



2012 BWEL LAW STUDENT GRANT APPLICATION

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I. Instructions

Qualifications: You must be a woman of color enrolled in law school on a full-time or part-time basis, have completed at least one (1) full year of law school and have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 and be in good academic standing at the time of the application (no form of probation).

II. General Information

Last Name:	First Name:	MI:
Street:	Suite/Floor:	
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Phone:	Fax:	
Mobile:	E-Mail:	

III. Education

Name of College(s):	Date(s) attended:
Name of Law School(s):	Date(s) attended:
Anticipated Date of Graduation:	

IV. Please list all sources of income (i.e. loans, work, grants)

Source:	Amount \$
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V. Entertainment Law courses, please list:

Course:	School:	Semester/Year:
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VI. Entertainment Law seminars, please list:

Sponsoring Organization:	Session title:	Date:
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

By submitting this entry, I hereby:

1. Warrant and represent that I meet all of the eligibility requirements set forth herein;
2. Warrant and represent that the submitted work or information does not and shall not infringe on any copyright, any rights of privacy or publicity of any person, or any other right of any third party, and the entrants the right to grant any and all rights and licenses granted to the contest sponsors herein, including but not limited to, all necessary rights under copyright, free and clear of any claims or encumbrances; and
3. Grant permission to BWEL to release my name to sponsors, newspapers, on the BWEL website and other media outlets for informational purposes and to promote BWEL's scholarship & grant program.

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Student's Signature:

Date:

QUESTION:

Stop Online Piracy Act (SOPA) is a U.S bill introduced to expand the ability of law enforcement to fight against copyright infringement. For purpose of this essay, assume SOPA has just been passed by Congress and is now being challenged before the Supreme Court. IN 2000 WORDS OR LESS, write a brief to the court on the following:

- 1.) Would SOPA survive judicial review under the First Amendment?
- 2.) Advocate on behalf of a particular party (i.e. internet service provider, Hollywood studio or network, record label, artist, actor, etc.);
- 3.) How does passage of the bill affect your particular industry?

IN 2000 WORDS OR LESS, support your position with case law and examples. Essays will be judged on: (1) analysis of the issue (2) depth of research (3) organization and (4) ability to answer the question clearly.

PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING WITH YOUR APPLICATION AND ESSAY: An official copy of your law school transcript and a copy of your resume. **BWEL must receive all application materials, along with an official copy of your law school transcript by April 9, 2012. Your application will not be deemed complete until BWEL receives all required information.** BWEL is not responsible for lost, delayed, misdirected or incomplete applications, computer or transmission failures.

Return this application to BWEL, along with ALL application materials by mail*, no later than April 9, 2012 to:

**BWEL
1841 Broadway, Suite 715
New York, NY 10023
Attn: Angela M. Rogers, Esq.**

*Application materials are only accepted by mail. Hand delivered applications will NOT be accepted.

If you have any additional information, please attach it to the application.