



Camden County Bar Foundation
**Judge John F. Gerry
 Memorial Scholarship**

Judge John F. Gerry was appointed to the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey by President Gerald R. Ford in 1974. Recognized for his humanitarianism and integrity, Judge Gerry became the District Court's Chief Judge in 1987, and served in this position until October 1994. The Camden County Bar Foundation established the John F. Gerry Memorial Scholarship in 2002 as a tribute to this popular and respected longtime public servant.

A minimum \$1,000 scholarship is awarded annually to law students who exemplify the ideals held by Judge Gerry and have a commitment to public service. Candidates for the Judge Gerry Scholarship must be currently enrolled in a New Jersey law school, demonstrate academic achievement and genuine financial need, and exhibit a history of public service and/or a desire to work in public service law.

Applicants must submit this completed application, a copy of their law school transcript (website version is acceptable) and additional pages as necessary. Applications must be received in the Camden County Bar office by 5 p.m. on December 31, 2021 to be considered.

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APPLICATION

(Print or type - information must be legible for consideration)

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Age _____ Marital Status _____ Dependent(s)/Age(s) _____

List additional address(es) in the last three years _____

Law School/City/State you are currently attending _____ Anticipated graduation date _____

Please complete the following questions. Attach additional pages as necessary.

1. List names and addresses of employer(s) during the last three years. *Indicate full or part-time.*

2. Briefly describe your activities during the past three years that demonstrate your commitment to Southern New Jersey and/or the community in which you reside.

3. List awards, honors and achievements, scholastic or otherwise, you have received. *Include date and amount.*

4. Briefly describe your community service experiences. *Include names of clubs, organizations, charities, etc.*

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6. Briefly describe your financial situation and why you believe you have a genuine financial need for this award.

7. Briefly describe your commitment to practice law in the public service area and how you anticipate advancing this objective.

CERTIFICATION

By signing this document, I certify that the information I have provided is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand and acknowledge that inaccurate or fraudulent information may result in forfeiture of any scholarship award. I also understand that I must be available for an interview if necessary, and, if chosen, will make every effort to attend the Judge John F. Gerry Award Presentation Reception in Spring 2022.

Signature

Date

Return this completed application, law school transcript, and additional pages as necessary by December 31, 2021 to:

Gerry Scholarship Award
c/o Executive Director
Camden County Bar Foundation
1702 Haddonfield-Berlin Road
Cherry Hill, NJ 08003

or email completed application w/supporting materials to:
kee@camdencountybar.org

Call (856) 482-0620 with any questions.