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Law Schools Most Frequently Attended in 2017
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Harvard University
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New York University
Cornell University
University of Chicago
Fordham University
University of Pennsylvania
Georgetown University

Acceptance rates
Cornell (for 63 applicants in Class of 2017) 92%
National 75%

*Based on most recent data available from Law School Admission Council for fall 2017 acceptance.

Medical Careers
Medical Schools Most Frequently Attended in 2017
Albert Einstein
Stony Brook University
Hofstra University
SUNY Downstate
Mount Sinai
SUNY Upstate
New York Medical College
University of Buffalo
New York University
Weill Cornell Medical College

Acceptance rates
Cornell (64) applicants from Class of 2017 81%
All applicants with Cornell degrees (233) 70%
National (aggregated, 2016 and 2017) 42%

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Fellowships
Cornell consistently gains national recognition for the fellowship successes of its students. The competitions are highly selective and there are few awards annually.

2017 2016
Carnegie Junior Fellowship 1 Gates Cambridge Scholarship 2
Goldwater Scholarship 1 Goldwater Scholarship 4
Rhodes Scholarship 1 Marshall Scholarship 1
Schwarzman Scholarship 3 Schwarzman Scholarship 3
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