FRANCIS J. CARINO JUVENILE JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP

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REQUIREMENTS AND INFORMATION

The Francis J. Carino Juvenile Justice Scholarship will be awarded by the Connecticut Criminal Justice Educational & Charitable Association, Inc. a college, university or law student who intends to pursue a career in juvenile justice. (Juvenile justice is defined as the area of criminal law that deals with the actions and well being of persons who are not adults and includes, but is not limited to, the fields of law, public safety, court services, probation, law enforcement, fire service, forensic science, cyber-crimes, protective service, corrections, parole or homeland security.) The application for the scholarship can be obtained on line at www.ccjeca.org or by mailing a request to CCJECA, P.O Box 407, Rocky Hill, CT 06067-0407.

Who is eligible?

Applicants must be enrolled in an accredited college, university, or law school and intend to pursue a career in juvenile justice. The award is contingent on the recipient's attendance in a program of study at an accredited college, university, or law school in the next academic year.

Amount of Award:

One-Thousand Dollar (\$1,000) Award

Basis for the award:

The award is based on scholarship, character, and leadership qualities and demonstrated commitment to juvenile issues.

Requirements for application:

The application MUST be accompanied by a transcript from a college, university or law school in which the student is currently enrolled, a two hundred and fifty (250) word essay describing the applicant's interest in juvenile justice and career goals, a resume describing the applicant's work experience, and two letters of recommendations from persons unrelated to the applicant.

Interview:

An oral interview may be required

Deadline:

The application and accompanying essay must be postmarked no later than May 1st of the current year.