



2019 Law Student Diversity Scholarship Application

Submission Deadline: **September 9, 2019**

Scholarship Requirements

Frost Brown Todd LLC invites qualified candidates to apply for its \$2,000 Law Student Diversity Scholarship Award, open to all underrepresented law students including but not limited to African American, Hispanic or Latino, Asian, Native American, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, multi-racial, and LGBT students. All female law students are also eligible, regardless of race or ethnicity. Any other law students who come from backgrounds that would add to the cause of diversity, regardless of race or gender, are eligible to apply. To qualify for this scholarship, a candidate must be a full-time student law student at a ABA-accredited law school. Evening or part-time students also qualify for consideration if they have completed one-fourth or more of the total credit hours required for a degree by the applicant's law school. The goal of the Diversity Scholarship Fund is to provide financial assistance to worthy law students from ABA-accredited law schools to advance the beliefs embodied in Frost Brown Todd's Diversity Vision Statement.

Scholarships will be awarded to applicants who best meet the following criteria:

- Demonstrated academic excellence;
- Service to the profession;
- Service to the community; AND
- Service to the cause of diversity.

Application Process

Applicants must submit all of the following:

- A complete copy of the attached application;
- A letter of recommendation; AND
- A personal statement.

The deadline for submissions is September 9, 2019. Scholarship winners will be notified on approximately October 21, 2019.

Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

All applications, essays and required materials may be submitted in PDF format to jfowles@fbtlaw.com, faxed to 502.581.1087, or mailed to:

Justin Fowles
Frost Brown Todd LLC
400 W. Market Street, Suite 3200
Louisville, KY 40202-3363

Letter of Recommendation

Applications must include one letter of recommendation¹ from either:

- A dean or an associate dean of the student's law school;
- A current or past law professor;
- An individual who is personally acquainted with the applicant, but who is not related by blood line or adoption; OR
- A current Frost Brown Todd employee.

Personal Statement

In addition to submitting the attached application and required recommendation, applicants must complete a personal statement of no more than 1,000 words. The purpose of this personal statement is to allow candidates an opportunity to explain their background and how they will enhance diversity and equity efforts in the legal community.

Frost Brown Todd Vision Statement

Frost Brown Todd is committed to building and maintaining, as a central and permanent part of our culture, a diverse and inclusive team environment based on the following beliefs:

- Each of us is unique, and being inclusive means celebrating that uniqueness and encouraging each of us to bring our whole and best selves to work every day;
- A diverse and inclusive culture is critical to the success of each member of our team and, therefore, to the success of our firm as well;
- We must never be satisfied but must be dedicated, individually and as a firm, to always seeking new and better ways to support and encourage the personal growth and professional development of all.

¹ Letters of recommendation may be submitted directly by the applicant.

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SECTION ONE: Personal Information

Full Name

Last _____ First _____ M.I. _____

Current Mailing Address

Street Address _____ Apt/Unit # _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Permanent Mailing Address

Street Address _____ Apt/Unit # _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Email Address: _____

Phone: _____

SECTION TWO: Academic Information

Undergraduate School

Undergraduate Institution Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Dates of Attendance: _____ Date of Graduation: _____

Degree Earned: _____

GPA _____ Grading Scale _____

Honors, Awards or Other Special Recognition:

Extracurricular Activities:

Graduate School

Graduate Institution Name (other than Law School):

City: _____ State: _____

Degree Earned: _____

Honors, Awards or Other Special Recognition:

Extracurricular Activities:

Law School

Law School Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: _____

GPA _____ Grading Scale _____

Class Rank: _____

Honors, Awards or Other Special Recognition:

Extracurricular Activities:

Have you previously attended any other law school? If so, please explain.

SECTION THREE: Community Service Information

Describe any community service activities.

Dates	Organization/Activity	Role/Position
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SECTION FOUR: Work Experience

Describe any relevant work experience (attach résumé if necessary).

Dates	Company/Organization	Position/Title
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SECTION FIVE: Other Information

Have you ever been arrested and/or convicted of a crime, other than a moving traffic violation? If so, please describe below and/or attach a detailed description.

What are your career goals?

SECTION SIX: Applicant's Certification

- 1) I am currently registered as a full-time law student at an ABA-accredited law school, identified in this application, or I am a part-time student who has completed one-fourth or more of the total credit hours required for a degree from the law school that I now attend.
- 2) I am eligible to apply for this scholarship under the criteria.
- 3) All information contained in this application is true and correct.

P T I O N A L	<i>FBT is committed to the principle of diversity. Accordingly, applicants are invited to indicate which of the following may best describe them:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> White	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino
		<input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian	<input type="checkbox"/> Two or More Races	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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