

FELLOWS PROGRAM

The MTO Fellows Program is an important initiative designed to encourage, promote, and support a community of individuals who contribute to the diversity of the legal profession. The program is intended for individuals seeking to start law school in Fall 2018. Apply today to join the 2017 class of MTO Fellows.

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The program has three goals: (i) to assist with law school applications and LSAT preparation, particularly for individuals from diverse and disadvantaged backgrounds; (ii) to provide programming designed to build a foundation of knowledge concerning admission to and success in law school; and (iii) to establish a strong and broad network of professionals, mentors, and peers that can serve as resources throughout Fellows' careers. The MTO Fellows Program will include:

- A monthly Saturday meeting, hosted at Munger, Tolles & Olson's downtown Los Angeles office, that provides information and workshops on topics pertinent to the law school admissions process and success in law school.
- An intensive, customized LSAT preparation course taught by Manhattan Prep exclusively for MTO Fellows that will run during the summer months leading up to the September 2017 LSAT exam. **Fellows are required to attend this class at a location in downtown Los Angeles.**
- Access to community events, including an annual reception held at the firm's office in downtown Los Angeles, to bring together past and current Fellows, Munger Tolles attorneys, and a broad network of partners from the Southern California legal community.

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The course will run for ten months starting in March 2017 and ending December 2017. This allows sufficient time to advise Fellows in completing their law school applications by November 1, 2017.

All sponsored activities take place in the greater Los Angeles area. Applicants must be located in or near the Los Angeles County area from June 15, 2017, until December 15, 2017, in order to be admitted to this program.

Application Timeline:

November 18, 2016:	Applications open
January 5, 2017:	Applications due
January 21, 2017:	In-person interview at firm's office in downtown Los Angeles (invite only)
February 8, 2017:	Offers extended
February 10, 2017:	Offer acceptance deadline

Application Components:

Application Form (see attached)

Resume

Official or unofficial (photocopy and/or online versions acceptable) graduate and undergraduate transcripts, including community college transcripts where applicable (3.0 minimum cumulative GPA required)

Personal Statement of no more than 500 words. **This essay should be an example of the personal statement you intend to submit with your law school applications.**

Please make sure your name is on all your materials.



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APPLICATION FORM

Name:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

Undergraduate Institution:

Undergraduate GPA (Major and Cumulative):

Did you work for pay during college? (If so, please include how many hours per week.)

List of any other law school preparation activities:

Have you ever taken the LSAT? (If so, please include dates taken and scores.)

NO **YES**

Have you taken an LSAT preparation course? (If so, please include dates taken and name of the provider)

Have you applied to law school in the past? (If so, include dates and a list of institutions, if any, to which you were accepted.)

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Highest level of education attained by each of your parents? Siblings?

Parents' occupation(s)?

Approximate total income of parents' household?

Are you currently employed? If so, where and what do you do?

Are there lawyers in your family?

Please indicate how you identify your gender:

Please indicate how you identify your race/ethnicity (Select all that apply):

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Latino
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Middle Eastern

Additional Comments: (not Personal Statement)

Please submit your application by January 5, 2017
by sending your completed application with resume,
transcript, and personal statement to diversity@mto.com.