



2016-2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please complete the questions below. Information about the Scholarship Program is available at: http://www.americanbar.org/groups/public_contract_law/awards.html under "Awards."

1. Background Information:

Name: _____

Firm/Company/Agency: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Area(s) of Practice: _____

Percentage of your practice that involves public contract law: _____

Do you qualify as an ABA "young lawyer" (that is, a lawyer under the age of 36, or who has been admitted to practice for less than 5 years)? Yes No

How long have you been admitted to practice law? _____

Racial/Ethnic background (response is optional): _____

Gender: Male Female Other or decline to state

2. Are you an ABA member? Yes (ABA I.D. # _____) No

If yes, how long have you been an ABA member? _____

3. Are you a Section of Public Contract Law Member? Yes No

If yes, how long have you been a Section member? _____

8. Please identify no more than three substantive Committees (not subcommittees) that are directly relevant to your current practice of law, and/or in which you would be interested in participating. If you are currently participating in any Committee, please identify the Committee and describe your participation.

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9. Please identify any other contributions to further the purposes and diversity of the Section that you propose to make that are not otherwise addressed in this application.

10. Please attach a current curriculum vitae that details your educational background, work history, bar and community activities. In addition, you may list up to 3 references and their contact information.

11. If you are awarded a Scholarship, you are committing to be a member of the ABA and the Section of Public Contract Law throughout the period of your Scholarship. The Section will consider subsidizing membership dues if a Scholarship recipient has financial limitations that would make this requirement problematic.

Please initial here to indicate your understanding and assent: _____

12. If you are awarded a Scholarship, you are committing to make every effort to attend the Annual, Fall, (Winter) Federal Procurement Institute, and (Spring) State and Local Procurement Symposium Council meetings and educational programs.

Please initial here to indicate your understanding and assent: _____

13. You are responsible for verifying with your employer your eligibility to participate in the Scholarship program, including your eligibility to take the necessary time to attend the programs and meetings and to receive reimbursement from the Section.

Please initial here to indicate that you have verified your eligibility to participate: _____

14. Please indicate below how you learned about the Scholarship Program (*i.e.*, via member of the Section of Public Contract Law, via an advertisement, an e-mail notice, etc.)

- To be eligible for consideration, applications must be received **not later than Wednesday, June 15, 2016.** Please submit your application by e-mail, to:

Patricia A. Brennan
Director, Section of Public Contract Law
e-mail: **Patty.Brennan@americanbar.org**

- The Scholarship Recipient will be notified of his/her appointment in August 2016, following the ABA Annual Meeting.