

BURR & FORMAN, LLP 2021 SUMMER DIVERSITY PRE-LAW PROGRAM APPLICATION

PLEASE NOTE: All applications should be submitted by **April 30, 2021** via email to James P. Roberts, jroberts@burr.com. If you prefer, you may mail a hard copy of your application to James P. Roberts at 420 20th St. North, Suite 3400, Birmingham, AL 35203. Please remember to complete all sections of the application and send it along with your transcript, resume, and answers to the essay questions (#5-6 on this form). Please also verify that your letter of recommendation has been emailed or mailed directly to James P. Roberts. Thank you for your interest!

1. Contact Information

Name (Last, First, Middle):		Date:	
Present street address:		City:	State: Zip:
Home phone:	Other phone:	E-mail address:	
Expected date of college graduation:			

2. Education

List the schools and/or educational organizations you have attended, beginning with your most recent:

Name of School or Organization	Location	Dates Attended	Years Completed

3. Coursework

Provide a copy of your transcript as an attachment. Please include courses you will have completed by summer of 2021 (unofficial transcripts are fine).

4. Career Goals

On a separate page, please describe: (1) your career goals; (2) why you are interested in Burr & Forman's 2021 Summer Diversity Pre-Law Program; (3) what interests you most about the legal system; and (4) what interests you most about our firm.

5. Contribution to Diversity

The Burr & Forman, LLP 2021 Summer Diversity Pre-Law Program is a pipeline program facilitated by Burr & Forman's Diversity Committee. The program is intended to increase the number of both diverse candidates as well as champions for diversity in the legal field. On a separate page, please describe: (1) the importance of diversity; and (2) how you, either now, or in the past, contribute(d) to and/or support(ed) diversity.

6. Educational Benefit

On a separate page, please indicate what you believe the personal educational benefit of this opportunity will be. List any requirements of your educational organization (for example: complete a paper, work 60 hours on a specific project, complete an assignment, etc.).

7. Availability

The Burr & Forman 2021 Summer Diversity Pre-Law Program will likely begin on Monday, June 14, 2021 and end on Friday, July 16, 2021. However, these dates are subject to change as the firm evaluates information related to the COVID-19 global pandemic. Additionally, the program will be a hybrid program with a certain number of students in certain locations having the opportunity to complete the program in-person, while others will be completing the program virtually.

Please indicate whether you would prefer to attend the program in-person or virtually. Additionally, please indicate whether you anticipate any scheduling conflicts during the program.

8. References

Burr & Forman reserves the right to contact your former employers identified in your resume. Please include a letter of recommendation from a teacher or former supervisor.

9. Application Verification

THIS FORM IS NOT VALID WITHOUT YOUR SIGNATURE. PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING: The statements above are true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____

Date _____

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The Burr & Forman, LLP 2021 Summer Diversity Pre-Law Program Application is Due by April 30, 2021. Burr & Forman’s Diversity Committee will review all applications and may conduct phone interviews with potential candidates following review.