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ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER

The Orange County Chapter of the American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) Announces The

FALL 2021 \$5,000 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR THIRD-YEAR LAW STUDENTS

To Be Awarded By

Orange County Chapter of the American
Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 3,
2022**

The Orange County Chapter of the American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) is providing grant monies to law students who are residents of Orange County. Law students meeting the requirements listed below may submit applications until January 3, 2022, to be considered for the Fall 2021 Award.

AWARD ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- The applicant must be in the third year of law school, must be a resident of Orange County, CA, must have demonstrated legal aptitude and must be in good standing at a school of law that is accredited by the State Bar of California.
- The applicant must have a grade point average of at least 3.0 for the past academic year and submit a copy of their transcript for their second year.
- The applicant will prepare and submit an essay

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which must include the following:

- (a) The reasons why the applicant believes that she or she should receive the OC ABOTA scholarship.
 - (b) A discussion on one of the following topics: The importance of the Jury Trial in our justice system or the importance of civility in the legal profession.
- The applicant shall submit his or her curriculum vitae.
 - The applicant must submit proof of Orange County residency (including but not limited to a California driver's license, lease agreement and/or utility bill)
 - The applicant will participate in an interview with members of the OC ABOTA Board. The interview may take place in person or electronically based on an assessment of then existing circumstances.

The required transcript, essay and curriculum vitae must be sent by email to Juan C. Delgado (jdelgado@fwhb.com) by January 3, 2022.

Selection of Award Recipient will be made on or about January 21, 2022

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