

Sarasota County Bar Association

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Diversity Scholarship Fund



BOOKER HIGH SCHOOL



Booker Law Academy Scholarship - Application Form

Application Deadline: March 1, 2017



**COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION**

of Sarasota County

12/2016

The purpose of the Scholarship is to provide a graduating senior of underrepresented, minority background (e.g. race, color, religion, national origin, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, or physical disability) with scholastic financial support for attendance at a college or university for the year 2017. Applications will be open to graduating high school seniors who are candidates to complete Booker High School's Law Academy. The 2017-2018 Scholarship will be an educational award from \$1,000. up to \$5,000. Preference will be given to students who have consistently demonstrated (in an exemplary manner) the following traits:

- Involved and constantly making positive contributions
- Hard working
- Always striving to make him/herself better
- Accountable and dependable
- Cooperative and supportive
- Fair and principled

APPLICATION DATA

Please be sure to provide a copy of your most recent H.S. transcript and a copy of your 2017-2018 Student Aid Report

I. PRELIMINARY INFORMATION		
Applicant's Name _____		
Permanent Street Address _____		
City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Telephone Number _____	E Mail _____	
Date of Birth _____ <small style="text-align: center;">Month/Day/Year</small>		

II. SCHOOL INFORMATION	
Graduation Date: _____	Current GPA: _____
College/University Attending: _____	Anticipated Date of Enrollment: _____
I am a graduating high school senior and will be graduating from Booker High School's Law Academy: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

III. LAW ACADEMY ACTIVITIES - Please describe the law academy activities you participated in.		
Activity	Year	Description, Special Awards, or Leadership Roles

IV. ESSAY - <i>In no more than 250 words, please write a statement that explains your interest in law and how your diverse background would be a contribution to the legal community. Please type and attach to the application.</i>

V. CERTIFICATION	
_____ I am NOT a relative of any member of the Community Foundation Scholarship Advisory Committees, the Community Foundation of Sarasota County staff, Board of Directors, or the SCBAR Diversity Scholarship Committee Members.	
_____ The information contained in this application is true and correct and that I intended on completing Booker's Law Academy. I will inform the Community Foundation of any changes which might occur in this information.	
_____ By signing this application I authorize the Community Foundation to verify any information provided herein.	
Applicant's Signature _____	Date _____

CHECKLIST FOR COMPLETE APPLICATION

(Please make sure you have completed the following:)

- _____ Completed all pertinent areas of this application.
- _____ Enclosed essay of no more than 250 words.
- _____ Enclosed most recent high school transcript.
- _____ Supplied a copy of your 2017 -2018 Student Aid Report.
- _____ Signed the certification (V).

DEADLINE: 03/01/2017

If you have questions or need further information about this application please contact:

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Please return completed applications to:

The Community Foundation of Sarasota County
2635 Fruitville Rd
Sarasota, FL 34237

Please be careful to apply the CORRECT POSTAGE.
Failure to do so will result in your application being returned.
THANK YOU.