Wilshire Law Firm Legal Scholar Award Application

OVERVIEW

As part of its goal to make higher education accessible to a deserving student, Wilshire Law Firm has established the Legal Scholar Award Scholarship. This is a bi-annual scholarship in the amount of $1,000, offered to encourage and assist a motivated student who has demonstrated academic excellence and a commitment to the community. The goal is to help them accomplish their dream of a career in law.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be a US citizen or permanent resident
- Have at least two semesters of law school left to complete
- Have a history of strong academic achievements
- Have demonstrated commitment to the community

REQUIREMENTS

- A completed Wilshire Law Firm Scholarship Application (included in the next three pages).
- An essay explaining the field of law that they’re interested in pursuing and why. Also, how they plan to use their law degree in that field upon graduation.
- An unofficial copy of the student’s college transcripts.

DEADLINE

The deadline for the application is June 28, 2019.

NOTIFICATION
The scholarship award recipient will be notified within 30 days of the submission deadline.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: ____________________________________________________________

Last First MI

Present Mailing Address: ____________________________________________

Street Apt. #

City State Zip Code

Permanent Mailing Address: __________________________________________

Street Apt. #

City State Zip Code

Telephone #: _______________________________________________________

Home Cell Other

E-mail: ________________________________ Cumulative GPA: ___________________

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School: _______________________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________________________

Date of Graduation: ________________________________________________

College, University and/or Professional School: ________________________
Address: ____________________________________________________________

Dates: __________________________________________________________________

Degree and Date of Graduation: ____________________________________________

Major: __________________________________________________________________

• List scholastic or academic honors and achievements you are most proud of:

• List three non-academic activities which are important to you:

FINANCIAL NEED INFORMATION

• Have you been employed while attending school?

• Positions held:

• No. of hours per week:

• In an academic setting, have you been subjected to disciplinary sanctions? Y/N

ESSAY

Please submit a typed essay describing:

a) The field of law that you are interested in practicing and why.
b) How you intend to use your law degree upon graduation.

*Essay should be no more than 600 words.*

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the information I have provided on this Application Form and in any attached materials is true and complete.

__________________________________________________________________________

Applicant Signature

__________________________________________________________________________

Date

*Return completed application and required materials to: scholarship@wilshirelawfirm.com*