

**DUPAGE ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN LAWYERS  
JUDGE HELEN C. KINNEY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

All first, second and third year women law students, with a DuPage County connection, enrolled in an accredited law school in Illinois are eligible for the Judge Helen C. Kinney Scholarship. The Foundation anticipates awarding scholarships of at least \$500 to one or more recipients each year. Applications are accepted January 1<sup>st</sup> through March 23<sup>rd</sup> and scholarships will be awarded during our Annual Meeting in May or June.

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

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Employer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Position:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Place of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Law School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Year Began:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Expected Graduation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cumulative GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduate School (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree and Year:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cumulative GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Undergraduate School (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree and Year:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cumulative GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Connection to DuPage County:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Connection to DuPage Association of Women Lawyers (not required to receive Scholarship):**

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**Detail your financial need for the Scholarship:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Activities/Honors/Community Service:** Please list any publications, academic awards, honors, scholarships and/or extra-curricular activities, community service (volunteer work, etc.), including your involvement in women's issues, from the time of your undergraduate education to the present. You may attach a resume if you wish.

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**Essay:** Persuasive writing is a key legal skill. Please submit an essay (**not to exceed two pages, double spaced**) in which you persuade the Committee that your life experience, scholarship, community service, or future ambitions make you an outstanding candidate for a Judge Helen C. Kinney Scholarship. You may include in your essay a discussion of what you consider an important issue affecting women today in law and society and what you hope to contribute towards resolving that issue or otherwise improving the status of women.

**Transcript:** Please submit a certified copy of your law school transcript (including the most recent completed semester).

**Certification:** I hereby certify that I wish to receive the Judge Helen Kinney Scholarship, that I will use the scholarship for my law school expenses, and that the information contained in this application is true.

**Signature:**\_\_\_\_\_ **Date:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Please forward this completed application and attachments to:**

**DuPage Association of Women Lawyers  
Judge Helen C. Kinney Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 338  
Wheaton, Illinois 60187**

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**Applications must be post marked no later than March 23<sup>rd</sup> to be eligible. Candidates will be reviewed and voted upon by the Officers and Board of Directors of the DuPage Association of Women Lawyers. All applicants will be contacted no later than May 15<sup>th</sup> to be notified of the Board's decision. Final scholarship recipients will be notified of the details of the scholarship by May 15<sup>th</sup> and will be invited to attend our Annual Meeting in May or June when the scholarship will be presented.**

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