

2018 Diversity Scholarship Application New York



This scholarship provides a \$5,000 monetary award for law school-related expenses and a guaranteed summer associate position in our 2018 Summer Associate Program after the scholarship recipient's first year of law school. The New York recipient will have the opportunity to work within our Corporate practice area in the Global Transportation Finance group.

To be eligible, you must be a first-year law student who is a student of color, LGBT, a person with a disability or a person whose background or experience would otherwise contribute to the diversity of Vedder Price and the legal profession. In accordance with the scholarship criteria, applicants for our New York position must be enrolled in one of the following law schools: American, Brooklyn, Cardozo, Columbia, Cornell, Fordham, George Washington, Georgetown, Howard, NYU or St. John's.

Applicants should know that all information provided in this application is subject to verification by Vedder Price. Information provided in connection with this application will be kept strictly confidential and will be used only for purposes related to your consideration for the Vedder Price scholarship. Once selected, the scholarship recipient's name and school may be published on our website, in our recruiting materials, in marketing materials and/or in press releases. Your signature on this application provides consent to such publication.

Applications will be accepted no earlier than December 1, 2017 and must be postmarked by January 31, 2018.

Our scholarship recipient will be notified by March 15, 2018.

Personal Information

Name:

Current Address:

Daytime Phone:

Evening Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email Address:

Education

	Name of Institution	Degree Awarded	Dates Attended	GPA
Undergraduate Institution(s):				
Graduate School(s), if applicable:				
Law School:				



Activities and Achievements

Please list any significant activities you have participated in and achievements you have accomplished dating from your undergraduate years to the present (please attach a separate sheet if needed).

	Activity/Achievement	Dates Involved	Description of Activity/Achievement
Undergraduate Institution(s):			
Graduate School(s), if applicable:			
Law School:			

References

Please list the names and contact information for your references (no more than three). At least one of your references must be a professor or instructor.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Employer/Institution: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

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Documents

Please attach the following documents to this application:

- Your resume;
- An official copy of your undergraduate transcript(s);
- An official copy of your graduate school transcript(s) (if applicable); and
- A personal statement, not exceeding two pages, which describes your talents, qualities and experiences and conveys how you would contribute to the diversity of Vedder Price and the legal profession, based upon your personal and academic background and experiences. In preparing your personal statement you are not required to disclose your gender, race, national origin, sexual orientation or the nature of any disability.

The scholarship recipient will be required to submit an official law school transcript.

Certification

☐ I certify that the information on this application and on all accompanying materials is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that misrepresentation of application information may result in the revocation of a scholarship and/or termination of any offer of employment.

Name: _____

Date: _____

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

To be considered for the scholarship, all required documents must be submitted in one complete package.

Partial applications will not be given consideration.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE EMAILED OR POSTMARKED BY JANUARY 31, 2018.

Please submit your complete application package, or direct any questions regarding your application, to:

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