



THE BARBRI® SCHOLARSHIP

A Collaborative Project Between the
Ben F. Jones Bar Association
and the
Black Law Students Association
of the Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law



The Ben F. Jones Chapter of the National Bar Association is proud to announce the BarBri® Scholarship program! We look forward to developing a close and lasting relationship with our local law students to assist them in their matriculation through law school, ensure their readiness to enter the legal profession, and equip them with the tools to be self-sustaining leaders of the bar.

What BLSA Members give:

- A two (2) year commitment to provide approximately five (5) hours per week of clerical and administrative assistance to the Ben F. Jones Chapter of the National Bar Association
- A positive attitude and willingness to support the goals and initiatives of the Ben F. Jones Chapter
- A direct link between the local black lawyers and the local black law students

What BLSA Members get in return:

- Two years of networking and developing close professional relationships with local attorneys, judges, and other legal professionals of all races, ages, backgrounds, and experience levels
- Early exposure to the court system and the judicial and legislative process
- Two years of free admission to all Ben F. Jones events
- Full paid tuition for one BarBri® course in the state of your choice (at the end of the student's two-year commitment)

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be a current, active member of BLSA as confirmed by the BLSA president
- 2L or 3L status at the time of service
- Computer literacy and word processing skills
- Internet search skills and email proficiency
- Exceptional communication skills – both written and verbal
- A positive attitude and pleasant disposition is absolutely critical!
- This scholarship is not based on academic record; however, students who are struggling with their studies are ill-advised to take on this commitment

For more information, visit our website: www.benfjones.org

Application Deadline: Friday, October 3rd

**ALL BLSA MEMBERS
PLEASE APPLY TODAY!!!**

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Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

I am currently a:

- ☐ First Year Student (1L)
☐ Second Year Student (2L)
☐ Third Year Student (3L)

Are you now enrolled at the
Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you a member of BLSA?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you current on your BLSA dues?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What is your current GPA? _____ Do you have a car? _____

Please give us an idea of your **computer literacy** (out of respect for one of the foundational tenets of the legal profession, please be HONEST – none of these are determinative requirements):

	No Familiarity	Minimal Familiarity	Somewhat Proficient	Very Proficient
Microsoft Word	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Microsoft Excel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adobe Photoshop	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Microsoft FrontPage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
HTML code (or other scripts)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Microsoft PowerPoint	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Internet / Email / Web Research	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Website Design	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Graphic Design (fliers / notices / ads)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please **rate your abilities** in the following areas (again, please be HONEST):

	I often struggle	I'm OK I guess	I'm usually pretty good	No doubt, I'm excellent
Original Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Customer Service / Dealing with people	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keeping a positive attitude	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teamwork / working with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Listening and following instructions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Following up and following through	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Programming / Event planning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maintaining confidence in yourself	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

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Why do you wish to participate in this program?

What's the most important thing you believe you could offer to the Ben F. Jones Chapter?

What's the most important thing you believe the Ben F. Jones Chapter could offer to you?

Signature

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2008

Thank you for applying! Please submit your completed application to:

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