

**UPPER LEVEL SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**
*to support students in their second or third year
of Law School*

To apply for scholarships, please submit:

1. A completed and signed Upper Level Scholarship Application.
2. A copy of your resume.
3. A personal statement (please see application form for details).
4. A copy of your most recent law school transcript.
5. Additionally, you must have a completed 2020-2021 FAFSA on file.

All documents must be submitted as one PDF file, via email to lawfinaid@hofstra.edu,
no later than 5:00pm on Friday, January 22, 2021.

If you are unable to scan your application to be saved as a PDF file, you can download the Adobe Scan app on your phone for free. This app takes pictures and converts them to PDF files. We cannot accept pictures of the pages; all applications must be submitted as a PDF attachment in an email.

Note: Please be advised that students receiving a full-tuition scholarship are ineligible to apply.

Personal Information

Hofstra Student ID: _____ Name: _____
Last First Middle

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ / _____ Program Enrollment: Full-Time Part-Time
Month Year

Local Street Address: _____

Preferred Telephone: cell home (____)____-____ Hofstra E-mail: _____

Current Residency: On Campus Off Campus With Parents/Relatives

Financial Information

Educational Indebtedness

Total Federal Loans Borrowed to Date \$ _____

Total Private Loans Borrowed to Date \$ _____

Total Loan Debt \$ _____

Resources

Hofstra Law Merit Scholarship \$ _____

Other Scholarship/Grant Assistance \$ _____

Total Resources \$ _____

Personal Statement

Please include a statement for each scholarship (no more than 1 page) describing how you meet the specific criteria and why you are deserving of the selected scholarship. You may include any information about your personal, academic or professional goals, career plans, or community involvement that you believe would assist the scholarship committee in evaluating your application.

Educational Background

College/University (<i>undergraduate</i>)	_____
Major	_____
Degree	_____
Graduation Date	_____
Post-Graduate Studies	_____
Major	_____
Degree or Certificate	_____
Date Received	_____

List any awards, honors, scholarships or special recognitions, including the year it was earned (NOT from Hofstra Law School):

List any honors, academic achievements or scholarships received while attending Hofstra Law School:

Law School G.P.A. _____ ****An unofficial transcript is acceptable*

List any extracurricular activities and affiliations:

Note: If you need additional space for any of the requested information, please attach an extra page

This is your cover page for submission

**PLEASE INDICATE THE SCHOLARSHIP(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING AND
INCLUDE A SEPARATE PERSONAL STATEMENT FOR EACH SCHOLARSHIP**

☐ JESSE R. BAKER MEMORIAL ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to an upper-level student(s) who has an interest in the field of housing rights or real estate law and/or has demonstrated service to a disadvantaged community during his or her time at Hofstra Law. Preference given to a student(s) with demonstrated financial need. Established by the law firm of Gutman, Mintz, Baker & Sonnenfeldt, P.C. and Beverly Baker '97, in memory of the firm's partner and Mrs. Baker's husband, Jesse R. Baker '79. *(Amount of Award: \$5,000)*

☐ LINDA CARMODY-ROBERTS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP IN TRUSTS & ESTATES/EDLER LAW

Awarded to a student pursuing a career in the area of trusts and estates, particularly in elder law. Established by George Roberts, in memory of his wife, Linda Carmody-Roberts, Class of 1974. *(Range of Award: \$5,000-\$6,000)*

☐ SARI M. FRIEDMAN '77, '80 ENDOWED LAW SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a deserving student(s) based on academic achievement and/or financial need, with preference given to a student with a concentration in family law. Established by Sari M. Friedman, Class of 1980. *(Range of Award: \$3,000-\$5,000)*

☐ THE HONORABLE FRANK A. GULOTTA ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP OF THE COLUMBIAN LAWYERS' ASSOCIATION OF NASSAU COUNTY, INC.

Awarded to an upper-level student who is a resident of Nassau County and has at least one parent of Italian ancestry. Established by the Columbian Lawyers' Association of Nassau County in recognition of the Honorable Frank A. Gulotta. *(Range of Award: \$5,000-\$10,000)*

☐ SIDNEY AND PEARL KALIKOW ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to an upper-level student who has demonstrated an outstanding academic achievement and financial need. Established by Edward Kalikow '78 in memory of his parents, Sidney and Pearl Kalikow. *(Range of Award: \$1,000-\$2,000)*

☐ JOSEPH M. RIZZO MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a deserving upper-level law student(s) who demonstrates academic achievement and an interest in pursuing a career in criminal law. Established by Jessica Zimmerman '04, the Rizzo family and friends in memory of Joseph M. Rizzo. *(Range of Award: \$1,000-\$2,000)*

☐ ROBERT AND MICHELLE WALLACH FAMILY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a deserving student studying Family Law selected based on academic achievement or potential and demonstrated financial need. Established by Michelle Wallach '94 and her husband Robert Wallach. *(Range of Award: \$1,000-\$2,000)*

Certification

All the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all applications are confidential and will only be used for evaluating eligibility. I hereby give the Scholarship Committee permission to request verification of provided information from any source necessary to determine my eligibility. I also acknowledge that it is my responsibility to submit a complete package to the Scholarship Committee and comply with all deadlines, and that a failure to do so may result in ineligibility.

In addition, I understand that should I receive an award, there is no guarantee of renewal. I must reapply and be re-evaluated for an award each year. I also hereby give the Scholarship Committee permission, if I am chosen as a scholarship recipient to use my name and/or likeness for promotional purposes.

I understand and agree that any scholarship I may receive is non-transferable and may only be used to cover the cost of tuition and fees connected with attending Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University. If for any reason, I withdraw from Hofstra Law or am otherwise no longer matriculated at Hofstra Law, I shall return any unused scholarship funds and shall have no claim to any undisbursed funds.

I hereby certify that I have read the application information and filled out the requested information as instructed and I understand and accept all conditions specified. I understand that falsification of information may result in automatic disqualification from this application process and eligibility in successive years, and/or in termination of any scholarship granted. All application materials become the property of the Scholarship Committee.

Name

Signature

Date