

SINCE ITS INCEPTION IN 1984, THE BATON ROUGE PARALEGAL ASSOCIATION HAS CELEBRATED A NUMBER OF SUCCESSES.

Baton Rouge Paralegal Association Scholarship Application



From the creation and funding of general and minority scholarship programs to the operation of a job bank for members in conjunction with the LSU Paralegal Studies Program, the BRPA continues to demonstrate commitment to the future of its members.

BRPA is currently working with members of the Baton Rouge Bar Association to develop an associate membership category for local qualified Paralegals. Furthermore, the BRPA seeks to:

- **Promote** the paralegal profession in Baton Rouge and Louisiana;
- **Provide** a forum for the discussion of problems encountered in the paralegal profession in Louisiana and explore ways of helping members improve employer-employee relations;
- **Define** and establish ethical standards of conduct for its members and encourage voluntary adherence to such standards;
- **Encourage** the continuing legal education of its members and others in the legal community;

BRPA currently enjoys a membership of over 70 active paralegals. We invite everyone who qualifies under any membership category to join our association and become a part of the growth and development of an exciting new career.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Semester of Application: _____

Course applying for:

Ethics Seminar (Spring Semester)

Core Course (Fall Semester)

1. List all professional organizations to which you belong.

2. Are you presently enrolled in the Paralegal Studies Program? If so, list courses completed and the respective grades received. (If you need additional space please add a page.)

3. What is your Grade Point Average (GPA)? _____ (GPA must be 2.5 or better)

4. Household income (include income of applicant and spouse.)

5. If you will be receiving financial aid other than your income, please list amount of aid and length of time you will receive it.



GENERAL AWARD GUIDELINES

1. Awards are made based on financial need and GPA and employment potential as recognized from the application and attachments.
2. No more than two awards will be made to the same student.
3. Deadline for the application is the open registration day for the semester. Awards are presented after registration.
4. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
5. If no applicants are considered qualified, no award will be given.

Completed application and attachments should be mailed prior to deadline to:

**Scholarship Committee,
Baton Rouge Paralegal Association
P.O. Box 306
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-0306**



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Scholarship Application

Please attach a copy of your current resume to this application. The resume should be no more than two pages and should include your educational background. Also include a one page essay on why you want to pursue a paralegal career, and a one page essay explaining why you need this scholarship.