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Dear Sir or Madam:

The Jackson County Bar Association is offering up to a \$2,000.00 scholarship for any student that is currently enrolled in law school or who plans on attending law school. I have enclosed a copy of a press release and scholarship application. The deadline for applications is May 13, 2011, please let your students know about this opportunity as soon as possible.

The eligibility requirements are as follows:

The applicant must be:

1. A Jackson County resident attending an accredited law school or an accredited college or university with acceptance to an accredited law school;
2. Enrolled in a degree program full or part-time;
3. Still enrolled at the time of the award; and
4. Possess a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 for law school and 3.0 for college.

Further information is available in the enclosed documents. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Truly,

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Brad A. Brelinski  
President - Jackson County Bar Association

Enclosures

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

April 5, 2011

For further details or a scholarship application, please contact:

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The Jackson County Bar Association (JCBA) announces that it will present its annual scholarship award of up to \$2,000.00 to a qualifying person(s) at the JCBA Annual Meeting in June 2011. The Application deadline is May 13, 2011.

In 1997, JCBA established this scholarship award “to promote greater access to the legal system and to better serve the legal needs of Jackson County.” JCBA’s scholarship award will provide financial assistance to law or pre-law students who are Jackson County residents and who possess the necessary academic achievement, career objectives, community involvement, and college/law school activities.

JCBA will provide information about the scholarship award to all Michigan law schools and various colleges/universities. The criteria and application forms are enclosed.

JACKSON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION (JCBA)  
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD – 2011

**State of Purpose:** For promotion of greater access to legal system and for better service of the legal needs of the Jackson County community, the JCBA established the Jackson County Bar Association Scholarship award. The award will provide financial assistance to law or pre-law students who are Jackson County residents and will recognize the achievements of these students.

**Award:** The Jackson County Bar Association will present each award at its annual meeting each year.

1. Award up to \$2,000.00 (total, whether all to one recipient or divided between multiple recipients).
2. The Jackson County Bar Association will present the award or awards to the recipient or recipients at the Jackson County Bar Association annual meeting in June 2011.

**Eligibility:** The applicant must be:

1. A Jackson County resident attending an accredited law school or an accredited college or university with acceptance to an accredited law school.
2. Enrolled in a degree program full or part-time;
3. Still enrolled at the time of the award; and
4. Possess a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 for law school and 3.0 for college.

**Application Process:**

1. A complete application submitted by May 13, 2011; and
2. A law school/college transcript; and
3. A letter of recommendation from an independent party endorsing the applicant as a scholarship recipient.
4. Copy of law school acceptance letter(s) if the applicant is not already enrolled in law school.

**Mail the application with transcript and letter to:**

Brad A. Brelinski, President  
Jackson County Bar Association  
P.O. Box 766  
Jackson, Michigan 49204  
Telephone: (517) 787-9481





The scholarship award(s) will be presented at the Jackson County Bar Association annual meeting in June, 2011. The recipient must be able to attend the meeting 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.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

**TELEPHONE NUMBERS (with Area Codes) – OTHER WAYS TO CONTACT APPLICANT**

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