



**THE LOS ANGELES
ITALIAN AMERICAN LAWYERS ASSOCIATION
PROUDLY OFFERS ITS**

**\$3,000.00
ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP.**

**THE WINNER WILL BE HONORED AT OUR DECEMBER
MEETING WITH THE *CALIFORNIA SUPREME COURT*.**

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED
(NOT POSTMARKED) BY OCTOBER 31, 2018.**

For further details or to obtain an application, please:

1. Contact your financial aid advisor, or
2. Download an application at www.iala.info, or
3. Contact us at:

IALA Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 712057, Los Angeles, CA 90071,
Telephone: (323) 546-4911, E-Mail: IALA_Scholarship@att.net.

Founded in 1977, the Los Angeles Italian American Lawyers Association (IALA) fosters friendship and networking among lawyers and judges interested in Italian-American heritage and affairs, provides Bar-certified continuing education, and participates in civic and community activities to improve legal practice and ensure the proper administration of justice.

IALA meets at Casa Italiana, at 1051 North Broadway, on the third Wednesday of each month. Known for outstanding speakers and *authentic Italian meals*, IALA meetings are fun and informative. IALA members celebrate being together and Italian, and those who aren't Italian celebrate with us!!!

Our annual events include *California Supreme Court Night*, featuring the Chief and Associate Justices, *Gaelic and Garlic Night*, held with the Irish American Bar Association, and *East-West Night*, held with Los Angeles-area Asian bar associations. Check us out at www.iala.info!!!

LOS ANGELES ITALIAN AMERICAN LAWYERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Date:

How did you hear about this scholarship? (Check one)

Your Law School IALA Website IALA Meeting
Word of Mouth Other: _____

Eligibility, Selection, and Award

Applicants must be enrolled at least part-time in a law school accredited by the American Bar Association or the California Committee of Bar Examiners in a program leading to a J.D. or post-J.D. degree.

IALA awards its scholarship based on (1) academic achievement, (2) financial need, and (3) potential contribution to the *Los Angeles* Italian-American community. Applicants need not be Italian-American. All information received will be verified to the extent possible, e.g., with the law school registrar. Applicants might be asked to attend an interview.

One scholarship award of three thousand dollars will be made based upon the quality of applications received and interviews, if held. The winner will be honored at IALA's December membership meeting with the California Supreme Court.

Instructions

Please answer all questions as completely as possible. In the event the space given in this application is insufficient for a response, please continue on a separate sheet of paper. Applicants can submit either the Word or .pdf version of this application typed or handwritten (in black or blue ink). Please note the answer boxes in the Word version will expand when typed in while the .pdf version is static and not fillable. If unable to provide an official transcript, please explain why and provide an unofficial transcript, or if unable to do so, provide class and grade information. When providing grade point averages, please indicate if based on other than a 4.0 scale.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE BY 6:00 P.M. PACIFIC TIME ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2018, BY MAIL, E-MAIL, OR OTHER PRE-PAID DELIVERY METHOD.

APPLICATIONS POSTMARKED OR PROVIDED TO A DELIVERY SERVICE PRIOR TO THIS DEADLINE, BUT RECEIVED *AFTER* THIS DEADLINE WILL *NOT* BE CONSIDERED.

When completed, please send your application to:

IALA Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 712057
Los Angeles, CA 90071

OR

E-Mail:
IALA_Scholarship@att.net.

Applicants who wish to submit by messenger should contact the Committee for instructions.

A. Name, Birthdate, and Contact Information

1. Name and Birth Information

TITLE	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SUFFIX
BIRTHDATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)		BIRTHPLACE		

2. Permanent and Current Contact Information

CURRENT NUMBER, STREET & APT. OR UNIT		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
PERMANENT NUMBER, STREET & APT. OR UNIT		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
DAY PHONE	EVENING PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS	

a. For a non-U.S. permanent address, please indicate:

SUB-DIVISION, E.G., PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE(S)	COUNTRY

3. Please provide contact information for a person who will always know your current contact information.

TITLE	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SUFFIX
NUMBER, STREET & APT. OR UNIT		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE	
DAY PHONE	EVENING PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS		

a. For a non-U.S. address, please indicate:

SUB-DIVISION, E.G., PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE(S)	COUNTRY

B. Academic Achievement

1. High School Information

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
YEAR GRADUATED	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK	

2. Post-Secondary Institutions Attended Other than Law School

a. For each institution attended after high school but prior to or concurrently with law school, please provide the following information. Please list institutions from oldest to newest by enrollment date. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
YEAR ENROLLED	YEAR GRADUATED	DEGREE	HONORS, E.G., CUM LAUDE
MAJOR	MINOR	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
YEAR ENROLLED	YEAR GRADUATED	DEGREE	HONORS, E.G., CUM LAUDE
MAJOR	MINOR	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET		CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
YEAR ENROLLED	YEAR GRADUATED	DEGREE	HONORS, E.G., CUM LAUDE
MAJOR	MINOR	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK

b. For each institution attended after high school but prior to or concurrently with law school, please attach an official transcript.

