University of Maryland
Francis King Carey
School of Law

Start Here
Great lawyers solve problems. They’re smart and pragmatic when they take on even the toughest cases.

The very best lawyers see at least one step ahead. They’re fiercely committed to their clients interest, but never lose sight of the larger moral and ethical context.

That’s part of being a great lawyer.

You can be that kind of lawyer.
Learn

GET THE TOOLS YOU NEED TO DO WHAT YOU LOVE.
Law school is about building skills for a career—about linking theory to practice and mastering both.

Here, you can meet your mentor. We have a 10.3:1 student/faculty ratio, and over 500 practicing attorneys who volunteer to work with students.

You can be part of a top ranked program in health law, environmental law, clinical law or trial advocacy. You can focus in business, IP or international law. Or, be a generalist and sample from hundreds of courses and seminars.

You will practice with the best. Faculty and students work on real cases with real clients through clinics in almost every area of law practice.
Meet Your Mentor.

Maryland Carey Law faculty are scholar/teachers, engaged in high impact research on some of the most pressing issues of the day. In the classroom and clinic, they bring the law to life.

“I learned a tremendous amount and was honored to work with Professor Stearns as a research assistant. It was rewarding to see the finished product and know that I had played a part in its creation.”

—Sara Klem ’11
**Paula Monopoli**

"Is democracy good for women? It depends on constitutional design. The founding fathers’ decision to consolidate the head-of-state, head-of-government, and commander-in-chief functions into a single exclusive position has almost certainly reduced women’s chances of winning the presidency."

Professor of Law / Founding Director, Women, Leadership and Equality Program / Co-author, The Search for Satisfaction, a survey of women lawyers’ career paths / BA, Yale University / JD, University of Virginia

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**Renée Hutchins**

"What’s not to love when the nation’s highest court finds the police must obtain a warrant before continuously tracking the citizenry with installed GPS devices? Unfortunately, the answer is plenty."

Professor of Law / Co-director, Clinical Law Program / BA cum laude, Spelman College / JD, Yale Law School / An expert on new technologies and privacy rights—in a op-ed on the Supreme Court’s recent decision in United States v. Jones

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**Robert Percival**

"Environmental problems that jeopardize the health of humans increasingly implicate human rights concerns that have played an important role in the development of contemporary international law."

Robert F. Stanton Professor of Law / Director, Environmental Law Program / BA, Macalester College / MA and JD, Stanford University / Internationally recognized as a leading scholar in global environmental law / Member of the American College of Environmental Lawyers and the National Committee on U.S./China Relations

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**Peter Danchin**

"Is religious liberty a universally valid principle that can somehow be separated from politics, power and history? Recent events in global affairs and the world of ideas alike should give us pause."

Professor of Law / Director, International and Comparative Law Program / BA, University of Melbourne / LLB, with honors, University of Melbourne / LLM, Columbia University / JSD, Columbia University / Recipient of a prestigious Luce grant for his work on religion in the public sphere

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**Danielle Citron**

“To make a true threat, you don’t need to ever actually carry it out. You just need to terrify someone. The question before the Court now is whether it only matters how it was interpreted or how it was meant.”

Lois K. Macht Research Professor of Law / BA, cum laude, Duke University / JD, cum laude and Order of the Coif, Fordham University / Author of “Hate Crimes in Cyberspace” (Harvard University Press, September 2014) / Member, Board of Directors, Cyber Civil Rights Initiative

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**Michael Pinard**

“My students explore the myriad legal and non-legal issues that confront individuals with criminal records, identifying obstacles; providing legal representation to those attempting to overcome these obstacles; and working on legislative, policy and research projects that aim to minimize barriers in moving past criminal records.”

Professor of Law / Co-director, Clinical Law Program / BA, Long Island University / JD, New York University / Honored as a Champion of Change by U.S. President Barack Obama

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**Paula Monopoli**

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Study in One of Our Specialty Programs and Centers.

Our 11 Specialty Programs and Centers run the gamut, from Business Law to Public Health. Four areas—health law, environmental law, clinics, and trial advocacy—are consistently recognized among the very best in the country.

