

Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP is proud to introduce the newly enhanced MTO Fellows Program, which is designed to address barriers that face diverse students in applying for and succeeding in law school. We will select a cohort of 20-30 potential law school applicants to participate in a one-year long intensive course of study to prepare Fellows to start law school in Fall 2016.



The MTO Fellows Program will run from March 2015 to February 2016 and will include:

- An intensive, customized LSAT preparation course taught by a professional test prep company exclusively for MTO Fellows that will run during the summer months leading up to the October 2015 LSAT exam.
- Monthly Saturday programming sessions, hosted at Munger Tolles' downtown Los Angeles offices, that are designed to build a foundation of knowledge concerning both admission to and success in law school. These sessions will bring together partners from the community and introduce MTO Fellows to lawyers in many different career paths including those from public interest, public service and private practice backgrounds.
- Continuing support for MTO Fellows through the establishment of a strong and broad network of professionals and mentors that will continue after the Fellows are accepted to law school, including the fostering of a cohort of Fellows that will support each other during the LSAT prep and application process, in law school and throughout their careers.

The program is designed to allow Fellows to continue to work or study full time during the program.

We seek individuals who show the potential to contribute meaningfully to the diversity of the legal profession, including, but not limited to, candidates who are members of racial or ethnic minority groups; gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender; physically challenged; or from disadvantaged socioeconomic backgrounds.

Deadlines

November 15, 2014: Applications open

January 1, 2015: Applications due

January 31, 2015: Offers extended

February 15, 2015: Offers accepted

March 2015: Program begins

Application Requirements

- 1) A completed MTO Fellows Program application form;
- 2) a resume;
- 3) official or unofficial undergraduate transcript [photocopy and/or online version]; and
- 4) a personal statement of not more than 500 words.

**Please make sure your name is on all your materials.*

Application materials should be sent by mail, fax or emailed PDF to the attention of:

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You may access the application form *here*.

In order to prepare participants for the rigors of law school and the legal profession, we have certain expectations of our Fellows. These include attendance at every meeting, participation in the LSAT preparation course, completion of and submission to at least 15 law schools and professional behavior, including prompt arrival for every session and business casual attire.

Munger Tolles' Commitment to Diversity

Munger Tolles is a longtime leader in supporting diversity within the legal profession. We believe that a diverse workforce creates a more dynamic environment, allows us to better serve clients and enriches the profession as a whole. Our MTO Fellows program is one of the many ways we seek to improve the recruitment, retention and promotion of diverse attorneys in the profession.