

UF LAW BINDING DECISION OPTION

Applicants applying for Fall 2021 admission may apply through the **UF Law Binding Decision option**.

Option Description:

- The Binding Decision application option is designed for applicants who are **certain** that UF Law is their first choice. Admissions decisions are binding; students admitted through this option will be required to submit a seat deposit and enrollment form within one week of being admitted. *If you are not sure about your choice of law school, you should apply for regular admission.*
- All other things being equal, applying Binding Decision may increase the chance of being accepted.
- All applicants admitted under the Binding Decision option will receive, at minimum, a scholarship equal to 25% of current annual tuition for all three years of law school (distributed during fall and spring semesters), and a waiver of the \$200 non-refundable enrollment deposit.

Eligibility:

Competitive applicants may be admitted based on one the following criteria:

- Score at least 166 on the LSAT, or
- Achieve a *final* LSAC-calculated cumulative GPA (CGPA) at or above 3.85*, or
*(*Current undergraduate students with LSAT scores below 166, who are admitted under the Binding Decision option, must graduate with a final LSAC-calculated CGPA at or above 3.85 in order to enroll.)*
- Demonstrate evidence of the propensity to succeed in law school, contribute to a diverse educational environment, and to excel in the practice of law *(supporting statement recommended - attach as application addendum)*

Instructions:

- **Submit complete application** through LSAC (select the *UF Law Binding Decision option*) **by March 15, 2021**. Complete applications will include all required parts, per application instructions.

Obligations if offered admission:

- Confirm your understanding of the conditions for enrollment under the Binding Decision option and submit a binding enrollment commitment form within 7 days of offer.
 - Decline any pending offers of admission from other law schools.
 - Withdraw all pending applications to other law schools.
 - Do not initiate new applications to other law schools.
- Authorize UF Law to share information about your binding decision commitment with other law schools and with the LSAC.
- Enroll in UF Law in August, 2021.

Note: Binding Decision applicants who are waitlisted may elect to remain “Binding Decision” on the waitlist, or to be placed on the waitlist without being bound to attend if admitted. Binding Decision waitlist applicants may receive preference for admission off the waitlist.