

American Association of Law Libraries Scholarship Application

Scholarship you are applying for:

Please check this box if you would like to be considered for the George A. Strait Minority Scholarship

Applications for Scholarships will be accepted at the Offices of the American Association of Law Libraries on or before April 1st. Recipients of our Scholarships will be announced in May and the awarded amounts will be disbursed in June. Early submission of the application packet should make it possible to verify that the file is complete well before the deadline.

Incomplete and or late applications will not be considered. The application packet must include:

- A transcript (official or student copy) from the institution which granted your most recent degree.
- A letter from the Admissions Officer of the law school and/or the library school, stating the program for which you have been accepted and the date the courses begin or, if you have already begun pursuing your degree, a transcript (official or student copy) showing that you are a degree candidate in good standing.
- Three letters of recommendation. Select persons who have knowledge of your abilities and who can evaluate and comment upon your law library employment experience.
- A personal statement in which you discuss your interest in law librarianship, reason(s) for applying for this scholarship, career goals as a law librarian, and any other pertinent information you would like the Scholarships Committee to know about you.
- A personal statement in which you include any financial information you feel the committee could use in determining your financial need.
- A current resume.

APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST:

Name:

AALL Member Id Number (if known):

- Completed Application
- Transcript (official or student copy)- most recent degree
- Admission letter regarding student status and/or Law School or Library School
- Transcript (official or student copy)
- Personal Statement of Interest
- Personal Statement of Financial Need
- Current Resume
- Letters of Recommendation- Please list names:

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TO HELP ENSURE THAT THE APPLICANT'S FILE IS COMPLETE BY THE DEADLINE, ALL DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN ONE PACKAGE IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. IF COMPLETED BY HAND PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. ALL ANSWERS WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.

Before filling out this application, read all the questions carefully. This application can be sent via e-mail by clicking on the "submit by e-mail" button and any attachments can be e-mailed to scholarships@aall.org or can be mailed to the address given at the end of this application. Once all required materials are received a conformation e-mail will be sent from HQ and your application will be considered by our scholarships committee.

First Name Last Name Middle Name

Present Home Address

City State Zip

Permanent Address

City State Zip

Country of Citizenship

E-mail Address Phone

George A. Strait Minority Scholarship Applicants Only:

Member of Minority Group

(For purposes of considering applicants for the Strait Minority Stipend, the AALL definition of 'minority' includes males and females in the following groups --African Americans, Aleuts, Asian Americans, Eskimos, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, and Pacific Islander Americans. --Approved by the AALL Executive Board, November 1995.)

Education Beyond High School

List schools, colleges and universities attended, giving name and location of each, inclusive dates attended, major course of study, degree and date awarded for each.

School Name <input type="text"/>	Dates Attended <input type="text"/>
Address <input type="text"/>	City <input type="text"/> State <input type="text"/>
Major <input type="text"/>	
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Professional Activities

1. Are you a member of the American Association of Law Libraries (AALL)?
2. If yes, when did you join?
3. Have you ever served as an officer, chaired a committee, or been a member of an AALL committee?
4. If yes, specify which office, position, or committee and the year.
5. Have you ever attended an AALL Annual Meeting?
6. If yes, list year(s)?
7. Are you a member of one or more AALL Special Interest Sections?
8. If yes, which Special Interest Section(s) and when did you join?
9. Have you ever served as an officer, chaired a committee, or been a member of an SIS committee?
10. If yes, specify which office, position, or committee and the year.
11. Are you a member of an AALL chapter?
12. If yes, what chapter and when did you join?
13. Have you ever served as an officer, chaired a committee, or been a member of a chapter committee?
14. If yes, specify which office, position, or committee and the year.
15. Have you ever attended an AALL chapter meeting?
16. If yes, which one(s) and list dates

17. Are you a member of any of the following organizations? Check all that apply and give the date joined.

- American Library Association Date Joined:
- Special Library Association Date Joined:
- American Society for Information Science Date Joined:
- Other Library Association Date Joined:
- State Bar Association Date Joined:

18. Have you ever attended a meeting of another national, regional, or state library association?

If yes, list association and dates

Financial Status

19. What are your tuition costs for the academic school year?

Specify name of school you attend or will attend

20. Have you ever applied for an AALL scholarship?

21. Have you ever received an AALL Scholarship?

(Priority consideration will be given to qualified applicants who have not received an AALL scholarship in the past.)

22. If yes, how much was the scholarship and when did you receive it?

Amount Date Received

23. Have you ever applied for an AALL chapter scholarship?

24. Have you ever received an AALL chapter scholarship?

25. If yes, how much was the scholarship and when did you receive it?

Amount Date Received

26. Will it be possible for you to attend school if you do not receive aid?

Employment

Please list your current position first. Then list all other significant /relevant positions with the most recent first. Give as complete a record of employment as possible.

27. Present Position

Employer

Employer Address

City State Phone Number

Start Date Position Title

Name of Supervisor

Supervisor's Title

Describe Primary Responsibilities

28. Past Position

Employer

Employer Address

City State Phone Number

Start Date End Date

Position Title

Name of Supervisor

Supervisor's Title

Describe Primary Responsibilities

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Employer

Employer Address

City State Phone Number

Start Date End Date

Position Title

Name of Supervisor

Supervisor's Title

Describe Primary Responsibilities

Certification and Other Information

30. Where did you learn about the American Association of Law Libraries Scholarship program?

<input type="checkbox"/> AALLNET	<input type="checkbox"/> AALL Spectrum
<input type="checkbox"/> AALL Directory	<input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Newsletter
<input type="checkbox"/> AALL member	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> AALL publication on scholarships	<input type="text"/>

By checking this box I attest the answers given on this scholarship application are accurate and complete.

Today's Date

** Applicant will receive notification via e-mail from AALL HQ once all material are received*

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RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

Chair, Scholarships Committee
American Association of Law Libraries
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Chicago, Illinois 60603
scholarships@aall.org