

THE CAPE MAY COUNTY BAR FOUNDATION
DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

The Cape May County Bar Foundation recognizes the power, impact, and value of diverse voices in our profession. To support the proliferation of these voices, the Diversity Scholarship will be given to New Jersey residents attending law school who can share with us how diversity, inclusion, and allyship have affected their lives, and how they plan to address these issues when they become members of this State's legal community.

Criteria for Award

1. Admission to an American Bar Association accredited law school.
2. Applicant must be resident of New Jersey.
3. Scholarship is for one semester only for the Spring of 2026.
4. Number of scholarships shall be in discretion of CMCBF.
5. Award based on essay, leadership potential, academic ability, interview, and financial need.
6. Scholarship awarded to qualified applicant, regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, national origin, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity or disability.
7. Application with essay must be submitted by or on December 1, 2025.

DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Section I - Personal Data

Full Name

Permanent Mailing Address

City/State/Zip

Telephone No. _____ Soc. Security # _____ DOB _____

Gender Pronouns _____ Email _____

Section II - Scholastic Information (Please include most recent law school transcript)

Law School _____ Graduation Date _____ GPA _____

College/University _____ Graduation Date _____ GPA _____

Honors and/or Awards

Extracurricular Activities

Other Scholarship(s) Applied for

Law School Expenses

Tuition \$ _____ Room \$ _____ Books/Supplies \$ _____

Financial Assistance

Family \$ _____ Loans \$ _____ Scholarship \$ _____

Section III - Personal Information (Please also include resume)

Memberships/Organizations

Community Activities

Section IV - Essay (Please attach answers to each question on separate pages)

1. How have the issues surrounding diversity, inclusion, and allyship personally affected you?
2. How will you affect issues surrounding diversity, inclusion, and allyship in New Jersey's legal community when you become an attorney?

Section IV - Certification of Applicant

The undersigned applicant hereby certifies that the information contained in this application is true and correct in all respects, that the applicant understands and agrees that any award of scholarship funds made pursuant to this application will be at the sole discretion of the Cape May County Bar Foundation Scholarship Committee, and that the receipt of any funds shall be contingent on the student's attendance at an ABA-accredited law school

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____

PLEASE NOTE:

1. All applications must be received on or by December 1, 2025.
2. The latest available law school transcript must be attached.
3. All applicants must be available for interview sometime December.
4. Essay answers must be attached for complete application.
5. Forward all applications and attachments via email to:

cmcba.ed@gmail.com with "Attn-Scholarship Committee" in subject line.
