



**STUDENT DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS OF
AMERICAN HERITAGE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**

American Heritage University School of Law is not approved by the American Bar Association, and not accredited by the State Bar of California. The School of Law is registered with the State Bar of California to enable its graduates to take the bar examination upon completion of the Juris Doctor program.

The disclosures included herein are required by Rule 4.241 of the Unaccredited Law School Rules and Guideline 2.3(D) of the Guidelines for Unaccredited Law School Rules. This Disclosure statement must be provided to each prospective student upon payment of an application fee, but before payment of a registration fee, and to each new or returning student, prior to payment for any academic term. This disclosure must be signed by the enrolling student and the student shall receive a copy of the signed statement.

1. The method of instruction at this law school for the Juris Doctor (J.D.) degree program is principally by technological means including interactive classes.
2. American Heritage University School of Law has not applied for accreditation in the previous five years.
3. American Heritage University School of Law pass rates of students who have taken the California First-Year Law Students' Examination (FYLTX) or the California Bar Examination (GBX) for the past five years are as follows (Data Source: State Bar of California):

FIRST-YEAR LAW STUDENTS' EXAMINATION (FYLTX) PASSAGE STATISTICS

Exam Date	All Takers			First Timers			Repeaters		
	Took	Passed	% Passed	Took	Passed	% Passed	Took	Passed	% Passed
October 2015	12	2	16.7	8	1	12.5	4	1	12.5
June 2015	7	0	0.0	1	0	0.0	6	0	0.0
October 2014	6	3	50.0	3	2	66.7	3	1	33.3
June 2014	9	1	11.1	8	1	12.5	1	0	0.0
October 2013	7	0	0.0	4	0	0.0	3	0	0.0
June 2012	10	3	30.0	6	3	50.0	4	0	0.0
October 2012	7	2	28.6	6	1	16.7	1	1	100.0
Total	58	11	19.00	36	8	22.00	22	3	14.00

GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION (GBX) PASSAGE STATISTICS

Exam Date	All Takers			First Timers			Repeaters		
	Took	Passed	% Passed	Took	Passed	% Passed	Took	Passed	% Passed
July 2015	5	2	40.0	3	0	0.0	2	2	100.0
February 2015	7	2	29.0	3	2	67.0	4	0	0.0
July 2014	10	3	50.0	4	0	0.0	6	3	50.0
February 2014	2	1	50.0	2	1	50.0	0	0	0.0
July 2013	4	1	25.0	3	1	33.0	1	0	0.0
February 2013	1	0	0.0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
July 2012	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
February 2012	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
July 2011	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
February 2011	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	29	9	31.	1	4	25.00	1	5	38.40

4. The educational background, qualifications, and experience of the faculty and the names of any faculty or administrators who are members of the State Bar of California or who are admitted in another jurisdiction are as follows:

FACULTY QUALIFICATIONS

Ronda Baldwin-Kennedy, Dean/Law School Administrator
Member, State Bar of California
J.D., American Heritage University School of Law
B. A., Political Science, Ashford University, San Diego, CA
Practice Experience: Civil Litigation, Business Transaction
Adjunct Faculty, Law, Contracts, Torts, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA
Solo Practice: The Law Office of Ronda Baldwin-Kennedy
Former Paralegal Office Manager, Alexander, Odunze & King, The Law Offices of Ryan Alexander

Patricia L. Ray, Member, California, New York, Pennsylvania, U.S. Patent & Trademark Office/International Bar Associations
J.D., Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA
LL.M., National University, Singapore
M.A., University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
B.S., Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

Adjunct Professor, Law, Contracts, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA
Kaplan University, Fort Lauderdale, FL
Marymount California University, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA
Former Associate General Counsel, Lora; Corporation, Rockville, MD Hong Kong & China
Former Senior Legal Counsel, Texas Instruments, Inc., Singapore
Former Associate Attorney, Morgan & Finnegan Law Firm, New York
Former U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit, Unfair Imports

Hon. Eric V. Isaac, Judge Riverside County
Member, State Bar of California
J.D., American College of Law, Anaheim CA
B.S., Education, Training and Development, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale IL

Practice Experience: Civil Litigation
Adjunct Professor, Law, Criminal Procedure
Former Deputy Public Defender I, II, III & IV
Riverside County Law Offices of the Public Defender
Law Clerk, Los Angeles County Office of the District Attorney

Nicholas Grossman, Member, State Bar of California, Federal Bar, Central District of California, Southern District of California
J.D., Northwestern California University School of Law, Sacramento, CA
B.S.L., Northwestern California School of Law, Sacramento, CA
Certified Immigration Consultant, Inland Valley University College of Law

Adjunct Professor, Law, Wills, Trusts and Succession, Remedies, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA

Practice Experience: Civil Litigation, Appellate Law, Family Law, Worker's Compensation-Applicant
Tobin Lucks, LLP, Worker's Compensation-Defense
Frank R. Sariol, PC DBA Sariol Legal Center, Worker's Compensation

