



2022 Margaret A. Gannon Legal Education Stipend Application

Purpose. Women Lawyers of Alameda County (WLAC) established the Margaret A. Gannon legal education stipend fund to provide financial assistance to help offset some of the costs of a bar review course (or related study materials) for law students and graduates who are preparing to take the July 2022 California Bar Exam.

Eligibility. Individuals eligible to receive a WLAC Margaret A. Gannon legal education stipend must: (1) join WLAC before or at the time of submitting a stipend application (membership link: <https://wlaonline.org/membership-account/membership-levels/>); (2) have already applied to take the July 2022 California Bar Exam; (3) not currently be a member of any state bar; and (4) intend to pursue a legal career. Connections to Alameda County and financial need are considered.

Funding. Up to three \$2000 stipends will be awarded at the virtual WLAC Spring Member Reception, which will be held the final week of April 2022, in the evening, at an outdoor location in Alameda County, public health conditions permitting. Recipients will be expected to attend. WLAC will contact winners with date and location information as soon as possible.

Application. Please email **one PDF file, titled: Your Last name_First name_2022 MAG Application** that contains:

- (1) the latest version of your resume including your best contact information;
- (2) a personal statement (limited to no more than 800 words) describing:
 - your professional goals;
 - your involvement with women's issues—particularly with law-related organizations, such as WLAC;
 - your connection, if any, to Alameda County; and
 - why receiving this stipend would be important to you, including your financial need, if any; and
- (3) include the following language at the bottom of your personal statement, along with your dated signature:

Statement of Certification. The information given by me on the attached resume and this personal statement is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all application materials submitted will become the property of WLAC.

Signature

Date

Please email your Stipend Application **PDF file** to Lacey Bangle at womenlawyers@gmail.com by **6 pm on March 11, 2022.**