**Maryland Carey Law Specialty Programs**
- Business Law
- Clinical Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Environmental Law
- Health and Homeland Security
- Crisis Management
- Cybersecurity
- Health Care Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- International and Comparative Law
- Trial Advocacy
- Women, Leadership & Equality

Our Clinics are Different.

We believe it is so important that you have practical experience with the law that we are one of the handful of schools that require it. And we don’t mean a simulation or a co-curricular project. We mean an intensive, faculty-supervised, for-credit experience practicing law for real clients who are poor or who lack access to justice.

**Maryland Carey Law’s Clinics**
- Access to Justice Clinic: Effective Assistance of Counsel at Bail
- Appellate Advocacy Clinic
- Appellate and Post-conviction Advocacy Clinic
- Civil Rights of Persons With Disabilities Clinic
- Community Economic Development: Legal Theory and Practice
- Criminal Law Reform: Legal Theory and Practice
- Criminalization Legal Theory and Practice: Strategies and Solutions for Non-citizens Charged with Crimes
- Drug Policy and Public Health Strategies Clinic
- Environmental Law Clinic
- Gender Violence Clinic
- General Practice Clinic
- Health Care Delivery and HIV/AIDS Clinic
- Immigration Clinic
- Intellectual Property Law Clinic
- Landlord Tenant Clinic: Legal Theory and Practice
- Low Income Taxpayer Clinic
- Mediation Clinic
- Public Health Law Clinic
- Re-entry of Ex-offenders Seminar: Legal Theory and Practice

Practice With the Best.

Twenty-five faculty and 250 students practice side-by-side in 19 different clinics to deliver more than 140,000 hours of free legal services to real clients every year.

- Fight foreclosures and robo-signing. Keep people in their homes. Students in the Consumer Protection Clinic did.
- Win political asylum for refugees facing persecution or death back home. Students in the Immigration Clinic are.
- Help small businesses protect their inventions, trademarks and copyrights. Students in the Intellectual Property Clinic have.
- Help teens learn to resolve their differences through negotiation instead of with their fists. Students in the Mediation Clinic acquire skills that people of any age can use.
- Persuade Maryland’s Governor to commute the sentence of a 43 year-old man who’s been in jail since he was 16 for a murder he didn’t commit. Students in the Post-Conviction Clinic did.
Step Out of Your Comfort Zone.

“I worked at the Women’s Legal Center which uses cases of individual women to advance women’s rights across South Africa through constitutional impact litigation. One client, beaten and abused for years, fatally stabbed her boyfriend during a heated argument. The Centre planned to incorporate battered woman’s syndrome into her defense, thus strengthening the defense for women across South Africa.”—Jessica George ’08

Associate, Weinstock, Friedman & Friedman, P.A. / Legal Counselor, Lawyers for Human Rights, Pretoria, South Africa / Law & Policy Analyst, U of MD Center for Health and Homeland Security / Legal Intern, Office of the Washington, DC Attorney General, Child & Family Services Agency / Legal Intern, Family Crisis Center of Baltimore County / Legal Intern, Legal Aid Board and Women’s Legal Centre, South Africa / Associate Editor, Journal of Business & Technology Law / Maryland Public Interest Law Project Grant Recipient / David S. Brown International Fellow

Learn the law in an emerging democracy. Maryland Carey Law students have been heading to South Africa since 1989.

Take a for-credit externship with an international human or civil rights law organization, in the U.S. or abroad.

Study abroad with our partners in Scotland, Germany, Chile, Costa Rica, and Taiwan.

Maryland Carey Law International Opportunities

- **SCOTLAND**
  - University of Aberdeen, summer study program
- **HAMBURG**
  - Bucerius Law School
- **UK**
  - Law Reform Commission
- **COSTA RICA**
  - Inter-American Court of Human Rights
- **CHILÉ**
  - University of Chile
- **CAPE TOWN**
  - University of Cape Town
- **SOUTH AFRICA**
  - South Africa Externship
- **TAIWAN**
  - National Chengchi University College of Law
- **AUSTRALIA**
  - Law Reform Commission
Stretch
START IN BALTIMORE. STAY HERE OR GO ANYWHERE.
Baltimore is a destination and a departure point.

