

PARALEGAL DIVISION ANNOUNCES

TAPS 2022 SCHOLARSHIP

For the upcoming 2022 Texas Advanced Paralegal Seminar (TAPS), a three-day CLE seminar, the PARALEGAL DIVISION of the State Bar of Texas will award up to two (2) educational scholarships for the three-day registration to attend the TAPS 2022 seminar, "Survey Says –TAPS 2022 – CLE No. 1 Answer." Below please find the guidelines and application for applying for this scholarship.

1. The Recipient must be a member (or apply for membership) of the Paralegal Division of the State Bar of Texas.
2. To apply for a TAPS scholarship, the applicant is required to give a written essay on the following: **"What brought you to the paralegal profession and why do you feel CLE is important?"**
The essay must be two (2) pages in length and double-spaced.
3. To apply for a TAPS scholarship, the applicant is **required to provide two (2) letters of personal references**, which describe the applicant's involvement in the paralegal profession.
4. Financial need shall be a contributing factor, but not a requirement. However, if two or more applicants are tied in meeting the criteria for the scholarship, financial need shall be the determining factor.
5. Recipient(s) are required to volunteer a minimum of three hours on-site during the event.

Other

1. No money will be sent directly to the recipient.
2. The scholarship for TAPS shall cover the cost of the three-day registration, but does not include socials, travel, or hotel expenses.
3. The scholarship selection committee for reviewing scholarship applications for TAPS shall be composed of the Chair of the TAPS Planning Committee, one Planning Committee Sub-Committee Chair, and the Board Advisor to the TAPS Planning Committee.

The Paralegal Division of the State Bar of Texas will award scholarships for TAPS 2022 which will cover the cost of registration in accordance with the TAPS scholarship guidelines.

TAPS 2022 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

IMPORTANT: ALL APPLICATIONS FOR A SCHOLARSHIP FOR TAPS 2022 MUST BE RECEIVED BY FRIDAY, JULY 15, 2022. DATE OF TAPS 2022: September 28-30, 2022, Fort Worth, Texas

Name _____ PD Membership No. _____

Home Address _____

Home Telephone _____ E-mail Address _____

Work Address _____

Work Telephone _____ Fax Number _____

Employer _____

Are you a member of a local paralegal organization that offers a scholarship award? _____

Give a detailed description of your reason for seeking a scholarship to TAPS 2022: _____

Give a detailed description, if any, for your reasons for financial need: _____

Attach two (2) personal references and your written essay to this application. Applications should be mailed to: Lisa Pittman, Scholarship Chair of the TAPS Planning Committee, Hayes, Berry, White & Vanzant, LLP, 512 W. Hickory, Suite 100, Denton, Texas 76201 or email to: taps@txpd.org *Scholarship recipients will be notified by letter or email by August 1, 2022 and must accept and be registered for TAPS by August 15, 2022.*

Date

Applicant's Signature

Attach any additional explanations.