

# Association of Black Women Attorneys

**2020 RUTH WHITEHEAD WHALEY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Application deadline: **March 20, 2020**

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):

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Parental/Spousal Support | Year 1  | Year 2  | Year 3  | Other  |
| 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 ABWARWWApplication@gmail.com.

Please save it as a PDF document with last name and first name. (ex. 2020ABWAScholarshipJaneDoe) For questions, email ABWARWWApplication@gmail.com or call Kelechi Okengwu: (732) 668-5589

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