2024 Wiley Pre-Law Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Scholarship

Wiley is committed to creating a broad pipeline of talent that represents our goal of having a diverse, equitable, and inclusive workplace. Our Pre-Law DEI Scholarship, which provides financial assistance for LSAT preparation and law school expenses, is to be awarded to an individual who has demonstrated academic, leadership, and/or professional accomplishments and a commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Wiley will evaluate all scholarship applications and consider the following factors:

- Record of academic achievements, leadership, and/or professional accomplishments that will contribute to success in the legal profession.
- Engagement in efforts to promote diversity, equity, and inclusion goals within collegiate, professional or community settings.
- Ability to demonstrate resilience in the pursuit of personal and professional goals.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Scholarship award payments will be made as follows:

- Up to \$2,500 for one (1) LSAT preparation course and exam cost, and any fees associated with law school applications, after successful completion of six (6) months of employment with the firm as a paralegal and remaining in good standing status.
- \$10,000 in scholarship assistance, contingent upon successful completion of a minimum of two (2) years of employment with the firm as a paralegal and in good standing, and providing proof of enrollment in an ABA accredited J.D. program.

APPLICATION MATERIALS

To be considered for the scholarship, applicants must follow the steps below. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

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- Click <u>here</u> to view current openings.
- Submit an application for each of the following openings and upload the required documents:
 - Paralegal position (including resume, cover letter, and transcript)
 - 2024 Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Scholarship (personal statement)
- For the scholarship application, the personal statement (no more than 2 pages, doublespaced) should address one or more of the following:
 - your interest in pursuing a career in the legal profession; or
 - life experiences that shaped your values and commitment to advancing diversity, equity, and inclusion in the legal profession; or
 - any obstacles or challenges that you have overcome in pursuit of your goals.

Wiley is an Equal Opportunity Employer and welcomes applications for the Pre-Law Diversity Scholarship from all eligible applicants regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity/ gender expression, disability status, or any other characteristic protected by law.

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