**Association of Corporate Counsel, Kentucky Chapter**

**2019 Scholarship Awards**

**Goals:**

To promote:

1. Interest in in-house counsel practice by awarding $1,000 scholarships to students at each of Kentucky’s law schools; and
2. Recognition of each student’s work by members of the Association of Corporate Counsel, Kentucky Chapter at the 2019 Awards Reception.

**Program:**

The ACC KY Chapter is holding its Annual Corporate Counsel Summit on November 7, 2019 in Louisville, KY. The program will include a CLE presentation followed by the annual awards. In conjunction with the Summit, the Chapter will award $1,000 scholarships to students at each of Kentucky’s three law schools, University of Kentucky, University of Louisville, and Northern Kentucky University.

**Criteria:**

The scholarship is available for one 2L or 3L (includes 4L students in a four year program) student at each school. The candidate may be pre-selected by the school. The nominated candidate will submit an application for the scholarship on the form attached. We request that the school consider the following in selecting a candidate:

1. Interest in the discipline of in-house counsel and qualifications for the award contained in a brief statement by the candidate about interest in in-house practice;
2. Rank in the top 25% of her or his law school class; and
3. Record of public service and work experience.

**Selection**

The nominations will be reviewed by a committee of the ACC KY Chapter. The Committee will either approve the schools nominee or, if there are multiple nominees from a single school, select the awardee.

**Award:**

The recipient and a representative of the school are invited to attend the Awards Program and Reception at no expense, including reimbursement for mileage. The recipients may be asked to give a short talk (3 minutes maximum) on their interest in corporate counsel work. We recognize this is in the middle of the academic year, and if the student is not able to attend, we hope that the school can still send a representative to receive the award on the student’s behalf.

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**Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Scholarship Awards Application**

The discipline of in-house counsel is not restricted to traditional business corporations but includes all types of organizations including not for profit charitable or educational entities, partnerships, and government agencies. In-house counsel represent their clients as employees or in-house contractors.

1. Please attach the candidate’s current resume and a brief statement from the candidate concerning the following:  
   1. Why I am interested in practice as an in-house counsel; and
   2. Why I should receive the scholarship award.
2. Provide a statement from your law school as to the candidate’s class standing and GPA at the end of the most recently completed semester.

Class rank: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The candidate’s signed agreement to the following.

I understand the criteria for the Award and agree to abide by the decision of the ACC KY Chapter. I will attend the Awards ceremony if possible given my school and work schedules at the time.

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