



# J. ROGER MYERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*Open from January through July of each year.*



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J. Roger Myers was dedicated to serving his local community throughout his 52-year legal career. He served on several local boards including the Ojai Unified School Board, Ojai Parks and Recreation, and several homeowner associations. He was also the founder and a board member of two banks. He was also a founding member of the Ventura County Stand Down, which provides homeless veterans and their families with needed services. He served a tour of duty in Vietnam and rose to the rank of Captain during his service to the country. He was also the recipient of the VCBA Ben E. Nordman Community Service Award in appreciation for his service to the local community.

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Applicants must be residents of Ventura County and currently enrolled in any law school in the United States at the time of scholarship application submission. Proof of enrollment must be submitted at the time of application; and
- Applicants must intend to return to practice law in Ventura County; and
- Applicants are required to submit an essay of 300 to 500 words in response to the following:
  - Please explain how you intend to use your law degree to benefit the local legal community of Ventura County.

Each award will be offered on a nondiscriminatory basis in compliance with federal and state anti-discriminatory laws. Preference in the selection process will be given to military veterans or those currently serving in the military.

Step 1 General Information	
Name	Email
Address	Phone

Step 2 School Information	
Undergraduate College	Undergraduate GPA
Undergraduate Degree	Graduate GPA
Law School	Law School GPA
Level <input type="checkbox"/> 1L <input type="checkbox"/> 2L <input type="checkbox"/> 3L <input type="checkbox"/> 4L	Expected Graduation Date

Step 3 Essay
On a separate page, in 300-500 words, please explain how you intend to use your law degree to benefit the local legal community of Ventura County.

Step 4 Application Submission Instructions – <b>Submit one complete PDF</b>
a) Submit this form b) Submit your résumé c) Proof of law school enrollment d) 300-500 word essay Email your single PDF attachment to JRM Scholarship Committee at <a href="mailto:sandra@vcba.org">sandra@vcba.org</a> Committee will notify applicants of its decision by <b>end of August</b> .

**Note** The two \$2,500 scholarships will be officially awarded on an ongoing, yearly basis at the Ventura County Bar Association Installation and Awards Dinner that occurs every November. The award will be made payable to the law school and will be disbursed from Ventura County Legal Aid, Inc. 501(c)(3) Tax ID 43-1956297.