Intern at City Hall—the mayor is an alumna. Land a job at nearby T. Rowe Price, Under Armour, or Legg Mason. Work at DLA Piper—the world’s largest law firm, headquartered in Baltimore and led by one of our graduates. Clerk at the US District Court—it’s a five-minute walk from Maryland Carey Law.

Testify in Annapolis at the Maryland State House about legislation you drafted in a Maryland Carey Law clinic.

Swing down to Washington, DC for a summer job at a trade association, international NGO, a non-profit or a major law firm. And then there’s the federal government—all three branches.

Study abroad at the Inter-American Court of Human Rights or do an externship in South Africa.
“Even though my law school work and my internships at places like the White House and the Baltimore City Council kept me on my toes, I’d go to bed every night with a smile on my face. It makes such a difference to be doing exciting and influential work.”

—Avery Blank ’11

Tribeca Disruptor Foundation Fellow, Tribeca Enterprises / Online Contributor, Demand Media and Levo League / Legal Intern, Executive Office of the President, The White House Office of Administration, Office of the President / Legislative Intern, Baltimore City Council, Office of the President / Legal Intern, Maryland Commission for Women / Student Attorney, Center for Tobacco Regulation, Litigation & Advocacy / Rose Zetzer Fellow, Women, Leadership & Equality Program / Myerowitz Moot Court Competitor / Articles Editor, University of Maryland Law Journal of Race, Religion, Gender and Class / Participant, Leadership, Ethics & Democracy (LEAD) Initiative / Volunteer, Office of Admissions
The Center of It All

• The Mid-Atlantic is a densely populated urban strip hugging the coast from Washington, DC to New York—the two largest legal markets in the country.
• It’s easy to get around. Planes, trains and now low-fare luxury buses with wi-fi run up and down the northeast connective corridor.
• Almost nine million people live in the Baltimore-Washington, DC area. Thousands of them commute every day from Baltimore to Washington, DC—and vice versa

Take advantage of the opportunities here...

Maryland Court of Appeals
CASA of Maryland
Center for International Environmental Law
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
Executive Office of the President
Federal Communications Commission
Federal Trade Commission
House of Ruth
National Trust for Historic Preservation
Legal Momentum/National Organization for Women Legal Defense and Education Fund
National Wildlife Federation
National Women’s Law Center

New York City Law Department
Maryland Department of the Environment
Maryland General Assembly
Natural Resources Defense Council
Small Business Administration
US Customs Office
US Department of Housing and Urban Development
US Department of Justice
US Environmental Protection Agency
US Patent and Trademark Office
US Securities & Exchange Commission

Allen & Overy LLP
Archer Norris PLC
Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP
Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP
Dickinson Wright PLLC
DLA Piper US LLP
Hogan Lovells US LLP
Hunton & Williams LLP
Jones Day
Kirkland & Ellis LLP
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
The market for legal services is going global, evolving quickly, demanding new skills and strategic alliances from every part of the profession—law students, law schools and practicing attorneys.

Our network is yours. We’ll engage it to help you get where you want to go.
These are just some of the many graduates who are our supporters and friends. They speak at the law school, mentor our students, supervise summer associates and interns, and hire them.
Join the Maryland Carey Law Network and Find Your Niche.

Last year over 500 practicing attorneys volunteered at the Law School. And they did it because of students like you. There are lots of ways to get involved with them. Start building the professional network that is key to your success and that will last a lifetime.

91.1% of 2016 graduates were employed nine months after graduation—that’s 194 out of a class of 213. This includes full-time, part-time, long-term and short-term. 95% of those 194 jobs were ones requiring bar passage or in which having a JD was an advantage. For complete stats visit www.law.umaryland.edu/prospective/consumer.

Where Those 194 Grads Were Headed:
A wide variety of practice settings in major cities from coast to coast, including Washington, DC, Baltimore, New York, Chicago and Los Angeles.

Private Practice Employment by Firm Size (60)
- 36% (22) 2-10 attorneys
- 13% (8) 501+ attorneys
- 6% (4) 101-250 attorneys
- 11% (7) 251-500 attorneys
- 15% (9) 11-25 attorneys
- 8% (5) 26-50 attorneys
- 8% (5) 51-100 attorneys
- 3% (2) Solo

Government (32)
- 66% (21) federal
- 34% (11) state & local

Geographic Location of Employment (194)
- 82% (159) MD/DC
- 16% (35) other

Judicial Clerkships and Internships
More than a quarter of Maryland Carey Law students work in the judiciary at some point during their law school careers or just after graduation.

