

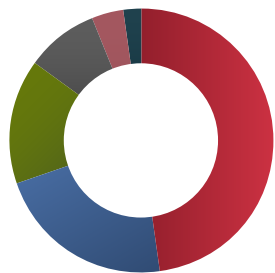
# South Carolina Law



## ANCHORING SOUTH CAROLINA'S LEGAL CORRIDOR

Our new building, which opened in 2017, is within two blocks of the South Carolina State House, Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, the U.S. Department of Justice's National Advocacy Center, and some of the state's largest law offices. Its state-of-the-art technological capabilities have allowed us to pivot quickly during the pandemic.

## Employment



### CLASS OF 2019 EMPLOYMENT OUTCOMES

Private Practice	48%
Clerkships	22%
Government	15%
Business	9%
Public Interest	4%
Academic/Education	2%

**85%**

of the Class of 2019 were employed within 10 months of graduation

**96%**

of all employed 2019 graduates accepted a job for which bar passage was required or a JD was an advantage

## Bar Passage

**85%**

First-time pass rate, July 2020 SC Bar Exam

**95%**

Ultimate pass rate, Class of 2017

**38**

members of the Class of 2019 accepted state and federal clerkships

## Notable Alumni



**WILLIAM C. HUBBARD**

Dean, South Carolina Law  
ABA President, 2014-2015



**DONALD W. BEATTY**

Chief Justice,  
South Carolina Supreme Court



**J. MICHELLE CHILDS**

Chair, ABA Judicial Division,  
U.S. District Court Judge,  
District of South Carolina



**DAVID M. BEASLEY**

Executive Director,  
U.N. World Food Program,  
which won Nobel Peace Prize

## RECENT ALUMNI-HELD POSITIONS

U.S. Secretary of Education  
U.S. Senators and Representatives  
Judges, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit  
U.S. Ambassadors to Canada & Saudi Arabia  
Chair, Executive Committee, U.S. Judicial Conference  
President, National Conference of Chief Justices  
5 Presidents, Defense Research Institute  
2 Presidents, American Board of Trial Advocates  
2 Presidents, International Association of Defense Counsel

## Faculty Scholarship

**74**

**ARTICLES IN  
TOP 50 LAW REVIEWS**

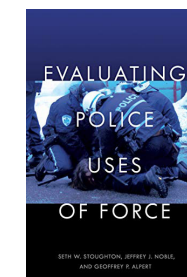
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**16**

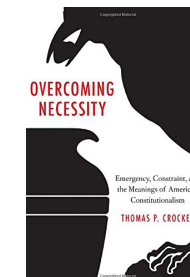
**ARTICLES IN  
TOP 10 LAW REVIEWS**

between 2016-2021

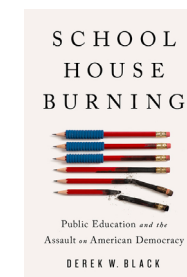
## NEW BOOKS IN 2020 - 2021



**Seth Stoughton**  
NYU Press  
May 2020



**Thomas Crocker**  
Yale Univ. Press  
July 2020



**Derek Black**  
Public Affairs Press  
Sept. 2020



**Joseph Seiner**  
Cambridge Univ. Press  
Spring 2021

## Student Experience

➤ **South Carolina Law ranks in the top 25 among public law schools** in four 2020 USNWR specialty categories: **Trial Advocacy (#11); Clinical Law Training (#19); Legal Writing (#21); Environmental Law (#25).**

➤ **South Carolina Law Mock Trial team is ranked #4 in the country for the second year in a row**, according to Fordham Law's 2020 Trial Competition Performance rankings.

➤ Our students make an impact. They drafted the first code of laws for the **Catawba Indian Nation** and worked with **Uber Elevate** and **Virgin Hyperloop** to create state regulatory strategies for new transportation technologies.



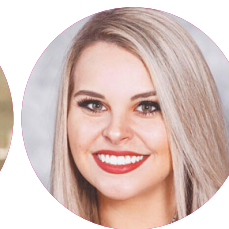
**MORGAN SPIRES**

assisted in drafting *amici curiae* briefs for SCOTUS case *Torres v. Madrid*.



**JASMINE CARUTHERS & A.C. PARHAM**

helped Breonna Taylor's family secure \$12M settlement in civil suit.



## 2023 Class Profile

Median LSAT	156
Median UGPA	3.51
Female	52%
Schools Represented	80

## PAST THREE CLASSES

**20%** **46**

minority students represented states (+DC) represented

**Steady increase in GPA, LSAT, selectivity, and applications**



## DRIVEN TO SERVE

South Carolina Law's new custom-fitted bus will criss-cross South Carolina, providing pro bono legal services and access-to-justice to rural and underserved communities and unparalleled learning experiences for students.

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