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ADMISSIONS & FINANCIAL AID

WRITING COMPETITIONS AND PRIVATE SCHOLARSHIPS 07.16.20

JULY:

Leukemia & Lymphoma Awareness/Law School Scholarship

The Law Office of Renkin & Associates is pleased to announce the creation of a Scholarship offer. It was established to provide financial support to a law student whose life has been impacted by Lymphoma or Leukemia and is seeking to continue their education through law school. The award is \$1,000. **The deadline is July 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://www.renkinlaw.com/leukemia-lymphoma-law-school-scholarship>.

Gerben Law Firm Scholarship

Gerben Law Firm, PLLC is offering an annual scholarship opportunity for currently enrolled law students interested in practicing trademark law. Gerben Law Firm is committed to assisting the next generation of trademark attorneys through a scholarship to help ease the financial burden of law school. The award is \$1,500. **The deadline is July 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://www.gerbenlaw.com/education/>.

Vernon E. Jordan, Jr. Civil Rights Scholarship

This scholarship is \$500 and is intended for incoming students interested in and with a proven track record of interest in civil rights and/or work with underserved communities. **The deadline is July 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://cleoinc.org/aie/files/2020/06/CLEO-VEJ-Scholarship-Flyer-2020-may.pdf>.

ABC Law Centers Disability Advocacy Scholarship

ABC Law Centers is proud to offer our Disability Advocacy Scholarship! The firm will award one annual scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 to an undergraduate, graduate, or law student planning to pursue a law or public policy career focused on disability advocacy. **The deadline is July 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://www.abclawcenters.com/abc-law-centers-disability-advocacy-scholarship/>.

AUGUST:

Audre Rapoport Prize for Scholarship on Gender and Human Rights

The Bernard and Audre Rapoport Center for Human Rights and Justice at The University of Texas School of Law extends a call for papers for the Audre Rapoport Prize for Scholarship on Gender and Human Rights. The scope of the topic is broad. Papers can be on any topic that addresses gender and human rights from an international, transnational, or comparative perspective. The winner will receive a \$1,000 prize, and the paper will be published on the Center's Website. **The deadline is August 1, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://law.utexas.edu/humanrights/opportunities/audre-raपोport-prize/>.

Appel Law Firm Auto Accident Law Firm Survivor Scholarship

An applicant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, he must have sustained injuries from a car or truck accident or have been affected by someone else's accident, and must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher. Law students are encouraged to apply. The award is \$1,000. **The deadline is August 1, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://www.appellawyer.com/scholarship/>.

Craig Jordan Consumer Protection Writing Competition

The Consumer and Commercial Law Section of the Texas State Bar announces the Craig Jordan Consumer Protection Writing Competition for 2019. This competition was established to honor the life of Craig Jordan, a section founder and nationally recognized and respected consumer protection attorney. The contest serves to provide law students the opportunity to examine and offer perspectives on the multitude of challenges facing consumers and their advocates in an ever-changing marketplace and regulatory and legal environment. The first-place prize is \$4,000 and publication in the nationally recognized *Journal of Consumer & Commercial Law*. Second place is \$1,000. **The deadline is August 5, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://txconsumerlawyers.org/awards/>.

Harris Personal Injury Scholarship

Harris Personal Injury Lawyers, Inc. understands the difficult process of recovery after you've been seriously injured. We are offering a scholarship for university students who have suffered a serious injury, and are committed to demonstrating a determination to rebuild their lives by attending college or law school. The award is \$1,000. **The deadline is August 14, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://harrispersonalinjury.com/injury-scholarship/>.

Eastern District of Texas Law School Scholarships

The Eastern District of Texas will award \$2,500 scholarships. Law students and prospective law students from the Eastern District of Texas who are enrolled or have been accepted to an ABA-accredited law school in Texas are eligible to apply for this scholarship. **The deadline is August 14, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://www.edtexbar.com/>.

