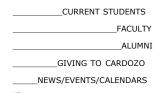
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**EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS**An Overview of the Class of 2003

99.3% of the Class of 2003 reported employment status and, of those, 94.3% reported that they are employed as of nine months after graduation. The overall reported average starting salary is \$87,835 and the overall median starting salary is \$93,000.\*

Breakdown by practice area and salary:

Practice Area	Percent	Average Salary	Median Salary
Private Practice	66.8%	\$ 101,023	\$ 125,000
Corporate/Business	12.5%	\$ 60,667	\$ 50,500
Government	11.7%	\$ 49,607	\$ 48,000
Public Interest	2.0%	\$ 46,000	\$ 46,000
Judicial Clerkship	5.9%	\$ 44,152	\$ 47,110
Academic	1.2%	N/A	N/A

Breakdown by firm size and salary among those in private practice:

Firm Size	Percent	Average Salary	Median Salary
500+	23.6%	\$ 122,500	\$ 125,000
251-500	8.5%	\$ 121,667	\$ 125,000
101-250	5.5%	\$ 110,429	\$ 125,000
51-100	10.3%	\$ 97,500	\$ 87,500
26-50	7.9%	\$ 74,333	\$ 60,000
11-25	10.9%	\$ 55,714	\$ 60,000
2-10	29.1%	\$ 45,542	\$ 43,750
Unknown	4.2%		

<sup>\*</sup> Not all students who reported employment status provided salary information. Thus, average and median salary figures are based on data supplied by those who reported salary.

Job offer timing for those reporting:

Before Graduation 78.4%
After Graduation/Before Bar 12.9%
After Bar 8.7%

## A Selection of Recent Cardozo Employers

Law Firms
Baker & McKenzie
Baker Botts L.L.P.
Blank Rome LLP

Bryan Cave LLP Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP Chadbourne & Parke LLP Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton Clifford Chance LLP Coudert Brothers LLP Cravath, Swaine and Moore Debevoise & Plimpton LLP Epstein Becker & Green, P.C. Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson Hawkins, Delafield & Wood Herrick, Feinstein LLP Holland & Knight LLP Hunton & Williams Jones Day Kaye Scholer LLP Kelley Drye & Warren LLP Katten Muchin Zavis Rosenman Latham & Watkins McDermott, Will & Emery Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Morrison & Foerster LLP O'Melveny & Myers LLP Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison Pennie & Edmonds LLP Proskauer Rose LLP Shearman & Sterling Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP Sullivan & Cromwell Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Public Interest Organizations Advocates for Children American Civil Liberties Union Anti-Defamation League Center for Reproductive Law & Policy **EEOC** Elder Services Environmental Defense Fund International Human Rights Law Institute Lafayette Drug Treatment Center Legal Action Center New York Civil Liberties Union New York Lawyers for the Public Interest New York Legal Assistance Group NOW Legal Defense and Education Fund Planned Parenthood The Legal Aid Society

The Bank of New York Bear Stearns Citigroup Colgate Palmolive Deloitte & Touche

Corporations

AIG Risk Management

Empire Blue Cross Blue Shield

Goldman Sachs & Company

JP Morgan Chase

**KPMG** Lehman Brothers Modell's Sporting Goods News America Corp New York Board of Trade Pfizer Prudential Securities, Inc.

Reuters America

Intellectual Property/Entertainment/Sports ABC- Disney **AOL Time-Warner** Authors Guild BMI Coach

Double Click Focus Features

HBO

ICM

Kate Spade

MALD

MLB

MTV NBA

NBC

Scholastic Publishing

Sony Music Entertainment

Universal /Motown Records

William Morris Agency

Government Agencies & Judicial Clerkships

Bronx County District Attorney

Connecticut Judicial Branch

Dade County State Attorney's Office

District of Columbia, Circuit Court

Federal Communications Commission

Kings County District Attorney

Maine Supreme Judicial Court

Nassau County District Attorney

Nassau County Office of Housing and Intergovernmental Affairs

National Labor Relations Board

New York County District Attorney

New York Stock Exchange

NYC Administration for Children's Services

NYC Department of Finance

NYC Housing Authority

NYC Law Department, Corporation Counsel

Oregon State Supreme Court

Public Defender, Los Angeles, CA

Queens County District Attorney

Supreme Court, Israel

U.S. Bankruptcy Court, EDNY, SDNY, MA, NJ

U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Northern District Florida

U.S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 3rd Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 4th Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 6th Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit

U.S. Court of International Trade

U.S. Department of Justice

U.S. Department of Treasury

 $\hbox{U.S. District Court, EDNY, SDNY, NDNY}\\$ 

U.S. District Court, Eastern District, PA

U.S. District Court, NJ, CT

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

United States Attorney's Office

Utah Supreme Court

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