

# COLONEL ARCHER B. BATTISTA VETERAN'S LAW SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The applicant must be admitted for the upcoming academic year to an accredited law school.

The applicant must be a veteran with an Honorable Discharge or a current member of the United States Military.

The scholarship award is not less than the amount of \$1,000.00.

**Applications will be accepted and considered twice per year. The Application deadlines are July 1<sup>st</sup> and November 1<sup>st</sup>**

APPLICANT INFORMATION										
Last Name				First				M.I.	Date of Birth	
Street Address							Apartment/Unit #			
City				State				ZIP		
Phone				E-mail Address						
<b>UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION</b>										
College				Address						
From		To		Year of Graduation:		Degree and Final GPA				
Other				Address						
From		To		Year of Graduation:		Degree and Final GPA				
<b>LEGAL EDUCATION</b>										
Name of Institution for which you are requesting scholarship aid						Full Time or Part Time and Year of Study				
Complete Institution Address										
Current Law School GPA (Write N/A if you are an incoming first year student)										
<p>In the space below, please detail your relevant legal experience, including law school activities, memberships, or clinics, legal internships, and legal employment or other outside employment during law school (if necessary, please attach a rider).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 150px; width: 100%; margin-top: 10px;"></div>										

REFERENCES			
<i>Please list three references.</i>			
Full Name		Relationship	
Company		Phone	
Address			
Full Name		Relationship	
Company		Phone	
Address			
Full Name		Relationship	
Company		Phone	
Address			

MILITARY SERVICE		
Branch	From	To
Rank at Discharge or current rank:		
Location(s) of Service:		

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE	
How did you hear about this scholarship? _____	
I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.	
Signature	Date

**Procedure**

Complete and submit this application with:

- A copy of your DD214 if you are a veteran; a copy of your military identification card if you are currently in service.
- A brief statement consisting of no less than one page and no more than two pages describing your service, your goals, reasons for your interest in a career in the legal field, how you would apply this scholarship to your legal education, how this scholarship would help you or impact your ability to pay for law school, and any other information you deem relevant for the committee to consider.
- Optional – A statement of support from someone on your behalf of no more than one page in length.

Send to Hampden County Bar Association Colonel Archer B. Battista Veteran’s Scholarship Committee, 50 State Street, Room 137, PO Box 559, Springfield, MA 01102-0559. If you have any questions, please contact Noreen Nardi at (413) 732-4660 or email [admin@hctbar.org](mailto:admin@hctbar.org).

After the committee has reviewed the applications and reached a decision, you will be notified by mail. If you receive the scholarship, you will be required to provide proof of enrollment prior to release of funds, at a date no later than September 1st (for July applications) and January 1<sup>st</sup> (for November applications).