

**ROGER WILLIAMS UNIVERSITY LAW ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD - 2017
1ST YEAR LAW STUDENTS**

Two \$5,500 SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED.

The Roger Williams University School of Law Alumni Association is dedicated to rewarding academic excellence. The Association understands and appreciates the tremendous financial burden associated with financing a legal education. This Scholarship program awards two current exceptional first year law students who demonstrate both academic excellence and financial need.

The Law Alumni Association's Scholarship Committee will organize and administer the scholarship program. Two \$5,500 scholarships will be awarded to first year students and applied to their fall 2017 tuition expenses.

Eligibility

- Current first-year students and completed first year division requirements by May 2017.

Criteria

- Demonstrated academic excellence
- Demonstrated financial need

Selection Process

1. Complete scholarship application form with 1-2 page personal statement and resume, which includes extra-curricular activities (community/School of Law involvement) which may be considered.
2. Submit application by 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 6, 2017 to the Office of Programs & Events, Suite 284.
3. Dean Michael J. Yelnosky and the Law Alumni Association Scholarship Committee will review the applications and select two scholarship award recipients.
4. The Committee will award two \$5,500 scholarships to two first year students.
5. The date and time of the award presentation will be announced.

**APPLICATIONS MAY BE PICKED UP AT
THE OFFICE OF PROGRAMS & EVENTS - Suite 284**

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PERSONAL BACKGROUND

Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Law School Address: _____

Phone Number: (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

Marital Status: _____ Married/living with significant other
_____ Single

Student Status: _____ First Year Division

Place of Employment: _____

Job Title: _____

Approximate number of hours worked per week: _____

Briefly describe the nature of your work: _____

Law School Activities: _____

Other Activities: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

List in order of attendance all colleges, universities, and graduate schools that you have attended.

School Name	Dates of Attendance Graduation, Degree	Major/Field of Study

FINANCIAL BACKGROUND

Are you currently receiving financial aid? _____ Yes _____ No

Have you ever received scholarships or grants while attending RWU Law School?

_____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please describe:

Does any person or persons assist you in financing your legal education?

_____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please describe: _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please prepare a 1-2 page, typed and double-spaced, personal statement discussing your professional goals and aspirations and why you are a worthy recipient for this scholarship.

Please include a resume with your scholarship application and GPA.

CONSENT: All scholarship award recipients hereby assent to having their award announced to the School of Law community at a designated event, through a press release, in *RWU Law magazine*, and/or as a part of any other School of Law and/or Law Alumni Association public relations.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print name: _____ E-mail: _____