

# Widener University

  

## Delaware Law School

**DOCTOR OF JURIDICAL SCIENCE (SJD)      SPRING \_\_\_\_      FALL \_\_\_\_**  
**SUMMER \_\_\_\_\_ (only for interational applicants)**

**CORPORATE AND BUSINESS LAW**

**HEALTH LAW**

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### ACADEMIC INFORMATION

**1. COLLEGIATE, GRADUATE, AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION**

SCHOOL	FROM: TO:	MAJOR	G.P.A.	DEGREE
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**2. CHARACTER AND FITNESS.** EACH APPLICANT MUST ANSWER ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. IF YOU ANSWER 'YES' TO ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE PROVIDE A TYPED DETAILED STATEMENT EXPLAINING YOUR ANSWER. HOWEVER, A DETAILED STATEMENT REGARDING QUESTION #4 MAY OR MAY NOT BE PROVIDED AT YOUR OPTION.

**WERE YOU EVER:**

- 1. PLACED ON PROBATION, DISCIPLINED, SUSPENDED, OR DISMISSED FROM ANY LEARNING INSTITUTION FOR ANY REASON?  YES     NO
- 2. COURT MARTIALED IN MILITARY SERVICE?  YES     NO
- 3. CONVICTED OF ANY CRIME OTHER THAN A MINOR TRAFFIC VIOLATION?  YES     NO
- 4. HAD YOUR COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY, GRADUATE, OR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION INTERRUPTED FOR ONE OR MORE TERMS FOR ANY REASON?  YES     NO

**3. IF YOU HAVE SERVED IN A BRANCH OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES, PLEASE PROVIDE: BRANCH, DATES OF SERVICE, TYPE OF DISCHARGE, HIGHEST RANK HELD, AND MEDALS AWARDED.**

**4. YOU WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR ADMISSION WHEN DELAWARE LAW SCHOOL, GRADUATE, INTERNATIONAL, COMPLIANCE & LEGAL STUDIES OFFICE IS IN RECEIPT OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS:**

- **COMPLETED APPLICATION**
- **RESUME OR CURRICULUM VITAE**
- **\$75.00 NON-REFUNDABLE APPLICATION FEE**, payable to delaware law school
- **ALL OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS** or notarized full-sized copies of all law, graduate, and undergraduate schools attended, including record of all courses and grades
- **OFFICIAL PROOF OF ENGLISH COMPETENCY:** candidate will submit either a passing toefl or ielts score.
  - a minimum toefl score of "94" is required
  - a minimum ielts score of "7.0" is required
- **TWO (2) LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**
- **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:** candidates must submit a one page single-spaced essay explaining why he/she is seeking the sjd and how this degree will advance their professional objective.
- **WRITING SAMPLE:** candidate must submit an example of their prior work. the legal subject matter does not need to be related to the dissertation proposal. it must be in english, typed, and double-spaced. there is no page limit.
- **DISSERTATION PROPOSAL:** Candidates must submit a detailed statement of the proposed dissertation topic. the proposal must be typed, double-spaced, and approximately 2,500 words (10 pages), with a two page bibliography attached that lists relevant works that proved significant in the formulation of the applicant's thinking about his/her proposal. the substance of the proposal should: (a) demonstrate the originality of the research project; (b) indicate the importance of the project within the applicant's field of study; and (c) indicate the methodology the applicant expects to employ in the development of the dissertation.

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I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION I HAVE PROVIDED ON THIS APPLICATION FORM AND ANY ATTACHED MATERIALS IS TRUE AND COMPLETE.

SIGNATURE

DATE

**MAIL THIS APPLICATION AND ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:**

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