**SPOUSES OF HOUSTON BARRISTERS**

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**SCHOLARSHIPS**

**HISTORY:** Founded in 1957, the Spouses of Houston Barristers is a 501(c) 3

non-profit organization of attorneys' wives dedicated to enhancing the legal profession through educational, civic, Cultural, and social services to the community.

**PURPOSE:** To provide financial assistance to second & third year ethnic minority

law students attending South Texas College of Law, Thurgood Marshall School of Law at Texas Southern University, and The University of Houston Law Center**.**

**CRITERIA:**

* Applicant must be an **ethnic minority** and will be registered as a **second or third** year lawstudentfor the **2015** **fall semester**.
* Applicant must be a **US Citizen**.
* Applicant must submit the following by **Friday, July 10, 2015**:

 a. Scholarship application (attached)

 b. A letter from his or her college or university stating that he or she is a

 second or third year law student in good standing

 c. A sealed official transcript bearing the college or university seal indicating

a cumulative grade point average of **3.00** or above

 d. Applicant must be available for a face to face interview on **Saturday,**

 **August 1, 2015** if selected as a finalist

Please mail all documents to the following address by **July 10, 2015:**

**Spouses of Houston Barristers**

**Scholarship Committee**

**12035 Circle Drive East**

**Houston, Texas 77071**

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 **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

 **(2015-2016 Academic Year)**

**PART I. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name:

Mailing Address:

Permanent Address:

Phone No. (H):

Phone No. (C):

Marital Status:

No. of Children/Dependents:

Name and occupation of spouse:

**PART II. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION**

Name of Law School:

Number of hours successfully completed:

Anticipated graduation date:

Grade point average:

Extracurricular Activities: (Please list any offices held and semester[s] involved)

**PART III. WORK EXPERIENCE**

Please list your work experience. (Or attach a resume)

Dates Employer Job Title

**PART IV. FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

1. Financial Resources for the 2015 - 2016 Academic Year

Current Salary:

 Anticipated aid from spouse or family:

 Scholarships received for the year:

 Grants or other financial aid for the year:

 Savings available:

 B. Anticipated expenses for the year

 Anticipated cost of tuition:

 Anticipated cost of books, supplies, etc:

 Other anticipated costs (specify):

**PART V. COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

Please list any community activities and/or organizations and the nature of your involvement.

**PART VI. PERSONAL STATEMENT**

Please tell us why you went to law school, how you plan to use your law degree, and why you feel you deserve this scholarship.

(You may type your statement on a separate page and attach if you prefer)