

BERKSHIRE BAR ASSOCIATION
FRANK H. WRIGHT MEMORIAL FUND SCHOLARSHIP
2009

The Frank H. Wright Memorial Fund Scholarship is a general scholarship fund sponsored by the Berkshire County Bar Association. Scholarships are awarded yearly to Berkshire County residents entering or attending law school in the Fall.

The scholarship is named after Frank Hull Wright, a lawyer, community activist, and leader from Southern Berkshire County. Wright studied law in Great Barrington with Judge Justin Dewey and was admitted to the Bar in 1881. He developed a successful practice, especially in the settlement of estates. He declined appointment to the Superior Court more than once. He was one of three investors who built the Mahaiwe Building in Great Barrington, which houses the Mahaiwe Theatre. He served as Vice President of Monument Mills in Housatonic, an officer of the National Mahaiwe Bank, and the first President of the Board of Directors of the Stanley Instrument Co. He helped reconstitute the ailing local library, resulting in the formation of the Great Barrington Free Library. From 1881 to 1890 he was Treasurer of the Housatonic Agricultural Society, and in 1896 he was a member of the site selection committee for the first public high school in Great Barrington.

I. STUDENT INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____
(Permanent)

(School)

(Current)

Phone: _____ SSN: _____

DOB: _____ Current Age: _____

Marital Status: _____

Children—Number & Ages: _____

II. SCHOOL INFORMATION:

Undergraduate:

School: _____

Degree: _____ Year of graduation: _____

Law School:

School: _____

Year entering: 1L 2L 3L GPA Last Year: _____

Class Rank: _____ Full Time/Part Time: _____

Other Graduate School (MBA, PhD, etc.): _____

** Include most recent law school transcript. If 1L, include undergraduate transcript.*

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY AUGUST 1, 2009

Send to: Robert W. Kinzer, III, Esquire
Berkshire District Attorney's Office
7 North Street, PO Box 1969
Pittsfield, MA 01202

III. FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Employment (last 2 years):

<u>Name of Employer</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Duration (by date)</u>	<u>Weekly Salary</u>	<u>FT or PT</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Family Finances:

	<u>Spouse</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mother</u>
Age	_____	_____	_____
Occupation	_____	_____	_____
Annual Earned Income	_____	_____	_____
Other Income	_____	_____	_____

List ages of other children in household, indicating which are attending college, graduate or professional schools: _____

**Family Information—even if you consider yourself to be financially independent, you must include all requested information on parents and spouse*

Anticipated Income:

Please state the sources and amounts of income which the student expects to receive during the coming school year, including scholarships, support from parents, earnings from employment and investments, earnings of spouse, etc. State how much is expected from each source and is expected to be received.

<u>Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Educational Loans:

Please state the date of origin, name and address of lender, and outstanding balance on each loan.

IV. COMMUNITY SERVICE

Please list any community service work you have participated in:

V. SHORT ANSWER ESSAY

Please answer both essay questions in 500 words or less:

1. What is it about law school that really interests you:
2. What are your plans for the future after you receive your law degree?

I hereby certify that the information set forth above is true and accurate.

Date: _____ Signed: _____