Early Decision Contract

Application Deadline January 15

William & Mary Law School’s Early Decision Program is a **binding** decision program designed for applicants who are confident that William & Mary is their first choice and who are committed to enroll at William & Mary Law School if admitted under this admission program. Those admitted under the Early Decision Program will receive full-tuition scholarships.

Applicants who apply through the Early Decision Program agree to abide by the following:

- An early decision applicant must enroll at William & Mary Law School if accepted under this program.
- An early decision applicant may apply for admission to other law schools, but once admitted to William & Mary through this program, the applicant must withdraw all other law school applications and may not initiate applications to any other law schools.
- An early decision applicant may not apply for another binding early decision program at another law school.
- If admitted under the Early Decision Program, the candidate must submit a nonrefundable deposit of $500 by the date on the acceptance letter (two weeks following decision).

Early Decision Program applicants not selected for admission under the Early Decision Program will automatically be considered for admission in the regular non-binding admission process. Applicants may be admitted under the regular admission process. All Early Decision applicant decisions will be made by February 1, if not earlier.

Note: Scholarships cannot exceed total cost of attendance. If you receive military funding or external scholarships in excess of yearly total cost of attendance, your scholarship will be reduced accordingly.

To the applicant:

*I certify that I have read the above instructions and understand the stated policies and practices that govern the Early Decision Program at William & Mary Law School. William & Mary Law School is my first choice, and I wish to be considered as an Early Decision Program candidate. If accepted under the Early Decision Program, I will matriculate at William & Mary Law School. I agree to immediately withdraw all my applications to other schools and to initiate no new ones if and when accepted to William & Mary Law School as an Early Decision Program candidate. I also understand that I am not permitted to enter a binding early decision agreement with any other law school.*

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Signature of Applicant                          Date

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Name of Applicant (Please Print)               LSAC Account Number