



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS

The DuPage Bar Foundation, the 501(c)(3) arm of the DuPage County Bar Association, awards \$10,000 in scholarships to deserving law school students each year. Historically awards have ranged between \$2,000 - \$3,000. Any eligible student is encouraged to apply.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be available for an in person interview with the Selection Committee on Saturday, May 19th. Times will be scheduled one all applications are in. They start at 9:00 am and typically go to about 1:00 pm depending on the amount of applications.
- If selected to receive a scholarship, must be present at the Board Installation Dinner on Thursday, June 7.
- Financial Need
- Academic Achievement
- Must not be a previous recipient.

Application Requirements

- The scholarship application with all relevant sections completed.
- Official Transcript - Please submit a copy of your latest official transcript.
- Resume (not to exceed two pages)
- Financial Aid Notice/Letter - Financial aid notice from your school indicating the amount awarded for the academic year
- Personal Statement - A personal statement discussing your career goals, school and community activities. (not to exceed one page, double spaced)
- 1040 Tax Form - **Bring** a copy of your most recent tax form filed to the interview, and if applicable, your spouse's form (if filed separately) to the interview. If for any reason you did not receive a W-2 form or file income tax papers, you must provide an explanation. Do NOT send this information with the application.

Applicants may apply for more than one of the below scholarships, but only one scholarship will be awarded. *Please indicate which scholarships you are applying for by checking the box(es).*

- AMBASSADOR SCHOLARSHIP and/or WOODRUFF JOHNSON & EVANS SCHOLARSHIP
In addition to meeting the above eligibility requirements the applicant must demonstrate the following:
- Must have completed one full year (24 hours) of law school by the date of the interview.
 - Must reside in, or have an established connection to DuPage County.

- WILLIAM J. BAUER SCHOLARSHIP
In addition to meeting the above eligibility requirements the applicant must demonstrate the following:
- Must have completed one full year of an ABA accredited law school by the date of the interview.
 - Must reside in or have an established connection to DuPage County
 - Demonstrated Public/Community Service
 - Leadership Skills
 - Essay (not to exceed two pages, double spaced) in which you persuade the Committee how you embody the qualities of Hon. William. J. Bauer, Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit. These qualities include unquestioned integrity; a passion for finding legal solutions to human problems which are fair and just; and a profound understanding of the need for professional civility.



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Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Name of Law School _____

References:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Submit all information by May 11, 2018 to:
Information must be received by May 11, 2018

DuPage Bar Foundation
126 S. County Farm Rd.
Wheaton, IL 60187
fax 630/653-7870
callston@dcba.org

Contact Cindy Allston, DBF Executive Director with any questions at the above email or 630/653-7779. When your application is received you will receive a confirmation email. Make sure your application is complete as any missing information can disqualify you from the scholarship.