



**Dear Applicant:**

Your choice of a law school will make a difference—for you and the world around you. Will you get the individual attention you need to realize your professional goals? Will you develop the skills you will draw on throughout your career and your life? Will you study the controversial issues of our time through full and open discussions? Will you have the opportunity to develop your skills in real-world commercial and public interest settings? Will you graduate from law school with a minimum amount of debt? Will the location provide a thrilling environment for recreation and a rich social and family life?

No other law school in the country is able to meet all of these needs. We do.

The S.J. Quinney College of Law at the University of Utah provides a unique opportunity to:

- Study with accomplished peers and an outstanding faculty dedicated to teaching in small classroom environments, including a 16-student, first-year basic course section; we have one of the lowest faculty-student ratios (11.5 to 1) in the country and an even lower faculty to class-size ratio. Tenured and tenure-track faculty teach more than their peers do at any other top school.
- Develop the analytic, writing, and social skills you'll need in one of the best legal methods programs in the country, with an opportunity to interview, counsel, negotiate, and argue before a judge in your first year. Negotiate in our dispute resolution program or argue in our moot court competition before a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.
- Attend symposia, conferences, debates, and lectures on terrorism, religion and democracy, intellectual property, new family law, the environment, criminal justice, biotechnology, and many other areas of urgent, vital interest.
- Serve the community through clinics, externships, and pro bono opportunities ranging from health care to poverty law, from technology transfer to federal courts.
- Benefit financially from generous scholarships, tuition waivers and in-state tuition rules that allow our students to graduate with a lower burden of debt than their national peers.
- Pursue all of this in a lively, livable city located in one of the most stunning geographical settings in the world.

We are here to help you realize your dreams. As the very first step, we look forward to reviewing your application this year.

**Hiram E. Chodosh**  
Dean and Professor of Law