Shepard Broad College of Law NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY Florida

ACCESS LEX NSU LAW STUDENT EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND

The College of Law, through a generous \$25,000 donation from the AccessLex Institute, is making available grants to students who have been adversely affected financially by the COVID-19 pandemic. We will be accepting grant applications through our scholarship app (instructions below), and awarding funds based on need for as long as we able to do so.

ELIGIBILITY:

Funds will be distributed to approved NSU students and are flexible to accommodate the wide and varied emergency needs of our students during this ever-evolving crisis. These emergency funds can be used for a wide variety of needs, *including but not limited to*:

- Technology (laptop, internet access, etc.) to optimize distance learning
- Rent and living expenses due to job loss or reduced hours
- Food insecurity
- Transportation from NSU for those whose permanent home is outside of the tricounty area.
- Medical bills
- Costs that may be incurred while studying for the Bar Examination

CRITERIA:

Currently enrolled JD students at the NSU Shepard Broad College of Law must complete an application, via App Central, and demonstrate their need for emergency financial assistance during this pandemic. A faculty and administrative committee will review all applications. Approved students will receive emergency funds as determined by the amount of aid needed per applicant, and the one-time allocation of aid will be distributed as soon as funds are available. The criteria are:

- Submit a completed application explaining their emergency needs and purpose of funds
- Provide supporting documentation as needed

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. APP Central
 - Go to Sharklink
 - Click on App Central
 - Click on Scholarship- Scholarship Law

Scholarship - Scholarship - Law Scholarship - Law

• NSU Law Emergency Relief Fund- Access Lex Institute, and follow Application Instructions and apply via App Central

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