

CDAM Criminal Defense
Trial Practice College

Scholarship Deadline: Friday, June 2, 2023

Ten CDAM Trial College scholarships are available from funds donated to CDAM’s Earl Spuhler Scholarship Fund. One must be a member of CDAM to receive a scholarship, awarded on the following criteria: criminal defense attorneys who handle a substantial number of assigned criminal cases; on the basis of financial need; experience level in criminal and litigation matters; and training experience within the past three years.

This application MUST be completed in full.

[ ] Mr. [ ] Ms. Name P#

Firm

Address

City State Zip Code County

Phone E-Mail

TYPE OF PRACTICE

Private Practice [ ]  State/County Public Defender [ ]  Federal Defender [ ]

NUMBER OF TRIALS

Felony Jury Civil Jury

Misdemeanor Jury Bench Trials

**INDIGENT DEFENSE**

I Do [ ]  or I Do Not [ ] Accept representation of indigent defendant in criminal matters.

PRACTICE

Percent Criminal Years in Practice

PERCEIVED EXPERIENCE LEVEL

Very Experienced [ ]  Moderately Experienced [ ]  Inexperienced [ ]

**CDAM TRIAL COLLEGE HISTORY**

Have you attended CDAM’s Trial College in the past? Yes [ ]  No [ ]

**TRIAL COLLEGE EXPECTATIONS**

What are your expectations for Trial College?

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Please list other training program you have attended in the past 5 years (law related or other)

**NAME OF LAW SCHOOL ATTENDED AND YEAR GRADUATED**

**ARE YOU A CDAM MEMBER?**

 Yes [ ]  No [ ]

**ARE YOU A SBM LITIGATION SECTION MEMBER?**

 Yes [ ]  No [ ]

DESCRIBE YOUR NEED FOR A SCHOLARSHIP

Check all that apply:

[ ]  Consider me for a partial $1,000 CDAM scholarship. Applicants must be a CDAM member.

 ☐ Consider me for a partial $500 scholarship provided by an anonymous donor. Applicants must be a CDAM member.

Have you applied for any previous CDAM and/or other Trial College scholarships in the past? Yes [ ]  No [ ]

Have you received any previous CDAM and/or other Trial College scholarships? Yes [ ]  No [ ]  If yes, please detail. Click here to enter text.

MANDATORY COMPLETION

 [ ]  I certify that I am not regularly engaged in the prosecution of criminal cases in any court.

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO CDAM BY FRIDAY JUNE 2, 2023

Return to CDAM by mail to **P.O. Box 279, Davison, MI 48423** or by email at [www.CDAMonline@gmail.com](http://www.CDAMonline@gmail.com) with the subject line: Trial College Scholarship. Scholarships will be awarded around June 10, 2023. Applicants will be notified shortly thereafter. Contact CDAM at 517-579-0533 for questions.

**For scholarship recipients, the remainder of tuition is required due by July 1, 2023, due to space limitations of 40 students. Once that number is reached, regardless of the deadline or awarding of a scholarship, no other students will be accepted. (The total cost of Trial College is $1500 for those preferring single occupancy or $1300 for double occupancy.)**

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