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## 2L Diversity Scholarship Program

### Overview

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As part of Thompson Hine's commitment to diversity and our responsibility to create and promote initiatives to fuel the pipeline of diverse lawyers, we are pleased to announce the annual 2L Diversity Scholarship Program for law students.

A \$10,000\* 2L Diversity Scholarship will be awarded to a second-year law student who is currently attending an accredited law school in the United States, and who can be classified as a member of a minority racial/ethnic group set forth by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission or a member of the LGBT community. Interested students who qualify **MUST** apply for a Summer Associate position at Thompson Hine in any of our 7 offices: Atlanta, Cincinnati, Columbus, Cleveland, Dayton, New York or DC.

### Eligibility

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To be considered for the scholarship, the applicant must:

- Be offered a position as a Summer Associate at Thompson Hine.
- Be a minority law student as defined in the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission Regulations, 29 C.F.R. Part 1602, i.e., Native American or Alaskan native, Asian or Pacific Islander, African-American or Black or Hispanic; or a member of the LGBT community.
- Not receive a similar diversity award from another law firm for the same time period.
- Demonstrate academic achievement, reflected by a minimum 3.0 GPA.
- Have a sincere and strong interest in joining Thompson Hine as an associate after law school graduation.
- Be a U.S. citizen or otherwise authorized to work in the United States.

### Application Requirements

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- Completed Summer Associate Program application form, including Diversity Scholarship section.
- Current résumé.
- Official law school transcript.

### Questions?

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### Application

**Applications for the 2L Diversity Scholarship will be accepted and reviewed on a continual basis until the scholarship has been awarded and accepted.**

### Awarding Process

Awarding of the scholarship is conditioned upon the law student's acceptance of a position and completion of at least 10 weeks of service as a Summer Associate at Thompson Hine.

The scholarship will be awarded in two payments:

- Thompson Hine will pay the recipient \$5,000 at the successful completion of the Summer Program.
- A second payment of \$5,000 will be issued if the recipient receives and accepts an offer of employment at Thompson Hine.

The Thompson Hine Diversity Scholarship award is to be used for college or university tuition and related expenses. Expenses may include parking, transportation, books and materials, and college fees.

\* Minus any applicable taxes and withholding