

Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Scholarship

Due date: April 1, 2011

Amount: \$10,000

Organization: Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Scholarship Foundation

Website address: www.velaw.com

Download application:

<http://www.velaw.com/uploadedFiles/VEsite/Resources/ScholarshipFoundationApplication.PDF>

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Qualifications:

- * Interest in pursuing a career in law
- * Minimum 1650 SAT combined score or equivalent ACT score
- * Financial need
- * Top 20% class rank
- * African-American, Asian, Hispanic, Native American or Pacific Islander origins
- * US Citizenship or Residency in Houston, Dallas or Austin and surrounding areas for contiguous six years.
- * A valid Social Security Number

Other Documents Needed:

- * An essay (1000-1500 words) discussing your career goals. Mention any extracurricular and community activities that demonstrate your interest in pursuing a legal career.
- * An official transcript of your high school courses completed to date.
- * Two (2) letters of recommendation. These letters must come from a teacher in whose classes you were enrolled within the past year or from a guidance counselor at your school.
- * A recent photograph of yourself.
- * Copies of applications for financial aid if you checked "YES" on page 1 under the Financial Information Section. These are applications to the Office of Student Financial Aid for the 2011-2012 academic year as noted under the Financial Information Section.

GPA: Not specified, but must be ranked in top 20% of class

Gender: Either

Ethnicity: African-American, Hispanic, Asian, or Native American

School: Any

Requires School Committee/Nomination: No