



## Eligibility Requirements

- (1) A student's class rank must be in the top 60% of the class;
- (2) Students selected for the program may not serve on executive boards of co-curricular activities while participating in the Program; and
- (3) Students who have registered for, or completed, a practicum are ineligible to participate in this program.

## Prerequisites

Required: Successful completion, by the end of the second-to-last semester, of all degree requirements except for the Advanced Practice Writing Requirement (APWR) and total degree credits. Selected candidates will also need to participate in either an in-house or partner Clinic during both the Fall and Spring semesters of their 3L year, and so must demonstrate acceptance to (or a pending application with) a Clinic at the time of application

## Application Requirements

Please submit the following to Professor Ann Goldweber ([goldweba@stjohns.edu](mailto:goldweba@stjohns.edu)) and to Associate Dean Eric W. Shannon ([shannoel@stjohns.edu](mailto:shannoel@stjohns.edu)) by **5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 19 (extended from Friday, April 14, 2023):**

- (a) Completed application form;
- (b) Resume; and
- (c) Statement of not more than two pages, typewritten and double-spaced, describing your commitment to public interest law and public service prior to and while attending law school.

## Biographical Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Current Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Rising 3L (full-time division)

\_\_\_\_\_ Rising 4L (part-time division)

## Clinics

Selected candidates will also need to have a spot in one of the in-house or partnership clinics offered at the Law School during both the Fall and Spring semesters of their 3L/4L year. (Note: the Securities Arbitration Clinic is not a qualifying PBSP placement)

Have you accepted an offer to participate in one of the St. John's Law clinics for Fall 2023?

\_\_\_\_ Yes

\_\_\_\_ No

If Yes, at which clinic?

\_\_\_\_\_

If No, at which clinic(s) do you have applications currently pending?

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## Graduation Requirements Checklist

Please check the course requirements towards graduation that you have completed or anticipate completing by end of Fall 2023:

\_\_\_\_ All first-year courses

\_\_\_\_ Professional Responsibility

\_\_\_\_ Core Elective Requirement (5 out of 6 Core Elective courses completed)

\_\_\_\_ Advanced Practice Writing Requirement

\_\_\_\_ Applied Skills Requirement

\_\_\_\_ Scholarly Writing Requirement

## Class Rank

What is your current class rank? (Available on UIS): \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

## Certification

*By signing your name below, you are applying to the Pro Bono Scholars Program at St. John's University School of Law. Your application and supporting materials, along with your official transcript, will be reviewed by a committee of administrators and faculty members, and you will be notified if you are selected to participate in the Pro Bono Scholars Program.*

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*Signature*

*Date*

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