

PLI SCHOLARSHIPS
Information and Application Instructions

Full and partial scholarships to PLI's live seminars, webcasts and CLE Now (on-demand web programs) are available for judges, judicial law clerks, law professors, law students, attorneys 65 or older, law librarians, attorneys who work for nonprofit organizations, legal services organizations or government agencies, and unemployed attorneys. Attorneys in private practice who seek to learn skills that will assist them in pro bono activities are encouraged to apply. To apply, send your request stating the reason for your interest (if employed, please use your employer's letterhead), along with the completed scholarship application, to the PLI Scholarship Committee. Students must submit a copy of their student ID card.

Please note: Due to overwhelming response, all scholarship applications must be submitted four weeks before the start date of the seminar, webcast or CLE NOW (on-demand web program) you wish to attend/view. You will receive a letter from the Scholarship Committee, indicating whether you have been granted a scholarship. If attending a live seminar, scholarship recipients must bring this letter to the program in order to be admitted. Scholarships **will not** be awarded at the door on the date of the program.

1. Scholarships may be applied only toward tuition (price of item). Individuals receiving scholarships are responsible for the other costs of attending a seminar or viewing online.
2. A completed Scholarship Application (attached) must be received by the PLI Scholarship Committee **no later than four (4) weeks prior to the start of the item you wish to attend/view.**
3. Employees of nonprofit organizations, legal services, and government agencies must forward a Statement of Need (letter) on their respective letterhead. This must accompany the completed Scholarship Application.
4. Law students must complete the Statement of Need portion of the application and attach a legible copy of their student I.D. for the current term or a letter from their school's registrar confirming their status for the current term.
5. A written reply from the PLI Scholarship Committee will be forwarded prior to the start of the seminar, webcast or CLE Now (on-demand web program). Please contact PLI if a reply is not received one (1) week prior to the start.
6. **Scholarships will not be granted retroactively and applications will not be considered after the deadline.**
7. **All applications must be accompanied by a \$25 application fee. Applicants may pay by check or credit card. Any applications submitted without this fee will not be placed under consideration. If your request for a scholarship is denied, the \$25 application fee will be returned.**
8. **Please be sure to include your state, and bar or registration number for each state you will request CLE.**

PLI will endeavor to award as many scholarships as possible, subject to space and other limitations. Preferences for scholarships are given to applicants from legal services, *pro bono* practitioners, and full-time law students. Scholarships are not available for the *Patent Bar Review Course*, and are restricted for limited-enrollment seminars, webcasts and certain skills courses. Scholarship applicants are urged to apply early.

Please forward all applications to:

**Scholarship Committee
Practising Law Institute
810 Seventh Avenue
New York, NY 10019
Telephone No.: 212-824-5700**

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____

AFFILIATION:* _____

ADDRESS: _____

BAR NUMBER:** _____

PHONE: _____ **FAX:** _____

E MAIL: _____

PRODUCT TITLE: _____

DATES: _____ **CITY:** _____

Live Webcast: _____

STATEMENT OF NEED

**Government Agency, Nonprofit Organization, Legal Aid. NOT APPLICABLE TO STUDENTS.*

****Please include the state and bar or registration number for each state you will need CLE.**

IMPORTANT: Employees of nonprofit organizations, legal aid, and government agencies MUST forward a statement of need on their respective letterhead. Law students MUST complete the above Statement of Need section and attach a copy of a valid Student I.D. or a letter from their school registrar confirming their status for the current term.

Please include your priority code _____ (If you have a PLI brochure, this is the code adjacent to the mailing address on your brochure.)

If you would like to pay the \$25 scholarship application fee by credit card, please place your information here:

Circle Card Type: Visa MasterCard American Express Diners Club

Credit Card # _____ **Exp Date:** _____

Signature: _____

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ITEM #: _____ **PRICE CODE:** _____ **REP INITIAL:** _____
