

**25th Annual Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference
March 28-29, 2019**

University of Washington School of Law, Seattle

Process for Awarding Conference Scholarships

The Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference receives a limited amount of funding from the Washington State Bar Association Dispute Resolution Section, several Dispute Resolution Centers, and other community-minded organizations and individuals, to defray the cost of attending the conference for a small number of deserving applicants.

The Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference Planning Committee will award full or partial scholarships to applicants who work in non-profit or underserved areas of the profession. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of need and ADR practice experience

All applications received by March 15, 2019, will be reviewed. Applicants will be notified about the status of their application by e-mail by March 22, 2019.

Full or partial scholarships will be awarded to qualified applicants to the extent that funds are available. Priority will be given to those who have not previously received a conference scholarship, as well as in the order of receipt.

Please note that conference materials will not be provided in hard copy; materials will be available for download prior to the beginning of the conference.

Scholarship recipients are expected to provide assistance with conference logistics during the event. Duties may include assisting at the registration tables, distributing water bottles to classrooms for conference speakers, assisting with the Thursday evening reception in William H. Gates Hall, and/or directing attendees through the buffet lunch on Friday.

Please visit the [conference website](#) for the conference schedule, session descriptions, speaker biographies, location, and other information.

If you have questions about the scholarship application process, please contact:

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25th Annual Northwest Dispute Resolution Conference Scholarship Application

Eligibility: Full and partial scholarships are available for individuals who can demonstrate financial need. The Conference encourages legal services, public interest, community or government agency personnel, and practitioners and persons from traditionally under-represented groups to apply.

Scholarship Procedure: Please complete the application form below. You may submit the application form by

- **U.S. Mail:** 25th Annual Dispute Resolution Conference, Conferences & Continuing Education, University of Washington School of Law, Box 353020, Seattle, WA 98195-3020
- **Fax:** Attention Kathy Kline, (206) 616-4519 (include a cover sheet with your fax)
- **E-mail** (.pdf format only): kkline@uw.edu.

Applications must be received by March 15, 2019. The Scholarship Committee will review all applications received by the deadline. Applicants will be notified about the status of their application by March 22, 2019.

A full scholarship covers the registration fee for the entire conference, as well as the Thursday reception and Friday lunch. The scholarship does not cover travel costs or any other costs. The conference materials may be downloaded prior to the beginning of the conference. We are unable to offer scholarships to applicants who have already registered for this conference. Incomplete application forms will not be reviewed or considered for scholarships. Applicants who are not awarded a scholarship will still be allowed to register at the early-bird registration rate. Applicants who receive a scholarship are expected to assist with conference logistics during the event.

Source of Scholarship Support: Washington State Bar Association ADR Section and *Supporter Level* Sponsors.

Name of Applicant: _____

Are you a member of the Washington State Bar Association? Yes No Bar # (if any): _____

Telephone number: _____ E-mail address: _____

Agency or firm: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Type of Practice (*e.g.*, government, non-profit, legal services, etc.): _____

Please indicate your financial need and briefly describe why you should receive a scholarship:

I certify that this information is true and correct, and that I meet the criteria established by this scholarship fund. I also agree to assist with conference logistics as described in the application process. My preference for duties is:

- Registration Assistance Providing water to speakers Assistance with Thursday evening reception
 Assistance with Friday lunch All duties

Signature: _____

Date: _____