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Descriptive Statistics - Demographic Variables x Category 1, 2 & 3									
	Category 1			Category 2			Category 3		
	n	M	SD	n	M	SD	n	M	SD
Bar Association									
Florida	1073	1.98	0.043	1073	3.11	0.055	1073	3.49	0.68
Oregon	333	1.91	0.39	333	3.08	0.55	333	3.6	0.66
Quebec	126	2.06	0.43	126	3.02	0.52	126	3.52	0.63
Saskatchewan Alumni	322	1.87	0.43	322	3.22	0.52	322	3.5	0.62
Gender									
Male	1341	1.97	0.44	1341	3.19	0.54	1341	3.43	0.66
Female	1073	1.98	0.42	1073	3.08	0.52	1073	3.61	0.65
I don't wish to answer	18	2.38	0.37	18	3.23	0.69	18	3.18	0.65
Age									
20-24	80	2.27	0.45	80	3.26	0.52	80	3.28	0.65
25-29	230	2.18	0.44	230	3.20	0.49	230	3.39	0.63
30-39	509	2.01	0.43	509	3.12	0.52	509	3.41	0.67
40-49	438	1.99	0.41	438	3.14	0.56	438	3.45	0.64
50-59	501	1.93	0.43	501	3.11	0.53	501	3.56	0.65
60-69	475	1.89	0.42	475	3.16	0.53	475	3.62	0.67
Over 70	201	1.82	0.37	201	3.12	0.57	201	3.71	0.60
Debt									
\$0	578	1.91	0.42	578	3.15	0.54	578	3.52	0.69
\$1-\$25,000	539	1.95	0.44	539	3.12	0.53	539	3.57	0.61
\$25,000-\$50,000	357	1.98	0.42	357	3.15	0.52	357	3.57	0.64
\$50,000-\$100,000	439	2.04	0.43	439	3.13	0.57	439	3.48	0.66
\$100,000-\$150,000	245	2.02	0.43	245	3.15	0.51	245	3.40	0.64
\$150,000+	176	2.02	0.46	176	3.13	0.54	176	3.38	0.69
Practice Type									
Private Practice	1207	1.95	0.44	1207	3.13	0.53	1207	3.44	0.67
In House	205	1.95	0.40	205	3.06	0.53	205	3.48	0.65
Government	429	1.96	0.41	429	3.15	0.54	429	3.59	0.64
Legal Aid Organization	41	1.91	0.42	41	3.27	0.54	41	3.96	0.63
Academic Setting	57	1.89	0.43	57	3.00	0.50	57	3.74	0.70
Other	157	1.96	0.41	157	3.15	0.59	157	3.64	0.61
Disability									
No	2231	1.97	0.43	2231	3.14	0.53	2231	3.51	0.65
Yes	145	1.98	0.44	145	3.17	0.56	145	3.55	0.72
I don't wish to answer	58	2.20	0.48	58	3.16	0.53	58	3.39	0.78
Ethnicity									
Arab	8	2.21	0.20	8	3.36	0.56	8	3.13	0.69
African American	37	2.15	0.38	37	3.28	0.70	37	3.44	0.60
African	13	2.22	0.51	13	3.05	0.46	13	3.20	0.75
Caribbean	27	1.95	0.41	27	3.15	0.48	27	3.61	0.76
Chinese	25	2.21	0.42	25	3.17	0.47	25	3.12	0.59
Filipino	6	2.18	0.36	6	2.90	0.73	6	3.23	0.53
Korean	4	2.54	0.48	4	2.95	0.64	4	3.60	0.82
Latin American	51	1.80	0.38	51	3.12	0.49	51	3.70	0.55
South Asian	23	2.20	0.47	23	3.10	0.44	23	3.27	0.58
Southeast Asian	4	2.19	0.43	4	3.40	1.12	4	3.20	0.49
West Asian	4	2.15	0.20	4	3.18	0.32	4	3.00	0.69
White	2084	1.95	0.43	2084	3.13	0.53	2084	3.52	0.66
Other	69	2.12	0.47	69	3.24	0.52	69	3.45	0.65
I do not wish to answer	79	2.15	0.51	79	3.20	0.59	79	3.35	0.71
Religion									

Atheist	316	2.01	0.42	316	3.18	0.55	316	3.47	0.69
Buddhist	24	1.98	0.46	24	2.96	0.55	24	3.67	0.65
Hindu	4	2.38	0.44	4	3.23	0.61	4	3.30	0.66
Jewish	204	1.93	0.42	204	3.17	0.52	204	3.47	0.69
Muslim	12	2.22	0.29	12	3.27	0.56	12	3.02	0.60
Protestant	515	1.92	0.43	515	3.12	0.56	515	3.60	0.66
Roman Catholic	451	1.95	0.45	451	3.13	0.55	451	3.52	0.62
Other Christian	240	1.99	0.44	240	3.09	0.57	240	3.48	0.60
Sikh	6	2.22	0.59	6	3.05	0.48	6	3.10	0.41
Nihilist	2	2.83	0.00	2	2.80	0.00	2	3.70	1.56
Agnostic	246	2.02	0.42	246	3.16	0.48	246	3.43	0.69
Other	96	2.02	0.37	96	3.03	0.50	96	3.66	0.62
