

Yukon Law Foundation

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Information for Applicants Yukon Law Foundation Scholarship Application for Students

The Yukon Law Foundation provides approximately \$15,000 annually for scholarships for Yukon students attending law or law related studies. Disbursement of scholarships is dependent on the applications received.

The criteria for such scholarships are:

- 1) Academic achievement;
- 2) Residency;
- 3) Community involvement; and,
- 4) Financial need.

If you meet these requirements, a scholarship may be paid directly to you or the institution you will be attending. Failure to include any of the required documentation or information may result in the immediate dismissal of your application.

Please contact the Law Foundation Office at 867-667-7500 to obtain an application form or to obtain the deadline date for the current year. The application form is also available on our website at www.yukonlawfoundation.com.

The deadline to submit your scholarship application is August 31 annually. Applications can be submitted by mail to Box 31789, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 6L3 or dropped off at #202-302 Steel Street, Whitehorse, Yukon. (The Law Foundation has a mailbox at the Law Society of the Yukon office).

Please provide **SIX COPIES OF YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION ALONG WITH THE ORIGINAL**. If possible, please also e-mail an electronic copy to execdir@yukonlawfoundation.com Your application must include all the required information, attachments, letters of reference, etc. If documents are missing from your application, you will not be contacted and your application will not be submitted to the Board for consideration.

PLEASE NOTE: Commencing September 2006, the Yukon Law Foundation Board requires students who are awarded scholarships to sign a Return and Repayment Agreement (Letter of Understanding). This agreement requires students who do not return to the Yukon to work for at least a two-year period to repay the scholarship money issued to them.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION YUKON LAW FOUNDATION

Personal Data

1. Name: _____
2. Full permanent mailing address: _____

3. Full mailing address as of September school year: _____

4. For what period have you lived in the Yukon: _____

5. Telephone: (Yukon #) _____ (At School) _____
6. E-mail Address: _____

Academic Background

1. Post secondary institute attending/accepted to attend and faculty (attach letter from institution that states the exact program into which you are accepted).

2. Complete mailing address of institution you are attending:

3. Diploma/Degree you are seeking: _____

Month & Year you intend to complete your degree: _____

4. Academic standing (attach copies of previous years' transcripts – if applicable):

5. Two letters of recommendation (please attach) (ie: if you were on the Dean's List, letters from teachers (high school/college) etc):

6. Community Involvement: _____

7. Please tell us what outstanding academic performance/community involvement qualifies you for this scholarship (if necessary you may attach a separate sheet to this application):

8. Please provide the names and contact information for two references:

9. What other grants, scholarships, funding have you applied for:

10. What are your anticipated expenses for the upcoming year (i.e. tuition, living expenses, and books)? Please provide a detailed breakdown:

Tuition: _____ Living Expenses: _____

Books: _____ Other Expenses: _____

Total Anticipated Yearly Expenses: _____

How will you be financing your schooling (provide a detailed breakdown)?

If you have applied to other organizations for funding, please list the organizations, what you have been awarded and the amounts (detailed breakdown).

11. Do you plan to return to the Yukon to pursue a career upon completion of your schooling? Please provide details of your plans.

Signature

Date

CHECKLIST

- Have you attached a letter from the Institute you will be attending that verifies the Course you are enrolled in?
- Have you attached your previous years' transcripts?
- Have you attached two letters of recommendation?
- Have you answered ***all*** the questions completely and accurately?
- Have you provided us with a total of 7 hard copies of your application (1 original and 6 copies), and an electronic copy by e-mail to execdir@yukonlawfoundation.com?