

Book III - A Report

The Law School Application Manual - Executing A Plan

Summary And Introduction

My Advice To You Is

Treat applying to law school as though you would treat the process of applying for jobs. Your applications must be targeted to the requirements of different law schools. Applying to law school is “academic marketing.”

Okay, law school is for you and you are going to apply. Book III has been designed to take you through every single step of every component of your law school application file. Let me warn you!! Applying to law school is a lot of work. Get started early. I recommend that you start looking at application material in the year before you wish to apply. Most law school applicants underestimate the amount of work required to do a proper job in the application process. Read Book III well in advance. It will be your Bible as you go through the process. It includes actual samples of letters of reference and personal statements (of successful applicants).

In Book III I will play the role of the “Law Admissions Coach.”

Book III - Chapter Summaries

11. Getting Accepted - “Chicken Soup For The Pre-Law Soul”

Focus: Personal Success Stories - How success relates to planning

12. How To Apply - Different Marketing For Different Schools

Focus: Preliminary Considerations - What is the most appropriate application category? How to identify the “mission statements” of different schools.

13. How To Develop Effective Personal Statements And An Autobiographical Sketch That Works

Focus: How to develop personal statements. What works. What doesn't.

14. Twenty-Six Actual Personal Statements Of Successful Applicants

Focus: Samples of real personal statements

15. The Personal Statement Workbook - Tools To Develop Your Personal Statement

Focus: A plan for developing your personal statement

16. How To Obtain Effective Letters Of Recommendation

Focus: How to obtain effective letters. What makes an effective letter, effective?

17. Excelling At Law School Interviews - Seven Real Accounts

Focus: If you are invited to an interview, this chapter is for you. “Mature Applicants” take note!