

**January 2024 Annual Disclosure by California Unaccredited Law
Schools Under California Business and Professions Code Section 6061.7(a)**

Name of Law School: Taft Law School

Primary Address: 3000 W. MacArthur Boulevard

Santa Ana, CA 92704

Law schools that are registered or accredited in the State of California but are not approved by the American Bar Association must file this disclosure at the start of each calendar year pursuant to California Business & Professions Code 6061.7(a). Data in this report is current as of the 52 weeks ending September 15, 2023 unless otherwise noted. The State Bar of California’s website contains a [list](#) of all schools that are registered or accredited in California.

1) Admissions Data:

- a) Total number of first-year applications received: 120
- b) Total number of first-year students admitted: 83
- c) Total number of first-year students enrolled: 66
- d) Undergraduate Grade Point Average (GPA) for all first-year students enrolled:
 - i) 75th Percentile: 2.86
 - ii) 50th Percentile: 3.00
 - iii) 25th Percentile: 3.36

e) Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) numerical score for all first-year students enrolled (if LSAT is required For admission):

- Reported Numerical Score:
- i) 75th Percentile: N/A
 - ii) 50th Percentile: N/A
 - iii) 25th Percentile: N/A

2) Time and Charges to Earn a JD degree as of September 15, 2023

- Total number of units required to earn a JD degree: 96
- a) Estimated total tuition charged to complete a JD degree: \$ 35,040.00
 - b) Estimated total fees charged to complete a JD degree: \$ 1235.00

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

- Federally Guaranteed Loans
- Private Student Loans
- Loans Veterans Education Benefits
- California Department of Rehabilitation Benefits
- Unrestricted Scholarships/Grants/Discounts:
 - Total number and dollar amount awarded:

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- Conditional Scholarships/Grants:
 - Total number and dollar amount awarded:

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

N/A

4) Enrollment Data

a) Total number of students enrolled per class in the law school's JD degree program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2020	2021	2022	2023
1st Year	89	77	74	66
2nd Year	34	19	24	16
3rd Year	12	13	5	6
4th Year	14	17	5	5
Total JD enrollment	149	126	108	93

b) Total number of students who transferred to or from the JD program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2020	2021	2022	2023
Transfers (to)	4	3	7	4
Transfers (from)	unknown	unknown	1	unknown

c) Total number of students who did not remain enrolled in the JD program, on either a voluntary or involuntary basis, during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below (includes those who transferred to other schools):

	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total Attrition (#)	82	109	55	65

5) Law School Administrators, Faculty, and Librarians as of September 15, 2023:

- a) Number of full-time faculty: 1
- b) Number of part-time faculty: 11
- c) Number of full-time administrators: 4
- d) Number of part-time administrators: 2
- e) Number of trained and degreed librarians (full- or part-time): 0

6) Required Courses and Clinical Courses as of September 15, 2023:

- a) Number of required courses for JD degree: 17
- b) Average class size for required courses: 10
- c) Number of school-sponsored clinical programs offered for credit: 0

7) Employment Outcomes:

The percentage of students graduating in 2020 who were employed in 2021, 2022 or 2023:

a) jobs that require a JD degree; or b) jobs in which holding a JD degree is an advantage:

Total number of 2020 JD graduates: 5 Total number of surveys received: 5
 Total number of 2020 JD graduates surveyed: 5 Survey response rate: 60 %

Employment Status of 2020 Grads in:	2021	2022	2023
JD degree required	33 %	33 %	33 %
JD degree advantage	67 %	67 %	67 %

* Survey conducted between 10/1/23 and 10/1/23

8) California Bar Examination Cumulative Five-Year Passage Data

- a) Number of JD graduates who took the bar exam at least once from January 1, 2018-December 31, 2022: 66
- b) Number of JD graduates who passed the bar exam during January 1, 2018-December 31, 2022: 32
- c) Cumulative bar exam five-year passage rate: 48 %

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 Approved Branch Campus(es): 0

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1. Admissions Data:

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| a) Total number of first year applications received: 156 | d) Undergraduate Grade Point Average (GPA) for all first-year students enrolled: |
| b) Total number of first year applications admitted: 81 | 75 th percentile: 3.40 50 th percentile: 3.08 25 th percentile: 2.53 |
| c) Total number of first year applications enrolled: 53 | e) Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) numerical score for all first-year students enrolled who provided an LSAT score (if LSAT is required or accepted for admission): |
| | 75 th percentile: N/A 50 th percentile: N/A 25 th percentile: N/A |

2. Time and Charges to earn a JD degree as of September 15, 2024

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| a) Total number of units required to earn a JD degree: | 96 |
| b) Estimated total tuition charged to complete a JD degree: | \$ 35,040.00 |
| c) Estimated total fees charged to complete a JD degree: | \$ 1,235.00 |

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

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal Guaranteed Loans | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted Scholarships/Grants/Discounts: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private Student Loans | Total number awarded: 29 Total dollar amount awarded: \$ 680,465 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Educations Benefits | <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Scholarships/Grants: |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> California Department of Rehabilitation | Total number awarded: Total dollar amount awarded: \$ 0 |

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

4. Enrollment Data

- a. Total number of students enrolled per class in the law school’s JD degree program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2021	2022	2023	2024
1st Year	77	74	66	53
2nd Year	19	24	16	13
3rd Year	13	5	6	10
4th Year	17	5	5	8
Total JD enrollment	126	108	93	84

- b. Total number of students who transferred to or from the JD program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Transfers (to)	3	7	4	7
Transfers (from)	unknown	1	unknown	unknown

- c. Total number of students who did not remain enrolled in the JD program, on either a voluntary or involuntary basis, during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below (includes those who transferred to other schools):

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total Attrition (#)	109	55	65	62

5. Law School administrators, Faculty, and Librarians as of September 15, 2024:

- a) Number of full time-faculty: 1
 b) Number of part-time faculty: 13
 e) Number of trained and degreed librarians (full- or part-time): 0
 c) Number of full-time administrators: 4
 d) Number of part-time administrators: 1

6. Required Courses and Clinical Courses as of September 15, 2024:

- a) Number of required courses for JD degree: 17
 b) Average class size for required courses: 8
 c) Number of school-sponsored clinical programs offered for credit: 0

7. Employment Outcomes:

The percentage of students graduating in 2021 who were employed in 2022, 2023, or 2024 in: a) Jobs that require a JD degree; or b) jobs in which holding a JD degree is an advantage:

- Total number of 2021 JD graduates: 13
 Total number of 2021 JD graduates surveyed: 10
 Total number of surveys returned: 5
 Survey response rate: 50 %

Employment Status of 2021 Grads in:	2022		2023		2024	
JD degree required job	60	%	40	%	60	%
JD degree advantage job per job description	20	%	40	%	20	%

Survey conducted between 10/30/2024 and 11/12/2024

8. California Bar Examination Cumulative Passage Data Calculated using the formula set forth in Accredited Rule 4.160(D) Minimum, Cumulative Five-Year Bar Passage Rate (MPR) Reporting Period: August 1, 2018 - July 31, 2023

Cumulative percentage of students who graduated during the Reporting Period and passed any California Bar Examination during the Reporting Period or the February 2024 bar exam, if they graduated within 10 administrations of that bar exam; adjusted to exclude those pursuing licensure under CRC 9.49.1 and include those who have licensed through this option. While accredited law schools must maintain a 40% MPR or higher, there is no minimum pass rate for unaccredited schools. 47 %