

Application for the Sarah Killgore Wertman Scholarship

The Women's Bar Association, the Oakland Region of the Women Lawyers Association of Michigan, encompasses Oakland, Lapeer, and Genesee Counties. The purpose of the Women's Bar Association is to promote improvements in the administration of justice, to improve relations between the legal profession and the public, to secure the rights of women in society, to advance the interests of women in the legal profession, and to promote equality and social justice for all people.

Award:

The Sarah Killgore Wertman Scholarship award will be given to the winner at the Women's Bar Association annual meeting. The award will be \$1,000.

Eligibility:

The woman must:

1. Be enrolled in a law degree program, full- or part-time, at an accredited law school at the time the award is given.
2. Be a) a permanent or current resident of, b) currently work in, or c) attend law school in Oakland, Lapeer, or Genesee County.
3. Be able to attend the **virtual** Women's Bar Association annual meeting on May 27, 2021, at 6:00 PM.

Application process:

Complete an application and submit it with a résumé and an unofficial law school transcript by April 16, 2021, to wbaoakland@gmail.com.

Application

Name: _____

Current Address: _____

Permanent Address (if different from current):

Law School: _____

GPA: _____

Community Service and Law School Activities:

(a) Community service:

(b) Law school activities:

(c) Offices held in law school organizations:

Honors and Awards and the dates received:

Career Plans:

Provide a brief statement, not to exceed one page, of your career objectives after law school graduation and any other information that would help the Committee choose your application, such as challenges you have faced or are facing or what inspired you to go to law school. Consider including plans to work in the Oakland Region and plans for service to the community. (The Committee will consider the form and clarity of your statement.)

Women and the Law:

Provide an essay, not to exceed one page, about what it means to you to be a female attorney or a female attorney who has inspired you. (The Committee will consider the form and clarity of your statement.)

The award will be presented at the **virtual** Women's Bar Association's annual meeting on May 27, 2021, at 6:00 PM. The selected recipient must be able to attend the reception in order to receive the award.

Signature of Applicant:

I declare to the best of my knowledge that the information provided on this application is true, correct, and complete.

Signature of Applicant

Date: _____