



## Fall 2011 Entering Class Profile

### 213 first-year students, selected from among 1,972 applicants

- 139 residents (65%)
- 132 men (62%)
- 81 women (38%)
- 37 minority students (17%)
- age range 20-45, with an average age of 24

### 18 states and four foreign countries represented, including:

Alabama	1	Ohio	2
California	2	Pennsylvania	2
Florida	10	South Carolina	136
Georgia	12	Tennessee	3
Kentucky	1	Texas	2
Louisiana	1	Virginia	10
Maryland	3	West Virginia	1
Massachusetts	4	Canada	1
Minnesota	1	Kenya	1
New York	3	Korea	1
North Carolina	18	Vietnam	1

### 76 different undergraduate schools represented, including:

University of South Carolina	49	Florida State University	3
Clemson University	23	University of Florida	3
Furman University	10	Presbyterian College	3
Wofford College	10	Vanderbilt University	3
College of Charleston	8	Washington and Lee	3
University of North Carolina	7	University of Maryland	2
University of Georgia	5	University of the South	2
The Citadel	4	U. S. Air Force Academy	2
Coastal Carolina	4	U.S. Military Academy	2
University of Virginia	4	Wake Forest University	2
Winthrop University	4		

### **Academic credentials:**

75 <sup>th</sup> percentile LSAT	160 (80 <sup>th</sup> percentile)
median LSAT	158 (75 <sup>th</sup> percentile)
25 <sup>th</sup> percentile LSAT	155 (64 <sup>th</sup> percentile)
75 <sup>th</sup> percentile GPA	3.63
median GPA	3.35
25 <sup>th</sup> percentile GPA	3.07

### **Post graduation:**

Bar passage	85%
Employment	91%

### **Their pre-law-school work experience, leadership, and community service included, among other things:**

Counter Intelligence Branch Chief; intern with the Chief Protocol Office of an Ambassador; intern with Universal Records; Katrina survivor; dental assistant; ESL tutor for migrant workers; translator for a free clinic; volunteers with food banks and soup kitchens; Big Brothers and Big Sisters, Relay for Life, Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity, Boys and Girls Clubs, Ronald McDonald House, and Special Olympics volunteers; victim's advocate; Gator for Gainesville Pet Rescue Adoption counselor; volunteer for the Ray Tanner Foundation; Teach for America student; member of the SC House of Representatives; interns with Lindsey Graham, Gresham Barrett, Jim DeMint, James Clyburn, Joe Wilson, Ron Paul, John Kerry, Chris Van Hollen, Joe Barton, Sam Graves, Vincent Sheheen and the original Strom Thurmond; research assistant with Meet the Press; intern for the Minnesota Vikings; ambulance dispatcher; officer in a nuclear powered sub; aide de camp to a General in Iraq; lifeguard; an actor with a SAG membership; founder of a Dress for Success chapter; welder; carpenter; licensed hypno-therapist; chemist; White House intern; real estate agent; sky diving instructors; housemaster at a prep school; police officer; South Carolina House and Senate Pages; yearbook editor; poker society; Eagle Scouts and Girl Scout mentors; Silver Gloves boxing champion; certified tennis professional; black belt in martial arts; sports agent; caddie; Cub Scout Wolf Den leader; ballet director; Department of State Employee of the Year; members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marines; US Army Ranger; college Republicans, Democrats, and libertarians; marathoner, student body president; perfect SAT math score; White House staff assistant.