

Seven Benefits to AAJ Law Student Membership You Can Put to Work Today!



1. Network with America's premier trial lawyers through **AAJ's Membership Directory**.
2. **Trial magazine's** digital version gives you the latest developments in civil litigation, current tort and consumer law verdicts, and other career-enhancing information.
3. AAJ's annual **Student Trial Advocacy Competition** (STAC) gives you the opportunity to participate in the nation's premier mock trial before sitting judges and practicing trial lawyers.
4. **AAJ Annual and Winter Conventions** allow you to network with top trial lawyers and attend information-packed workshops and Continuing Legal Education (CLE)-approved education sessions on all aspects of trial law.
5. Free registration and \$75 reference materials for **National College of Advocacy CLE seminars** that are open to nonmembers (nonmembers pay up to \$675 for seminars and reference materials).
6. **Law Student List Servers** that allow you to share information with Law Student Members – rapidly.
7. **AAJ Law Student Member scholarships and awards** help you pay down student loans.

Start laying the groundwork today for the successful career you look forward to tomorrow. For just **\$15 a year**, you can invest in an AAJ Law Student Membership. That's a small price to pay for the kind of trial lawyer contacts, educational opportunities, and access to information you'll enjoy as a member of the world's largest trial lawyer bar.

American Association for Justice Law Student Member Scholarships and Awards

Alia Herrera Memorial Scholarship

The Alia Herrera Memorial Scholarship, with an award amount of \$3,000, is open to Law Student Members who are entering their second or third year of law school, or have the equivalent of one year to complete.

Elaine Osborne Jacobson Award

The Elaine Osborne Jacobson Award, in the amount of \$3,000, is open to a woman who is currently enrolled in an accredited North American law school on a full or part time basis.

The Richard D. Hailey Law Student Scholarship

AAJ's Minority Caucus awards up to six \$1,000 scholarships to first-, second-, and third-year African American, Hispanic, Asian American, Native American, and Biracial Law Student Members.

Trial Advocacy Scholarship

Open to all second- and third-year AAJ Law Student Members, this \$2,500 scholarship is awarded to the applicant who best demonstrates the following: commitment to AAJ and its mission; a desire to represent victims; interest and skill in trial advocacy; and financial need.

Leesfield Scholarship

Sponsored by AAJ and AAJ member Ira Leesfield, this scholarship awards \$1,500 to a Law Student Member to subsidize attendance at AAJ's Annual Convention. Available to first- and second-year AAJ Law Student Members.

Mike Eidson Scholarship

The Mike Eidson Scholarship Fund was established by the AAJ Women for Justice Education Fund in 2008, in honor of AAJ Past President Mike Eidson, whose vision and generosity inspired it. The Scholarship is awarded annually to a female student entering their third year of law school (the student can be enrolled in a three-year day program or four-year night program) who has demonstrated a commitment to a career as a trial lawyer, along with dedication to upholding and defending the principles of the Constitution, and to the concept of a fair trial, the adversary system, and a just result for the injured, the accused, and those whose rights are jeopardized.

