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## **Basic Information**

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# Compensation & Benefits 333

2024 compensation for entry-level lawyers (\$/year)

190,000

**Summer Compensation** 

2024 compensation for Post-3Ls (\$/week)

2024 compensation for 2Ls (\$/week) 3,958 2024 compensation for 1Ls(\$/week) 3,958

## Partnership & Advancement

Does the firm have two or more tiers of partner?

Yes

How many years is the non-equity track? How many years is the equity track?

# **Lawyer Demographics**

|                                  |                | Partner/Member | Associates | Counsel | Non-traditional Track/Staff<br>Attorneys | Summer<br>Associates |
|----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|---------|--|----------------------|
|                                  | Men            | 17             | 17         | 4       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 8              | 6          | 3       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-<br>binary | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Total          | 25             | 23         | 7       | 0  | 0                    |
| atinx                            | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| Vhite                            | Men            | 17             | 16         | 4       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 8              | 3          | 3       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| Black or African American        | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 1          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| lative Hawaiian or Other Pacific | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| slander                          | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| Asian                            | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 1          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| Native American or Alaska Native | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| 2 or More Races                  | Men            | 0              | 1          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| Persons with Disabilities        | Men            | 1              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| GBTQ                             | Men            | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
| /eteran                          | Men            | 2              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Women          | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |
|                                  | Non-binary     | 0              | 0          | 0       | 0  | 0                    |

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## **Pro Bono/Public Interest**

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| Is the pro bono information indicated here firm-wide or specific to one office? | Firm-wide |
| % Firm Billable Hours last year   | 2.6%      |
| Average Hours per Attorney last year  | 29        |
| Percent of associates participating last year                                   | 74%       |
| Percent of partners participating last year                                     | 41%       |
| Percent of other lawyers participating last year                                | 38%       |
|   |           |

# **Professional Development**

| Evaluations  | Annual |
|--|--------|
| Does your organization use upward reviews to evaluate and provide feedback to supervising lawyers? | No     |
| Rotation for junior associates between departments/practice groups?                                | No     |
| Does your organization have a dedicated professional development staff?                            | Yes    |
| Does your organization have a coaching/mentoring program   | Yes    |
| Does your organization give billable hours credit for training time?                               | Yes    |

## **HIRING & RECRUITMENT**

|  | Bega | Began Work In           |      |                         |      |
|--|------|-------------------------|------|-------------------------|------|
| LAWYERS                                    | 2022 | Prior Summer Associates | 2023 | Prior Summer Associates | 2024 |
| Entry-level                                | 1    | 0                       | 2    | 2                       | 0    |
| Entry-level (non-traditional track)        | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| Lateral Partners                           | 1    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| Lateral Associates                         | 5    | 0                       | 7    | 0                       | 0    |
| All Other Laterals (non-traditional track) | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 1    |
| Post-Clerkship                             | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| LL.M.s (U.S.)                              | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| LL.M.s (non-U.S.)                          | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| SUMMER                                     |      |                         |      |                         |      |
| Post-3Ls                                   | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| 2Ls  | 2    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
| 1Ls  | 0    | 0                       | 0    | 0                       | 0    |
|  |      |                         |      |                         |      |

Number of 2023 Summer 2Ls considered for associate offers Number of offers made to summer 2L associates

General Hiring Criteria

There is no typical candidate for our Summer Associate Program. We look for bright, innovative and hard-working people with diverse backgrounds and experiences. We want to see a strong record of academic success and extracurricular achievement. It's equally important that our Summer Associates can work well in a team and have the drive and willingness to take on significant responsibilities.

# **General Practice Areas**

| GENERAL PRACTICE<br>AREAS | EMPLOYER'S<br>PRACTICE GROUP<br>NAME       | NO. OF<br>PARTNERS/MEMBERS | NO. OF<br>COUNSEL | NO. OF<br>ASSOCIATES | NO. OF<br>ENTRY-LEVEL<br>PLACEMENTS<br>IN THIS<br>PRACTICE<br>AREA LAST<br>YEAR | NO. OF<br>NON-TRADITIONAL<br>TRACK/STAFF<br>ATTORNEYS |
|---------------------------|--|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---|---|
| Business, Corporate       | Corporate                                  | 6                          | 0                 | 2                    |   | 0   |
| Labor and Employment      | Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation | 3                          | 0                 | 1                    |   | 0   |
| Labor and Employment      | Employment & Labor                         | 2                          | 1                 | 1                    |   | 0   |
| Energy                    | Energy                                     | 1                          | 0                 | 1                    |   | 0   |

| Government, Regulatory, Administrative | Federal Regulatory & Compliance    | 1 | 0 | 1  | 0 |
|--|------------------------------------|---|---|----|---|
| Government, Regulatory, Administrative | Health Care                        | 1 | 0 | 1  | 0 |
| Intellectual Property                  | Intellectual Property & Technology | 1 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Litigation                             | Litigation                         | 5 | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Real Estate, Land Use                  | Real Estate                        | 5 | 3 | 6  | 0 |

# **Diversity & Inclusion**

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## **Organization Narrative**

#### **Dentons Kansas City**

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