I don't wish to answer/No religion	318	2.00	0.45	318	3.18	0.51	318	3.46	0.67
Class									
Upper	68	1.97	0.46	68	3.09	0.53	68	3.43	0.69
Upper Middle	639	1.97	0.45	639	3.17	0.53	639	3.49	0.67
Middle	1056	1.96	0.42	1056	3.13	0.54	1056	3.54	0.64
Lower Middle	487	2.00	0.43	487	3.11	0.52	487	3.46	0.67
Lower	163	2.00	0.44	163	3.16	0.57	163	3.56	0.67
I do not wish to answer	24	2.19	0.52	24	3.23	0.62	24	3.27	0.79
Law School Year									
1st year	55	2.32	0.40	55	3.13	0.46	55	3.42	0.60
2nd year	90	2.18	0.41	90	3.22	0.57	90	3.45	0.63
3rd year	72	2.24	0.41	72	3.22	0.44	72	3.25	0.65
Lawyer Year									
2015-17	126	2.08	0.49	126	3.21	0.49	126	3.55	0.61
2011-15	252	2.02	0.41	252	3.18	0.52	252	3.35	0.68
2006-10	296	1.98	0.44	296	3.10	0.55	296	3.40	0.67
2000-05	276	2.05	0.43	276	3.09	0.54	276	3.48	0.63
1990-95	456	1.95	0.40	456	3.08	0.52	456	3.50	0.67
1980-89	457	1.89	0.42	457	3.15	0.54	457	3.64	0.64
1970-1979	284	1.86	0.41	284	3.18	0.53	284	3.60	0.68
1969 or earlier	78	1.77	0.34	78	3.14	0.64	78	3.73	0.56
Practicing									
Yes	1891	1.95	0.43	1891	3.13	0.54	1891	3.51	0.66
No	333	1.98	0.43	333	3.13	0.53	333	3.59	0.64
Practice Area									
Aboriginal Law	39	2.06	0.45	39	3.18	0.57	39	3.69	0.53
ADR/Mediation Services	64	1.81	0.43	64	3.17	0.58	64	3.73	0.75
Administrative Law	186	1.90	0.40	186	3.16	0.50	186	3.59	0.62
Bankruptcy & Insolvency Law	82	1.98	0.50	82	3.12	0.50	82	3.30	0.67
Civil Litigation - Plaintiff	373	1.94	0.43	373	3.17	0.52	373	3.48	0.68
Civil Litigation - Defendant	151	2.00	0.45	151	3.14	0.52	151	3.38	0.68
Construction Law	32	2.00	0.35	32	3.03	0.45	32	3.31	0.54
Corporate/Commercial	174	2.00	0.46	174	3.04	0.55	174	3.40	0.63
Criminal/Quasi Criminal Law	272	2.01	0.41	272	3.34	0.59	272	3.57	0.64
Employment/Labor Law	63	2.07	0.42	63	2.99	0.53	63	3.56	0.66
Environment Law	20	1.86	0.35	20	3.11	0.48	20	3.82	0.83
Family Law	109	1.90	0.39	109	3.02	0.53	109	3.69	0.61
Franchise Law	3	1.89	0.27	3	2.70	0.10	3	3.33	0.50
Immigration Law	20	2.00	0.41	20	2.92	0.41	20	3.75	0.53
IP Law	26	1.93	0.42	26	2.95	0.44	26	3.37	0.66
Real Estate Law	80	1.93	0.41	80	3.00	0.50	80	3.27	0.69
Securities Law	8	2.04	0.70	8	3.14	0.42	8	3.03	0.35
Tax Law	37	1.96	0.45	37	3.15	0.43	37	3.50	0.64

Wills, Estates, Trusts Law	62	1.87	0.36	62	3.02	0.53	62	3.53	0.69
Workplace Safety Law	3	1.58	0.21	3	2.93	0.55	3	3.00	1.31
Other	276	1.91	0.43	276	3.07	0.55	276	3.58	0.66
Law School									
Alberta	56	2.17	0.39	56	3.18	0.53	56	3.44	0.65
Dalhousie	37	1.96	0.37	37	3.21	0.46	37	3.59	0.5
Florida	148	1.96	0.42	148	3.14	0.55	148	3.43	0.7
Florida Coastal	35	2.04	0.42	35	3.37	0.65	35	3.29	0.64
FSU	90	2.04	0.48	90	3.04	0.53	90	3.52	0.7
Harvard	32	1.92	0.37	32	3.03	0.51	32	3.38	0.62
Maine	33	2.15	0.36	33	3.13	0.4	33	3.65	0.71
Miami	94	2.07	0.44	94	3.19	0.54	94	3.47	0.69
Montreal	64	2	0.42	64	3	0.52	64	3.55	0.62
Nova	51	2	0.4	51	3.15	0.64	51	3.57	0.68
Oregon'	50	1.94	0.45	50	3.06	0.54	50	3.59	0.75
Osgoode	93	2.3	0.43	93	3.19	0.5	93	3.29	0.59
Saskatchewan	322	1.87	0.43	322	3.22	0.52	322	3.5	0.62
South Carolina	67	1.9	0.44	67	3.12	0.47	67	3.56	0.68
Stetson	108	2.02	0.46	108	3.13	0.5	108	3.4	0.67
UWO	32	2.1	0.36	32	3.5	0.48	32	3.36	0.72
Willametta	55	1.9	0.41	55	3.06	0.68	55	3.59	0.66