



# RWU Law

ROGER WILLIAMS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW | BRISTOL, RHODE ISLAND

## **Application instructions for a Summer Visiting Student**

All completed applications for admission as a visiting student are reviewed by the Assistant Dean of Admissions and the Associate Dean for Academic Affairs. A completed application consists of:

1. A complete, electronically certified application;
2. A brief supplemental statement setting forth the reasons for visiting;
3. A certified transcript from your current law school;
4. Written permission to attend Roger Williams University School of Law from your current law school; and
5. A \$60 application fee, payable directly to RWU Law.

Application materials should be emailed to [Admissions@rwu.edu](mailto:Admissions@rwu.edu) and/or sent to RWU Law

Office of Admissions  
Ten Metacom Avenue  
Bristol, Rhode Island 02809

## **Character and Fitness Advisory**

Be sure all necessary and pertinent facts and information have been disclosed on your application. Inconsistencies discovered after you matriculate could subject you to dismissal from the School of Law. Questions asked on the application are also asked by bar examiners. Some jurisdictions compare these answers against those on law school applications. Any discrepancies may adversely affect your admission to the bar. Of particular importance are juvenile or minor matters in which the court has sealed the records. Many bar examiners take the position that the records are not sealed for purposes of admission to the bar. A student must communicate any material change in admissions information occurring prior to matriculation or during enrollment as a student to the Office of Admissions.

Before applying for admission to law school, you are advised to thoroughly investigate the requirements for admission to the bar in the states or jurisdictions in which you intend to practice law upon graduation and, if prudent, consult with the relevant bar admitting authorities. Applicants who have been arrested, charged with,

or convicted of a crime should carefully review the requirements for admission to practice in the state or states in which they intend to practice as their right to admission may be limited. Applicants who have been committed to a psychiatric treatment facility or who have experienced serious difficulties meeting their financial responsibilities should also review the requirement for practice.

## **Roger Williams University & Roger Williams University School of Law Non-Discrimination Policy**

For further information concerning admissions policies, the application, or procedure, please contact:

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Assistant Dean, Office of Admissions



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*Mac users: If you are using Preview to complete the application, please "Export to PDF" the completed form to ensure that form data will be readable in Windows.*

### **Biographical**

1. What is your First (given) Name?
2. What is your Middle Name?
3. What is your Last (family) Name?
4. What is your Preferred First Name?
5. What is your Date of Birth?
6. Gender    Male    Female    Gender non-binary/non-conforming    My gender is not listed here
7. I wish to identify as (check all that apply)    Lesbian, Gay, or Bisexual    Queer    Transgender

### **Ethnicity**

9. Are you Hispanic/Latino ?    Yes    No
10. What is your Race?
  - American Indian/Alaskan Native
  - Asian
  - Black/African American
  - Caucasian/White
  - Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
11. If you consider yourself an American Indian or an Alaskan Native, please enter your Tribal Affiliation.
12. If you are an enrolled member of an American Indian or an Alaskan Native tribe, please enter your enrollment number.

### **Contact Information:**

13. What is your Current Address?

14. What is your Permanent Address (If different from your Current Address?)

15. What is your Primary e-mail address?

16. What is your Mobile Phone Number?

### **Citizenship**

17. Please select your citizenship status:

Non-Resident Alien

U.S. Citizen

U.S. Permanent Resident

### **Legal Education**

18. Please list all prior Law Schools attended. (attach a separate sheet if necessary)

Name of Law School

Country:

State/Province:

City:

GPA:

Rank:

Start Date:

End Date:

## Character and Fitness:

In addition to a bar examination, there are character, fitness, and other qualifications for admission to the bar in every U.S. jurisdiction. Applicants are encouraged to determine the requirements for any jurisdiction in which they intend to seek admission by contacting the jurisdiction. Addresses for all relevant agencies are available through the National Conference of Bar Examiners.

If you answer “yes” to any of the following questions, please provide a full and complete explanation in an electronic attachment, clearly answering the question including final disposition. The Admissions Committee may request further information about any of these questions. Failure to provide full and truthful answers may result in revocation of admissions or disciplinary action by the School of Law, or denial of permission to practice law in the state in which you seek admission.

Should your response to any of these questions change during the course of your application, prior to matriculation, or while enrolled at the law school, you must immediately inform the Office of Admissions and update your application accordingly.

19. After high school graduation, have you ever been placed on academic or conduct probation, disciplined, suspended, or dismissed from any learning institution for any reason?

Yes      No

20. Have you ever, as an adult or juvenile, been charged with a felony, regardless of how any such charge was disposed of or whether any conviction was expunged from your record?

Yes      No

21. Have you, within the last five years, as an adult or a juvenile, been convicted of a misdemeanor?

Yes      No

22. Are there any pending criminal charges against you now? Minor, non-criminal traffic offenses such as parking and speeding tickets need not be disclosed.

Yes      No

23. Have you ever been suspended, discharged, or asked to resign from any employment, professional organization, or public office?

Yes      No

24. Have you been subject to professional discipline, voluntarily surrendered a professional license, or had a professional license denied, suspended or revoked?

Yes      No

25. Have you been a party to a civil proceeding in which you were alleged to have committed fraud or any type of misrepresentation?

Yes      No

26. As a member of the armed forces, have any charges ever been made or proceedings instituted against you? (No is the same as Not Applicable.)

Yes      No

## **Certification**

By signing this application or transmitting it electronically, I have read and understood the provisions of the application for admission to Roger Williams University School of Law. I certify that all the information given is complete and accurate and given here for the purpose of having the School of Law take action in reliance thereon. I understand that any false or misleading statement, or inaccurate or incomplete information, may be a basis for denial of admission, revocation of acceptance, denial of financial aid award, or result in misconduct proceedings being instituted by the School of Law and by the Law School Admission Council. I also agree to notify the School of Law in writing of any changes of status as to any part of this application which may occur after the date of signature. All materials submitted to the School of Law by the applicant become property of the School of Law and cannot be returned or forwarded to a third party. I understand that the School of Law reserves the right to modify the requirements for admission and graduation, to change the program of study, to amend any regulation affecting the student body, to increase tuition and fees, and to dismiss from the School of Law any student at any time, if it is deemed by the School of Law to be in the best interest of the School of Law or to the student to do so. Nothing in the catalog, website, or application packet may be considered as setting forth term of a contract between a student or prospective student and Roger Williams University School of Law.

I acknowledge the above statement.

Type in your full name:

Date: