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### **Basic Information**

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### Lawyer Demographics

	Man	Woman	Non-binary	Total
All Lawyers	57	41	1	99
Equity Partners	31	16	0	47
Non-equity Partners	0	0	0	
Associates	26	25	0	51
Articling Students	3	4	0	7

Note that the reported percentages are based on respondent participation in voluntary surveys conducted by the specified employer organization and that the results are reported as a percentage of the respondents who answered the question (which may be different than the total number of lawyers at the organization). Only percentages above a certain minimum threshold are reported in accordance with the policies of employer organizations to protect employee privacy. As such, the total of the percentages to some questions may not equal 100%. In addition, some employers may not be able to answer in the manner requested, due to the nature of their data collection, the nature of the consents sought when the information was collected or due to reporting limitations on sample size.

Date data was collected

#### A. Gender Identity - complete all that apply

Answer	Percent
Man	
Woman	
Cisgender	
Transgender	
Non-binary/Gender non-conforming/Genderqueer	
Two-Spirit Chose not to answer	
Chose not to answer	

#### **B. Sexual Orientation**

Answer	Percent	
Identifies as two-spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, queer or another 2SLGBTQ+ identity		
Does not identify as 2SLGBTQ+		
Chose not to answer		

### C. Indigeneity

Answer	Percent
Indigenous identity (i.e., First Nations, Inuk/Inuit, Métis)	
Does not identify as Indigenous	
Chose not to answer	

#### **D. Racial Identity**

Answer	Percent
Racialized (total)	
Black (incl. African, Afro-Caribbean and African Canadian)	
Central Asian (incl. Kazakh, Kyrgyz, Tajik, Uzbek)	

East Asian (incl. Chinese, Korean, Japanese, Taiwanese)	
Latinx (incl. Brazilian, Colombian, Guatemalan, Mexican)	
South Asian (incl. East Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi, Sri Lankan)	
Southeast Asian (incl. Filipino, Vietnamese, Cambodian, Thai, Indonesian)	
West Asian/Middle Eastern/North African/Arab (incl. Afghan, Egyptian, Iranian, Lebanese, Turkish, Kurdish)	
White	
More than one of the above	
Other racialized categories not included above	
Chose not to answer	

E. Persons with Disabilities (Persons with disabilities include those who have any physical, mental, intellectual, cognitive, learning, communication or sensory impairment, or a functional limitation, whether permanent, temporary or episodic in nature, or evident or not.)

Answer	Percent
Identifies as a Person with a Disability	
Does not identify as a Person with a Disability	
Chose not to answer	

# **Demographic Data Explanation**

Please use this box to provide any additional breakouts, comments, limitations, or definitions regarding your lawyers or categories as needed, such as the scope of the respondent population surveyed (e.g., all lawyers, all lawyers and law students, all employees, etc.) or the differences between your organization's categories and those listed above. If you report in a different manner, you may also share that here (e.g., link to organization website).

## **Recruiting & Hiring**

	1st Yr. Summer	2nd Yr. Summer	Articling Students
Do you hire:	No	Yes	Occasionally
How many did you/will you hire	e for:		
2022	0	6	
2023	0	6	
2024	0	6	
2025	0	6	
Rotation	0	6	
Split/Secondment	No	N/A	N/A

### First Year Summer Students

Do you recruit first year summer students?: No When is the application deadline for first year summer students?: n/a Do you participate in on-campus interview (OCI) programs to fill such positions?: No

#### Second Year Summer Students

Do you recruit second year summer students?: Yes When is the application deadline for second year summer students?: August 2024 per the VBA guidelines When is the interviewing period?: VBA Interview Week in October 2024 Do you participate in on-campus interview (OCI) programs to fill such positions?: Yes

### Campus Recruiting

Will you be participating in OCIs this year?: Yes If yes, which schools?

Dalhousie University, Dalhousie Law, McGill University, Faculty of Law, Lakehead University, Osgoode Hall Law School, York University, Queen's University, Faculty of Law, Thompson Rivers University, University of Alberta, Faculty of Law, University of British Columbia, Faculty of Law, University of Calgary, Faculty of Law, University of Toronto, Faculty of Law, University of Victoria, Faculty of Law, University of Western Ontario, Faculty of Law

### **Required Application Materials:**

Resume, cover letter, post secondary transcripts, law school transcripts Optional:

Reference Letter(s) List of Upper Year Courses

### Preferred Method of Application:

viDesktop Portal



# **Practice Areas**

PRACTICE AREAS	PRACTICE GROUP NAME	# OF LAWYERS
Litigation	Litigation	35
Corporate	Corporate & Commercial	43
Labour	Labour & Employment	8
Aboriginal	Aboriginal	1
Bankruptcy & Insolvency	Bankruptcy & Insolvency	4
Environmental	Environmental & Resources	3
Family	Family	12
Intellectual Property	Intellectual Property	3
International	International Trade	4
Litigation	Media, Internet & Privacy	6
Mergers & Acquisitions	Mergers & Acquisitions	30
Real Estate	Real Estate	16
Securities	Securities	30
Wills	Wills & Estates	8

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