



# **The Hispanic Bar Association of Orange County 2008 Summer Externship Scholarship**

This fund is sponsored by the Hispanic Bar Association and awards scholarships to Orange County Latino law students. The Fund was named in memory of Wally Davis, one of the first Latino attorneys in Orange County who fought for the civil rights of all Latinos.

## **Applications Now Being Accepted**

Eligible students must be of Latino origin and involved in the Latino community. Student must extern at a legally related, Orange County based public interest non-profit organization (i.e. Public Law Center, Legal Aid, ACLU, etc.). Priority will be given to students with significant ties to Orange County.

**Scholarship Award \$1,750**

For more information visit: [www.ochba.org](http://www.ochba.org)  
or e-mail: [LisaDRamirez@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LisaDRamirez@sbcglobal.net)

**DEADLINE: April 30, 2008**



The Orange County  
**Hispanic  
Education Endowment  
Fund**

## ***Hispanic Bar Association Wally Davis Scholarship Application Form***

### **The Program**

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### **Eligibility**

Eligible students must be of Latino origin and involved in the Latino community. Priority will be given to students with significant ties to Orange County.

### **Available Scholarship**

- One 2008 Summer Externship Scholarship in the amount of \$1,750 at a legally related, OC based public interest non-profit organization (i.e. Public Law Center, Legal Aid, ACLU, etc.)

#### **Application Requirements**

To be considered for a scholarship, you **must**:

- ✍ **Complete *and sign*** the 4-page application
- ✍ **Include personal statement as specified in the application**
- ✍ **Attach a resume (include relevant community involvement and legal work)**
- ✍ **Submit 2 letters of recommendation**
- ✍ **Attach a copy of your undergraduate school or law school transcripts**
- ✍ **Attach a copy of the first two pages of your/your parents most recent U.S. Income Tax Return**
- ✍ **All materials must be postmarked by Friday, [April 30, 2008](#). Sign completed form and mail to:**

**Hispanic Bar Association**  
P.O. Box 6130  
Newport Beach, CA 92658  
**Attn: Scholarship**

***Incomplete or late applications will not be considered!***

Applications will be reviewed by the HBA Scholarship Committee. Please note the following dates:

**[April 30, 2008](#): Application deadline.** All materials must be postmarked by this date.

**[May 15, 2008](#):** Notification of scholarship awards will be mailed by this date.

# The Orange County Hispanic Education Endowment Fund Hispanic Bar Association Wally Davis Scholarship Application

## *Applicant's Personal Information*

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Married  Widowed  Single  Separated  Divorced

I am of Hispanic descent through my:  Father  Mother  Grandfather  Grandmother who is (are) decedents of: \_\_\_\_\_.

Your Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Spouse (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Father \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Mother \_\_\_\_\_

What are your parents' highest levels of formal education? Enter in the box for: Mother:  Father:   
 1- No High School    3- High School Graduate    5- 2-Year College Graduate    7- Postgraduate  
 2- Some High School    4- Some College    6- 4-Year College Graduate

Are you a member of the Hispanic Bar Association of Orange County?  Yes  No

Are you bilingual (Spanish/English)?  Yes  No

## *Applicant's School Information*

High School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Undergraduate School attended \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

Currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Area of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

LSAT score \_\_\_\_\_ Law School Student Ranking: \_\_\_\_\_

## *List of Law Schools To Which You Are Applying*

\* Add additional pages if necessary

1) Admitted Yes/No	2) Admitted Yes/No
3) Admitted Yes/No	4) Admitted Yes/No
5) Admitted Yes/No	6) Admitted Yes/No


### *Extracurricular Activities*

List any and all volunteer and community service activities in which you have participated. For each activity, estimate and enter the approximate number of hours you spent on the activity each year. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

<b>Volunteer activities and community services</b>		<b>From</b>		<b>To</b>	
Activity	Description of activity (note any leadership roles)	Month / Year	Month / Year	Month / Year	Hours per week
		/	/	/	
		/	/	/	
		/	/	/	
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### *Financial Information*

Under federal regulations, you are considered a dependent student if you are under 24 years unless you are a graduate student; are married or have dependents other than a spouse; are an orphan/ward of the court; or are a veteran of the U.S. armed services.

 **If dependent**, please provide parents' 2006 total annual income (taxed and untaxed). **If independent**, please provide the total annual income (taxed and untaxed) for you (and your spouse if married). **Attach a copy of the first two (2) pages of the 2006 U.S. Income Tax Return to this application.**

Enter the total number of members living in your household: \_\_\_\_\_

Enter the ages of members in your household: \_\_\_\_\_

	Student	Parents
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|--|------------------------|----------|
| 1. <b>Income earned in the past 12 months</b>                      | \$ _____               | \$ _____ |
| 2. <b>Expected contribution to your education</b>                  | \$ _____               | \$ _____ |
| 3. <b>Total number of scholarships/grants for next school year</b> | \$ _____               | \$ _____ |
| 4. <b>Other Income sources</b> _____                               | <b>Self</b> \$ _____   | \$ _____ |
|  | <b>Spouse</b> \$ _____ | \$ _____ |

**Anticipated Costs for 2007-2008 school year:**

Tuition \_\_\_\_\_ Room & Board \_\_\_\_\_ Books \_\_\_\_\_ Other(specify) \_\_\_\_\_

### *Other Scholarship Programs To Which You Are Applying*

Please indicate any scholarships or sources of financial aid you have applied for and the amount of each

- |          | Amount |          | Amount |
|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| 1. _____ | _____  | 2. _____ | _____  |
| 3. _____ | _____  | 4. _____ | _____  |

## *Applicant Statement*

On an attached sheet (typed and double-spaced), please address the following points in a maximum of 900 words:

1. Academic plans and career goals
2. One compelling issue facing the Hispanic community today
3. What motivated you to go to law school
4. How your legal education enable you to contribute/giveback to the Latino community
5. Any special family or personal circumstances which have affected your achievement in school, work, or your participation in school or community activities (if applicable).

## *Certification*

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I may be required by the **HBA** to provide documentation to corroborate the above information in order to be considered for this scholarship process. **I further understand that falsification of any information will result in disqualification from this scholarship process and termination of any scholarship awarded.**

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Hispanic Bar Association of Orange County  
P.O. Box 6130  
Newport Beach, CA 92658

Phone: 949-440-6700 x 253 Website: [www.ochba.org](http://www.ochba.org) Email: [LisaDRamirez@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LisaDRamirez@sbcglobal.net) Tel. 949.440-6700 ext. 253

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**Other scholarships** available through the Orange County Community Foundation may be obtained at [www.oc-cf.org](http://www.oc-cf.org)

**More information** on the Hispanic Education Endowment Fund (HEEF), can be obtained at [www.heef.org](http://www.heef.org).