South Carolina Bar
Law Related Education Division
Application Packet for... **2014**

LRE We the People Scholarship

$500 Award

To recognize achievement and the impact that the *We the People* programs have on the lives of the students who participate, the South Carolina Bar Law Related Education (LRE) Division has created a scholarship program for *We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution* and *We the People: Project Citizen* participants. The selected recipients of the $500 *We the People* scholarships must have participated in either *We the People* program at an in-school competition, district competition, state competition and/or national competition to qualify for the scholarship in any of their middle or high school years.

Eligibility Requirements for Applicants:

1. Must currently be a high school senior;
2. Must be or have been a student that participated in a *We the People* class in middle or high school that participated in a competition sponsored by the SC Bar LRE Division;
3. Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5; and
4. Must plan to attend a post-secondary institution such as a technical, 2-year or 4-year college/university.

Evaluation/Award Process:

1. Members of the LRE Awards Committee will evaluate the applications.
2. The LRE Division will notify recipients by May 5, 2014.

Application Procedure:

1. Complete the application cover sheet.
2. Explain what the *We the People* program(s) meant to you in no more than three (3) pages, typed and double spaced. Make sure to indicate which *We the People* program that you participated in. Consider discussion of the following points:
   a. Why did you participate in *We the People*?
   b. What specific achievements did you learn?
   c. What contributions did you give to the team?
3. Attach two (2) letters of recommendation, at least one of which must come from your *We the People* teacher.
4. Include a sealed copy of your high school transcript through fall of your senior year. ***** Please note that your social security number should not appear on any records submitted to the SC Bar.***
5. Return one (1) original of the entire nomination packet. **Packets must be postmarked to the SC Bar LRE Division no later than March 19, 2014.**
6. Please do not put any pages in plastic protector sheets.

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Application Cover Sheet for… **2014**

LRE We the People Scholarship

Name					
Address					
City		**State**	**SC**	**Zip**	
Phone Number (evening)		**( )**			
E-Mail Address					
School Name					
Name of *We the People* Teacher					
Check the *We the People* Program Participated in		❒ ***We the People: Citizen and the Constitution*** ❒ ***We the People: Project Citizen***			
Number of Years in Program		_____***We the People: Citizen and the Constitution*** _____***We the People: Project Citizen***			
GPA					
Name of Local Newspaper					

Checklist:

- ❑ Letter of recommendation from _____
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- ❑ Personal Statement not exceeding three (3) pages
- ❑ One (1) original application packet

Return completed packet to:
Donald N. Lanier
South Carolina Bar Law Related Education Division
Post Office Box 608, Columbia, SC 29202-0608
-or- 950 Taylor Street, Columbia, SC 29201

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