Baumgartner Law Firm-Law Student Scholarship

The Baumgartner Law Firm offers a scholarship for current or incoming law students based on need and commitment to helping others. One student will receive a \$3,000 scholarship. Applicants must be enrolled or accepted at an accredited Law School in the US. **The deadline is August 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://baumgartnerlawyers.com/baumgartner-law-firm-scholarship-application>.

Law Enforcement Family Member Scholarship

Fales & Fales is pleased to offer the scholarship to acknowledge law enforcement officers and, by extension, their families. The award is \$1,000. **The deadline is August 31, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://www.faleslaw.com/law-enforcement-family-member-scholarship.html>.

SEPTEMBER:

NAPABA Law Foundation Scholarships

The NAPABA Law Foundation Scholarships are awarded each fall to law students who demonstrate a commitment to serve or contribute to the Asian-Pacific-American community as future leaders. Since 1995, the first year in which Foundation Scholarships were granted, 75 students have received scholarships, totaling over \$615,000. Each interested applicant should submit a short essay, a resume, 2 letters of recommendation, and an optional copy of his/her financial aid report that contains the EFC (Expected Family Contribution). **The deadline is September 7, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://www.napabalawfoundation.org/scholarships/>.

James E. Beckley Student Writing Competition

The Public Investors Arbitration Bar Association calls for papers on any aspect of securities laws or securities arbitration; The Federal Arbitration Act, Title 9, US Code Section 1-14; or FINRA Code of Arbitration (effective April 16, 2007) and any changes or proposed changes to that Code. The writing can be based on theory or practice but should ultimately advocate a position on the chosen topic. Papers should not exceed 25 pages. First prize is \$1000, second prize is \$750, and third prize is \$500. **The deadline is September 18, 2020.** For more information, please visit <http://piabafoundation.org/piabe-bar-journal/beckley-competition>.

Buffalo Environmental Law Journal Student Writing Competition

The goal of this Competition is to encourage students interested in academic writing and the field of Environmental Law to write on a topic that interests them and to give those students an opportunity to be published in an academic journal. To achieve this goal, the Competition is open to any law student who, at the time of entry, is enrolled in an ABA-accredited law school during the 2020-2021 academic year. Submissions for the Competition should demonstrate original thought and ingenuity on an issue of significance relating to the field of Environmental Law. Up to three articles will be published. **The deadline is September 30, 2020.** For more information, please contact Jenny Branson.

OCTOBER:

Buckfire & Buckfire, P.C. Law School Diversity Scholarship

Buckfire & Buckfire, P.C. offers a \$2,000 scholarship available to law students who currently are attending an accredited law school within the United States. Applicants must be members of ethnic, racial, or other minorities or demonstrate a commitment to issues of diversity within their communities. **The deadline is October 1, 2020.** For more information, please visit <https://buckfirelaw.com/scholarships/law/>.

Varghese Summersett Criminal Justice Scholarship

Varghese Summersett PLLC, a criminal defense law firm in Fort Worth, Texas, is excited to offer a \$1000 scholarship. **The deadline is October 1, 2020.** For more information, please visit: <https://www.versustexas.com/scholarships/>.

GAR Disability Advocates Scholarship

GAR believes that everyone, regardless of background or social status, is entitled to high-quality legal representation to fight for their rights. In order to fulfill the need for high-quality lawyers and legal professionals in the workforce, they are committed to helping students in need to afford higher education. They are asking law students to write an essay about how disability has affected them whether it be a loved one with a disability or themselves and if their life would be different without disability benefits. The award is \$1,500. **The deadline is October 15, 2020.** For more information, please visit: <https://disabilityhc.com/scholarship/>.

ONGOING:

Citizens Scholarship

The Citizens Scholarship awards monthly prizes of **\$2,500** and an annual grand prize of **\$15,000!** Students and parents alike can win. There is no essay required: all is required is submitting an email. **For more information, please visit** <https://www.citizensbank.com/student-lending/scholarship.aspx>.