Maryland Carey Law has a large cadre of alumni judges—state and federal, trial and appellate—to support and mentor you.

Your career counselor is key.
- Meet with your counselor starting your first semester to discuss career goals and get résumé advice.
- Then meet periodically thereafter to review your summer job strategy.
- Explore the job bank of internships and summer positions.
- Consult the Career Development Office calendar of events all year long for recruiting events, lunches with judges, coaching sessions about overcoming obstacles and workshops to sharpen your interviewing and networking skills.
- Use our specialists! CDO has counselors dedicated to helping you find jobs in law firms, government, public interest organizations and the courts. There’s even a counselor for alumni.
Collaborate with colleagues from 36 states, 28 countries and well over 100 undergraduate institutions. Our diverse student body is one of our most important intellectual assets.

Build your network. Get coaching from alumni who are seasoned litigators. Or clerk for a judge—many are alumni, and more than a quarter of our students do.

Meet up with friends in Federal Hill. Walk to Camden Yards. Eat crabs. It’s called Charm City for a reason!
Join
BE A PART OF A VIBRANT COMMUNITY MADE TO LAST A LIFETIME.
The University of Maryland, Baltimore

The University of Maryland, Baltimore is one of the country’s leading public institutions. Baltimore is home to the University’s flagship professional schools of law, medicine, dentistry, nursing, social work and pharmacy. Maryland’s Smith School of Business in College Park is merely 30 minutes away. Students can take classes at institutions throughout the Maryland system.

The Baltimore campus has a new student center. It includes a beautiful swimming pool and enormous fitness & strength conditioning center, spinning room, two full length basketball courts, racquetball/squash courts, power lifting and an indoor elevated track.
Student Organizations

Join a student organization and make professional contacts that will last a lifetime. There are more than 40 student groups, of virtually every political stripe, exploring almost every area of the law.

Alternative Dispute Resolution Team
American Constitution Society for Law & Policy
Asian/Pacific-American Law Student Association
Black Law Student Association
Business Law Society
Christian Legal Society
Criminal Law Association
Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law Association
Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies
Immigration Law and Policy Association
International Law Society
Jewish Law Students Association
Latino/a Law Students Association
Law Students for Reproductive Justice
LGBT Law Student Alliance
Legally Sound—A Cappella Choir
Maryland Education Law Project
Maryland Environmental Law Society
Maryland Intellectual Property Student Association
Maryland Carey Service Corps
The Maryland Public Interest Law Project, Inc.
Moot Court
Muslim Legal Society
National Lawyers Guild
Parents Attending Law School
Phi Alpha Delta
Phi Delta Phi
Real Estate Association
The Republican Law Society
Softball Team
Space Law Society
Student Animal Legal Defense Fund
Student Bar Association
Student Health Law Organization
Student Honor Board
Student Law and Media Association
Student Representation Project
The Trial Team
University of Maryland Association of Legislative Law
University of Maryland Law Democrats
Veteran Advocates for Military Practice and Personnel
Women’s Bar Association
Come visit! Attend a class. Take a tour of the school. Or join our virtual community through Facebook, webcasts or live chat. Experience the collegial and collaborative community that makes Maryland unique.

Email admissions@law.umaryland.edu or call (410) 706-3492.
Great lawyers can change the world. Think of Jefferson and Lincoln...Thurgood Marshall, Sandra Day O’Connor and Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

The most effective lawyers rarely act alone. They succeed through collaboration, persuasion, analysis, and strategizing—skills you will acquire and hone at Maryland Carey Law.

While here, you will also meet your future colleagues; today’s classmates, teachers and mentors will become tomorrow’s partners or competitors.

The members of our law school have made a commitment to Maryland Carey Law because we believe in what we can accomplish together. We’re convinced we can educate great lawyers, great leaders, great thinkers—and change the world while we do it. We hope you will join us.

Donald B. Tobin
Dean and Professor of Law

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