Crystal Haly Nieblas, Member, California & Texas State Bar Associations
J.D., South Texas College of Law, Houston, Texas
B. A., History, California State University Fullerton, Fullerton, CA

Adjunct Professor, Law, Contracts, Corporation, Agency/Partnership, Wills, Trusts & Succession, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA

Practice Experience: Volunteer Attorney, Law Offices of the Public Defender, Riverside County, CA
Law Clerk, Semnar Law Firm, Inc, Hartman Law Office Inc, Evans Law Office, Houston, Texas, Harris County District Attorney's Office

Kenneth A. Roberts, Member, State Bar of California, U.S. Federal District Court & U.S. Supreme Court
J.D., Pepperdine University School of Law, Santa Ana, CA
Undergraduate, San Bernardino Valley College, San Bernardino, CA
Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA

Adjunct Professor, Law, Torts, Contracts, Evidence, Civil Procedure, Jurisprudence & Oral Advocacy, Trinity Law School, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA

Practice Experience: Civil Litigation, Medically

Administrative Legal Researcher, United States Air Force, Criminal/Court Martial Actions

Ivonne De La Cruz, Member, State Bar of California
J.D., Western State University College of Law, Fullerton, CA
B.A., Political Science, University of California, Riverside, CA
Adjunct Professor, Law, Criminal Law, Civil Procedure
Deputy Public Defender,
Los Angeles County Public Defender's Office, Los Angeles, CA
Associate Attorney, Law Offices of Ollie P. Manago, Los Angeles, CA
Law Clerk, Orange County Public Defender's Office, Santa Ana, CA

Mark Shafer, Member, State Bar of California, Federal Bar, Central District of California
J.D., Chapman University School of Law, Orange, CA
B.A., Organizational Leadership Emphasis Communication, Chapman University School of Law, Orange CA

Practice Experience: Criminal Law, Civil Litigation, Torts, Bankruptcy, Immigration

Solo Practitioner, Civil Litigation, Criminal Law Appellate Law, Family Law

Adjunct Professor, Law, Contracts, Torts, Criminal Law, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA

Related Cases, Products Liability, Business & Real Estate Litigation
License Maritime or Admiralty Law
Judge, Pro Tem for Orange County Superior & Municipal Courts

Soheila Hosseini, Member, State Bar of California, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, District Court, California Supreme Court, US Bankruptcy Court, Orange County Superior Courts, Los Angeles Superior Courts
J.D., Thomas Jefferson School of Law, San Diego, CA
B. Sc. (ICS), University of California, Irvine, CA

Adjunct Professor, Law, Community Property, Professional Responsibility, Legal Research & Writing, American Heritage University School of Law, Ontario, CA

Solo Practitioner, Law Office of Soheila Hosseini Practice Experience, Immigration, Criminal Law

5. The ratios of faculty to students since the establishment of the Law School are as follows:

2016: 1 Faculty member per 4 students
2015: 1 Faculty member per 11.5 students
2014: 1 Faculty member per 17.5 students
2013: 1 Faculty member per 19.5 students
2012: 1 Faculty member per 10.5 students

6. The education American Heritage University School of Law provides may not satisfy the requirements of other jurisdictions for the practice of law. Applicants should contact the jurisdiction in which they may wish to practice for that jurisdiction's requirements to practice law.
7. American Heritage University School of Law was issued a Notice of Noncompliance by the Committee of Bar Examiners regarding noncompliance with Guidelines 2.1, 2.2(B), 2.3(B), 5.1, 5.2(D), 5.2(J) and 9.1(D) of the Guidelines for Unaccredited Law School Rules on June 24, 2015.

8. Guideline 2.3(D) of the *Guidelines for Unaccredited Law School Rules* provides:

The method of instruction at this law school for the Juris Doctor (J.D.) degree program is principally by technological means including interactive classes.

Students enrolled in the J.D. degree program at this law school who successfully complete the first year of law study must pass the First-Year Law Students' Examination required by Business and Professions Code § 6060(h) and Title 4, Division 1, Chapter 1 Rule 4.3(1) of the Rules of the State Bar of California as part of the requirements to qualify to take the California Bar Examination. A student who passes the First-Year Law Students' Examination within three (3) administrations of the examination after first becoming eligible to take it will receive credit for all legal studies completed to the time the examination is passed. A student who does not pass the examination within three (3) administrations of the examination after first becoming eligible to take it must be promptly disqualified from the law school's J.D. degree program. If the dismissed student subsequently passes the examination, the student is eligible for reenrollment in this law school's J.D. degree program, but will receive credit for only one year of legal study.

Study at, or graduation from, this law school may not qualify a student to take the bar examination or to satisfy the requirements for admission to practice in jurisdictions other than California. A student intending to seek admission to practice law in a jurisdiction other than California should contact the admitting authority in that jurisdiction for information regarding the legal education requirements in that jurisdiction for admission to the practice of law.

I acknowledgement receipt of a copy of this disclosure statement on the date listed below.

