**Professional Development Scholarship Application**

**Crime Victim/Survivor Scholarship Program**

Thanks to generous donations from individuals and businesses, NCVLI is pleased to be able to offer Crime Victim/Survivor Scholarships to a limited number of eligible individuals.

**Eligibility:** Eligible individuals must be crime victims/survivors and must have at least one (1) year of volunteer/advocacy service to other victims.

**What is Available:** Funding may be available to cover the following opportunities:

1. **Crime Victim Law Conference Scholarship** - $300 Award to support attendance at NCVLI’s annual Conference AND, in the event that your employer can also support attendance, NCVLI will match that support up to an additional $200. Scholarship funds can be used to offset any combination of tuition, lodging, and/or travel costs. The total scholarship for any one person will not exceed $500 for the 2019 Conference.
2. **In-Person and Technology-Assisted Trainings** from NCVLI and the National Alliance of Victims’ Rights Attorneys & Advocates (NAVRA), a project of NCVLI. The total scholarship for any one person will not exceed the cost of tuition for the single training for which the application is submitted.
3. **NAVRA Enhanced One-year Membership** allowing access to legal memoranda, case summary, and sample pleading searchable databases, as well as discounted trainings. The total scholarship for any one person will not exceed the cost of one Enhanced Individual Membership for a period of twelve months.

Please be sure to specify the category of funding for which you are applying and in your responses to questions explain why the scholarship is being sought.

**Procedures and Deadline:** Please complete the following form in its entirety and submit to NCVLI. **You may submit one application per quarter (June 1-Aug. 31, Sept. 1-Nov. 30, Dec. 1- Feb. 28)**. Send completed forms to:

* Mail: NCVLI, 1130 SW Morrison St, Ste 200, Portland, OR 97205
* Email ncvli@lclark.edu. Please ensure the regarding line states “Application for Professional Development Scholarship”.

The following submission deadlines apply:

1. Crime Victim Law Conference - no later than **5 pm Pacific on Friday, February 15, 2019. If applicable, proof of employer match in the form of receipts or letter of commitment from organizational leadership must be received no later than Friday, March 29, 2019 or the matching funds from NCVLI will be forfeited.**
2. In-person and technology-assisted trainings – **5pm Pacific four weeks prior to train date.**
3. NAVRA Enhanced membership – NCVLI will review applications on a rolling basis. Deadlines are **February 28th, May 31st, August 31st, November 30th**, please allow three weeks for response. If you apply during a prior period of the same calendar year your application continues under consideration during that calendar year but not beyond.

Crime Victim/Survivor Professional Development
Scholarship Application Form

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| Name: | Name |
| Title or Position: | Title |
| Organization: | Organization |
| Mailing Address: | Mailing Address |
| City: | City | State: | State | Zip Code: | Zip Code |
| Telephone Number: | Telephone Number | Email: | Email |

I am applying for: (check only one)

[ ]  Conference Scholarship for **NCVLI’s Crime Victim Law Conference** - $300 to offset tuition, lodging and/or travel costs plus up to an additional $200 match. This application **requires** an employer match for requests over $300. Please indicate the amount your employer will provide and NCVLI will match this amount up to $200.

[ ]  Training Scholarship – provide date & title of **NCVLI or NAVRA** training:

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| Date: | MM/DD/YY | Title: | Title |

[ ]  NAVRA *Enhanced* One-year Membership Scholarship

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| Have you applied to NCVLI for a scholarship in the past? | [ ]  Yes[ ]  No | Has NCVLI awarded you a scholarship in the past? | [ ]  Yes[ ]  No |
| Do you have at least one (1) year of volunteer/advocacy service to other victims? (You must have at least one (1) year of volunteer/advocacy service to other victims to be eligible.) | [ ]  Yes[ ]  No |
| If you are currently affiliated with an agency or organization how long have you been affiliated with that agency or organization? | MM/DD/YY |
| Are you a volunteer or paid staff member? | Enter Here |
| Please identify the type of victimization that you are surviving and when the victimization occurred. (Please note that NCVLI **will not** disclose names of scholarship recipients to anyone without the recipient’s prior consent; please contact us if you have any questions). |
| Type of Victimization: Enter Here | When Occurred: Enter Here |
| Describe how the scholarship would benefit your work with victims whether as paid staff or volunteer. | Enter Here |
| Briefly tell us why a scholarship is necessary for you to access the training or membership, including (if applicable) explaining whether the agency or organization you work or volunteer for has professional development funding and why that is/is not able to be used for this request. | Enter Here |
| Please list any NCVLI trainings that you have attended in the past three years, including the Crime Victim Law Conference. | Enter Here |
| Is there anything else we should know when considering your application? | Enter Here |

Scholarship contingent upon availability of funds; publication of application does not guarantee that any scholarships will be awarded.