

## X. TEACHING ASSISTANTS

93. Do you use teaching assistants in your required program? (The % is based on % of the classroom teaching hours.)

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	
<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	a. Exclusively
<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	b. Substantially (75%)
<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	c. Significantly (50%)
<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>31</u>	d. Somewhat (25%)
<u>47</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>43</u>	e. Rarely (< 25%)
<u>*</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>67</u>	f. No

*\*This answer was not an option of the 2001 Survey.*

94. How many teaching assistants participate in your program to teach or to help teach, and what do they teach? *Please mark all that apply.*

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	
<u>*</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>98</u>	a. Total number of Teaching Assistants <b>(average) 16.30</b> <b>(min 1; max 60)</b> teaching assistants <i>2002 Survey: (average) 16.27 (min2; max 60) teaching assistants</i>
			b. Subjects taught
<u>26</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>34</u>	Objective legal writing
<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>39</u>	Advocacy or moot court
<u>38</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>56</u>	Research
<u>**</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>70</u>	Citation
<u>25</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>27</u>	Other

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95. Approximately how many students are assigned to each teaching assistant?

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	
<u>72</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>94</u>	a. Number of students per TA in the fall: <b>(average) 20.42</b> <b>(min 1; max 50)</b> <i>2002 Survey: (average) 20.84 (min 5; max 52)</i> <i>2001 Survey: (average) 21 (min 5; max 115)</i>
<u>63</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>92</u>	b. Number of students per TA in the spring: <b>(average) 19.83</b> <b>(min 1; max 50)</b> <i>2002 Survey: (average) 19.83 (min 5; max 52)</i> <i>2001 Survey: (average) 21 (min 5; max 115)</i>

96. Approximately how many hours does each teaching assistant spend on TA duties each term?

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
<u>74</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>89</u>

a. Fall Semester: **(average) 96.61 (min 3; max 405)** hours.

2002 Survey: (average) 91.80\* (min 5; max 405)

2001 Survey: (average) 84 (min 3; max 300)

<u>70</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>87</u>
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b. Spring Semester : **(average) 90.80 (min 5; max 405)** hours.

2002 Survey: (average) 86.53\* (min 3; max 405) hours.

2001 Survey: (average) 76 (min 3; max 300)

\*Answers greater than 300 have been excluded.

97. Do TAs hold office hours during which they answer questions relating to— *Please mark all that apply.*

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
<u>*</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>

a. No

<u>*</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>90</u>
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b. Yes

\*This question was not specifically asked in the 2001 Survey.

c. Subjects covered

<u>66</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>78</u>
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1. Research

<u>59</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>73</u>
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2. Writing, generally

<u>52</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>72</u>
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3. Writing assignments before they are graded

<u>45</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>58</u>
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4. Other law school questions (such as exams)

<u>*</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>75</u>
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5. Citation

\*This answer was not an option on the 2001 Survey.

98. How are the teaching assistants compensated? *Please mark all that apply.*

<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>21</u>

a. Course credit and grades

<u>33</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>37</u>
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b. Course credit. How many credits per term? **Fall: (average) 2.14 (min 1; max 4); Spring: (average) 2.03 (min 1; max 4)**

2002 Survey: Fall: (average) 1.93 (min 1; max 4); Spring: (average) 1.73 (min 1; max 3) NOTE: Because of a technical problem with the construction of the Survey, there is no reliable data for 2001 average/minimum/maximum results for 98.b.

<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>
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c. Offset against tuition of **(average) \$2,336 (min \$710; max \$6,000 )** per term

2002 Survey: (average) \$2,043\* (min \$535; max \$5,025)

2001 Survey: (average) \$1,406 (min \$535; max \$3,000)

<u>27</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>31</u>
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d. Payment of **(average) \$1,415 (min \$100; max \$3,500)** per term

2002 Survey: (average) \$1,372 (min \$324; max \$3,600)

2001 Survey: (average) \$1,524 (min \$100; max \$5,000)

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| <u>20</u> | <u>21</u> | <u>29</u> | e. | Payment of \$ <b>(average) \$9.66 (min 5.5; max 14)</b> per hours worked<br>2002 Survey: <u>(average) \$8.50**</u> (min \$5.50; max \$12)<br>2001 Survey: <u>(average) \$8.65</u> (min \$6; max \$14) |
| <u>3</u>  | <u>2</u>  | <u>5</u>  | f. | Other<br><i>*Note: Answer of "100%" excluded because it did not include a monetary value.</i><br><i>**Note: Answer of \$106 excluded.</i>   |

99. Approximately how many hours of training are provided for each teaching assistant each term?

<b><u>2001</u></b>	<b><u>2002</u></b>	<b><u>2003</u></b>	
<u>74</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>96</u>	<b>(average) 11.44 (min 0; max 45)</b> hours 2002 Survey: <u>(average) 13.32</u> (min 0; max 95) hours 2001 Survey: <u>(average) 11.5</u> (min 0; max 60) hours

## **XI. SURVEY**

100. Have you used ALWD/LWI survey data to- *Please mark all that apply*

<b><u>2001</u></b>	<b><u>2002</u></b>	<b><u>2003</u></b>	
<u>78</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>81</u>	a. Improve your program
<u>41</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>50</u>	b. Improve you status
<u>44</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	c. Improve your salary
<u>0</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>19</u>	d. Other
<u>33</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>43</u>	e. No