c. For each institution attended after high school but prior to or concurrently with law school, please identify and describe any extracurricular activities you were involved in. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

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d. For each institution attended after high school but prior to or concurrently with law school, please identify and describe any scholarships or fellowships received and state the name, awarding entity, dates, amounts, and other benefits. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

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e. For each institution attended after high school but prior to or concurrently with law school, please identify any academic honors, awards, or membership appointments received. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

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3. Law School Information

a. Please provide the following information for each law school attended from oldest to newest by enrollment date as follows:

Non-transfer-student J.D. candidates, please fill out only the first set of answer boxes.

Transfer students, please fill out both sets of answer boxes. In the first set, please provide your grade point average and rank at the time of transfer. In the second set, please indicate your transfer status as “yes.”

Post-J.D. candidates, please fill out the first set of answer boxes for the law school where you received your J.D., and fill out the second set of answer boxes for the law school where you are seeking your post-J.D. degree even if both schools are the same.

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
YEAR ENROLLED	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK	
<i>POST-J.D. CANDIDATES ONLY:</i>			
<i>YEAR GRADUATED</i>	<i>DEGREE</i>	<i>HONORS, E.G., CUM LAUDE</i>	

NAME:			
NUMBER & STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
YEAR ENROLLED	CUM. G.P.A.	RANK	
<i>POST-J.D. CANDIDATES ONLY:</i>			
<i>YEAR GRADUATED</i>	<i>DEGREE</i>	<i>HONORS, E.G., CUM LAUDE</i>	

b. For your current law school only, please provide the following information:

i. Program Type (Current Semester/Qtr.): DAY NIGHT

ii. Year in Law School: FIRST SECOND THIRD FOURTH

iii. Anticipated Graduation Date: /
MONTH YEAR

c. For each law school attended, please attach an official transcript. If you have classes for which you know your grades but they are not yet on your official transcript, please provide an unofficial transcript, or if you cannot, then fill out the following table from oldest class to newest class. (Please indicate grades in letter format, e.g., A, B+, B-, et seq., if possible, otherwise as numbers and provide the grade scale, e.g., 4.0.)

Quarter/Semester and Year	Class Name	Credits	Grade
Grade Scale If Providing Numbers:			

d. For each law school attended, please identify and describe any extracurricular activities you are or have been involved in. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

e. For each law school attended, please identify and describe any scholarships or fellowships received or to be received and state the name, awarding entity, dates, amounts, and other benefits. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

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f. For each law school attended, please identify any academic honors, awards, or memberships appointments received or to be received. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

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C. Financial Need

1. Household

a. **Marital status:** SINGLE, NEVER MARRIED MARRIED DIVORCED/SEPARATED

b. **Current Spouse's Name:**

TITLE	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SUFFIX

c. **Spouse's Occupation:**

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d. **Number of Children:**

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Ages:

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2. Employment.

a. **If presently employed, please provide the following information regarding:**

i. Your Employer.

NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER

NUMBER, STREET & SUITE	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE

ii. Your Immediate Supervisor.

TITLE	FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SUFFIX

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PHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS

iii. Your Employment.

A. Title:

B. Average number of hours worked per week:

C. Average gross monthly income: \$

D. Duties or Job Description (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.):

b. Professional Licenses or Memberships. Please identify any professional licenses held (including issuing entity, license type and number, and effective dates) or memberships had (including the organization name, dates of membership, and any committee, officer, or board positions held) since high school. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

D. Potential Contribution to the Los Angeles Italian-American Community

1. In what locale do you intend to practice law?

2. What should be the purpose and goals of the Los Angeles Italian American Lawyers Association? (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

3. If you are Italian-American, how do you see yourself as an Italian American? (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

4. State the reasons you should be awarded the scholarship. (The answer box will expand as you type in Word version.)

E. Certification and Signature

I hereby certify that all of my statements and answers set forth in this application are true and correct.

SIGNATURE

DATE

(Please complete the Authorizations on the following page.)

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

I authorize the Scholarship Committee of the Italian American Lawyers Association to obtain my transcripts for any educational institution identified in this application or to contact any educational institution identified in this application to confirm any information provided in this application regarding that institution or my attendance, enrollment, or performance at that institution.

SIGNATURE

DATE

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

I authorize the Scholarship Committee of the Italian American Lawyers Association to contact or obtain information from my employer to confirm the information provided in this application regarding my employment.

SIGNATURE

DATE