

Scholarship Procedures For Rising 2nd-and 3rd-Year Law Scholarships

Review the list of scholarships available for rising 2nd-and 3rd-year law students at <http://www.memphis.edu/lawadmissions/ScholarshipReturning.php>. The application is available at http://academics.memphis.edu/law/law_scholarship_app2.html and recommendation forms are available at http://academics.memphis.edu/law/schol_request_form.html. You can print a paper copy of the recommendation form at <http://www.memphis.edu/lawadmissions/scholarship.php> and by clicking the Recommendation Form (download) link.

The application deadline is March 15th. The on-line scholarship application and on-line recommendation forms come to the law admissions office for processing.

Steps for Applying for Scholarships

- COMPLETE** on-line scholarship application.
- COMPLETE** the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Form at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>. Please take the time to complete the FAFSA now, so you can be considered for any need-based awards.
- IDENTIFY** two individuals and furnish them with a *Scholarship Recommendation Form*. Ask your recommenders if they want a paper copy or an on-line form, and allow ample time for your recommenders to complete the form. If you select the on-line recommendation form, you will need your recommender's email address.

Scholarship Application Checklist

- Scholarship Application**
- Personal Statement**, submitted as an attachment
- Resume**, submitted as an attachment
- Scholarship Statement**, submitted as an attachment. List each scholarship for which you would like to be considered and briefly explain why you believe you are qualified for each scholarship.
- Recommendation Letters**, preferably from members of the law faculty or members of the bar, law school alumnus, or employers
- Complete the FAFSA Form.**

Decision Timeline

- Applicants will receive a generic email after **all** documents are received.
- Award decisions will be emailed to you. We strive to have decisions finalized by June 1st.

Questions about what documents have been received should be directed to Ms. Cheryl Edwards at 678- 3639, or by email at cedwrds2@memphis.edu. Questions about the financial aid or the FAFSA process should be directed to Ms. DebraAnn Brown, Assistant Director for Student Financial Aid at Wilder Tower 103, 678-3737 or at dbrown@memphis.edu.