



Association of Black Women Attorneys
2023 RUTH WHITEHEAD WHALEY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application deadline: **March 20, 2023**

Applicants must be currently enrolled in law school in the New York Tri-State area to be eligible

Applicant's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Current Mailing Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Name and Address of Undergraduate School: _____

Year of Undergraduate Graduation: _____

Name and Address of Law School: _____

Anticipated Year of Law School Graduation: _____

Other Graduate Schools and Degrees: _____

Current Cumulative Law School Grade Point Average: _____

Estimated annual cost of your law school education: _____

Indicate how you have financed your law school education (list amounts):

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Other
Parental/Spousal Support	_____	_____	_____	_____
Financial Aid	_____	_____	_____	_____
Grants/Scholarships	_____	_____	_____	_____
Loans	_____	_____	_____	_____
Employment	_____	_____	_____	_____

List the names and ages of any dependents: _____

List school-related organizations and/or extracurricular activities in which you have been active in college and during law school (please note any volunteer positions and/or related leadership positions held):

List community service organizations and/or volunteer activities in which you have been active during college and law school (please note any related leadership positions held):

List any honors or awards you have received (in or out of school) since entering college/law school:

***Attach additional pages as necessary.**

Applicants must:

- Be enrolled in law school at an ABA accredited law school in the Tri-state area (New York, New Jersey, Connecticut)
- Be enrolled in a Juris Doctorate program (this application is **not** open to LLM candidates or pre-law students)

The following items must be included with your application:

- Resumé (list all work experience, including military service since graduating high school);
- Two letters of recommendation (personal or professional), one page maximum;
- A brief typewritten statement of no more than 300 words detailing your professional goals (be as specific as possible and include any related, past/current employment, and/or community service activities);
- Certificate/letter of good standing from your law school; and
- Current official transcript mailed directly by your law school to the address below.

***All information must be included for your application to be reviewed.**

Applicant's signature _____ **Date** _____

Submit application by email to abwagroup@gmail.com

Please save it as a PDF document with last name and first name (ex. 2023ABWAScholarshipJaneDoe)

For questions, email abwagroup@gmail.com

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