KABANC FOUNDATION’S 2019 BAR STUDY SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATION DEADLINE: August 9, 2019

The Korean American Bar Association of Northern California (KABANC) is pleased to announce the 2019 Bar Study Scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded by the KABANC Foundation to a qualified class of 2019 or 2020 law student or graduate from a law school in Northern California planning to take the July 2019, February 2020, or July 2020 California Bar Examination. The scholarship amount will be up to $5,000.

Eligible applicants must:

(1) Meet the requirements for taking and plan to take the July 2019, February 2020, or July 2020 California Bar Examination;
(2) Currently attend or have recently graduated from an accredited law school in Northern California, or otherwise have a demonstrated connection to Northern California;
(3) Be a paid member of KABANC (applicant may join KABANC at the same time as applying for this scholarship);
(4) Be available for a phone or in-person interview on a weekend in August 2019 (exact date to be confirmed); and
(5) Be available to accept the award at KABANC’s Annual Gala on September 13, 2019.

Selection factors include, but are not limited to, the following criteria:

(1) Academic achievement, work experience, leadership activities, and post law school goals;
(2) Demonstrated leadership and a commitment to community service, particularly to the Korean and Korean-American community and other diverse communities; and
(3) Financial need.
(4) Preference will be given to applicants who plan to pursue a career in public interest or public service in the San Francisco Bay Area.

The qualified scholarship recipient will be selected and notified by the KABANC Foundation Scholarship Committee by early September 2019, and will be introduced at KABANC’s Annual Gala on September 13, 2019 at the Hyatt Regency in San Francisco.

Application materials:

(1) Completed application;
(2) Current law school transcript (unofficial transcript acceptable, but recipient must provide official transcript before receiving award);
(3) Two references; and
(4) Resume.

For more information, please email Liz Kim at liz.kim@hiscox.com.
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E-mail this completed application to:

liz.kim@hiscox.com

Name: _____________________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________________

Telephone: _________________________________________________

E-mail: _____________________________________________________

Law School and (Anticipated) Graduation Date: __________________

Undergraduate School, Degree(s) and Graduation Date: ______________

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Other Degrees: ______________________________________________

When will you take the California Bar? __________________________

Please provide the names, email addresses, and phone numbers of two references, and describe in what capacity they know you.

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Please use extra pages if necessary to fully answer the questions below.
1. Please list honors/awards you received as an undergraduate and/or law student:

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2. Please list and describe relevant work experience and/or significant activities in law school:

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3. Please describe how you have or are currently assisting or contributing to the Korean and Korean-American community and/or to other diverse communities. Please also describe how you will use your law degree to assist or contribute to the Korean and Korean-American community and/or to other diverse communities.

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4. Please briefly state your career interests and the goals you would like to pursue after law school.

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5. Please describe your involvement with KABANC, if any.

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6. This scholarship is partly based on financial need. Please describe your financial need for this scholarship, if any:

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Please attach your current law school transcript (unofficial transcript acceptable) and a resume or other biographical information that summarizes your educational and employment background.

I, _________________________, have completed this application honestly, to the best of my knowledge, and fully understand that any misrepresentation of the information contained in this application may disqualify me from the scholarship.

Signature: ___________________________

Date: _______________________________