

Trailblazer Bar Study Scholarship

UNT Dallas College of Law created the Trailblazer Bar Study Scholarship to minimize financial burdens during the two-month bar study period. Scholarships are awarded to those who have demonstrated financial need, particularly graduates whose financial constraints limit their ability to devote adequate time for bar study.

Eligibility and Scholarship Criteria

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must be a (1) UNT Dallas College of Law graduate or student in your final semester, (2) preparing for the July 2026 bar exam, and (3) enrolled in a commercial bar preparation program, *e.g.*, Themis Bar Review, Barbri Bar Review, Helix Bar Review. Selection criteria include, but are not limited to, financial need, academic achievement, community and extracurricular activities, and leadership experience. Eligible applicants must also agree to:

1. Allow UNTDCOL to track your commercial bar review program progress; and
2. Release your bar passage results to UNTDCOL.

Individuals with violations of the UNT Dallas Code of Conduct, the UNT Dallas Honor Code, or Title IX are not eligible to apply for the Trailblazer Bar Study Scholarship.

Application Process:

E-mail a complete application form, and all required and supporting documents, as a single PDF with subject line “Bar Study Scholarship Application” to LawAcademicSuccess@untdallas.edu. Applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. CST on May 6, 2026. Submissions not compiled into a single PDF file are considered incomplete. Incomplete applications and applications e-mailed after the deadline will not be considered.

Trailblazer Bar Study Scholarship Application – July 2026

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

II. LAW SCHOOL INFORMATION & BAR EXAM REGISTRATION

Graduation Date: _____

I am registered to take the July 2026 bar examination: Yes No

III. MILITARY EXPERIENCE

Military Experience: Yes No If yes, branch: _____

Dates of Service: _____

IV. COMMERCIAL BAR COURSE INFORMATION¹

a. Which commercial course(s)? _____

b. What was the total cost of your course(s)?* _____

c. How much have you paid to date?* _____

d. What is your current balance?* _____

V. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION²

Please include: (1) a résumé; (2) an official or unofficial law school transcript; (3) a completed Scholarship Applicant Financial Statement; and (3) a one-page statement that explains your need and how the award will be used.

CERTIFICATION: I have reviewed this application, and the information, whether listed or attached, is complete and accurate as reported. I understand that this scholarship does not create an employment relationship between me and UNTDCOL, and I acknowledge that I am solely responsible for any tax or financial implications that arise from a scholarship award.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

* If paid out-of-pocket. Otherwise, if using a commercial course provided via enrollment at UNT Dallas College of Law, please note "Institutional Partnership."

¹ Include proof of enrollment with the application.

² All required and supporting documents must be submitted with the application as a single PDF file.

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Scholarship Applicant Financial Statement

NAME: _____

ESTIMATED INCOME (June 1 - July 31, 2026)

Employment/Internship	
Scholarships	
Grants	
Savings	
Loans	
Other (specify):	
TOTAL ESTIMATED INCOME (\$)	

ESTIMATED EXPENSES (June 1 - July 31, 2026)

Living Expenses (Rent, Utilities, Food, Childcare, etc.)	
Transportation Expenses	
Loan Payments (Credit cards, personal, student, etc.)	
Other (specify):	
TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES (\$)	

ESTIMATED INCOME – ESTIMATED EXPENSES = _____