Printed Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Authorized Administrator: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____



THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA
COMMITTEE OF BAR EXAMINERS/OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

Report Required by
Rule 4.241(A)(10) of the *Unaccredited Law School Rules*

Attrition* Rates of Enrolled Students in
Subsequent Years of Law Study

September 15, 2012 – September 15, 2016

Students enrolled in this law school's J.D. Degree Program by year of study:

	<u>First Year:</u>	<u>Second Year:</u>	<u>Third Year:</u>	<u>Fourth Year:</u>
9/15/12:	_____	_____	_____	_____
9/15/13:	_____	_____	_____	_____
9/15/14:	_____	_____	_____	_____
9/15/15:	_____	_____	_____	_____
9/15/16:	_____	_____	_____	_____

* In accordance with Guideline 5.22 of the *Guidelines for Unaccredited Law School Rules*: "A student who does not pass the First-Year Law Students' Examination within three (3) administrations after first becoming eligible to take the examination must be promptly disqualified from a law school's J.D. program." Other reasons for student attrition vary and include, but are not limited to, students voluntarily withdrawing from law school due to personal, family, business, career or financial issues and students who may have been dismissed by the law school because the students did not maintain academic good standing or who were unable to complete the mandatory curriculum requirements to earn a Juris Doctor degree.

**Business & Professions Code Section 6061.7(a)
Information Report for All Locations
Reporting Year 2017**

Name of Law School: _____

Primary Address: _____

Additional Branch/Satellite Campus Name(s) and Location(s):

The following requests apply solely to all first-year students admitted into a law school's J.D. Program, as of September 15th, during the previous year and who were not reported in any prior year:

1) Admissions Data:

- a) Total number of first-year applications received: _____
- b) Total number of first-year students accepted: _____
- c) Total number of first-year students enrolled: _____
- d) Undergraduate Grade Point Average (GPA) for all first-year students admitted:
 - i) 75th Percentile: _____%
 - ii) 50th Percentile: _____%
 - iii) 25th Percentile: _____%
- e) Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) numerical score (if required for admission).
Reported Numerical Score (not a percentage):
 - i) 75th Percentile: _____%
 - ii) 50th Percentile: _____%
 - iii) 25th Percentile: _____%

2) Tuition and Fees Totals for First-Year Students in the Year Reported:

- a) Total number of units required to earn a J.D. degree: _____
- b) Estimated total tuition charged to complete a J.D. degree: \$ _____
- c) Estimated total fees charged to complete a J.D. degree: \$ _____

3) Financial Aid Available to First-Year Students (if qualified):

- Federally Guaranteed Loans
- Private Student Loans
- Veterans Education Benefits
- California Dept. of Rehabilitation
- Unrestricted Scholarships/Grants/Discounts:
 - Total number and dollar amount awarded as of Sept 15:
_____ \$ _____
- Conditional Scholarships/Grants:
 - Total number and dollar amount awarded as of Sept 15:
_____ \$ _____

Description of all conditions (e.g., cumulative GPA) required to maintain any such scholarship awarded:

4) Enrollment Data

- a) Total number of students enrolled, per class in the law school's J.D. degree program, during each of the prior three years:

	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
1st			
2nd			
3rd			
4th			
Total J.D. enrollment			

- b) Total number of students who transferred to and from the J.D. program during the prior three years:

	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
Transfers (in)			
Transfers (out)			

- c) Total number of students who did not remain enrolled in the J.D. program, on either a voluntary or involuntary basis during each of the prior three years:

	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
Total Attrition (#)			

5) Law School Administrators, Faculty, and Librarians:

- a) Number of full-time faculty: _____
 b) Number of part-time faculty: _____
 c) Number of full-time administrators: _____
 d) Number of part-time administrators: _____
 e) Number of trained librarians (full- or part-time): _____

6) Required Courses and Clinical Courses:

- a) Number of required courses for J.D. degree: _____
 b) Average class size for required courses: _____
 c) Number of school-sponsored clinical programs offered for credit: _____

7) Employment Outcomes:

The results of a survey conducted by the law school, taken three years after its graduates completed their J.D. degree requirements, indicate that the percent of graduates employed over each of the last three years working at jobs that: a) a J.D. degree is required by their employer; and b) a J.D. degree is an advantage in their employment are as follows.

Graduates of calendar year 2013* Total number of graduates: _____
 Total number of responses received: _____ Survey response rate: _____%

Employment Status	2014	2015	2016
J.D. degree-required	%	%	%
J.D. degreed-advantage	%	%	%

* Initial survey year for this report covers all those attending the law school who completed the curriculum required to earn J.D. degree in 2013, whether or not they actually graduated in that calendar year.

8) California Bar Examination (CBX) Passage Data

- a) Reporting period (five years): January 1, 2011 - December 31, 2015;
 b) Number of qualified graduates during the reporting period:
 (1) Who took the CBX at least once during the reporting period: _____
 (2) Who passed the CBX during the reporting period: _____
 (3) Cumulative, pass rate for the reporting period: _____%