misconduct leading to discharge
- Acts of honest, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation
- Neglect of legal or fiduciary duties or responsibilities
- Abuse of the legal process or filing of false government claim
- None of the above

By signing this application, I hereby certify that I have checked this application for omissions and errors. To the best of my knowledge, all information is true and complete as reported. I understand that I may be required to verify this information. I further certify that during my academic and professional career, I have maintained a record clear of any significant deficiency in honesty, trustworthiness, or reliability.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Checklist**

- Signed and completed application
- College transcript(s)
- Two letters of recommendation
- Resume (optional)



We thank you for your interest in the JURIST ACADEMY of Widener University Delaware Law School.