

The Raoul Barbe and Yolande Larose Scholarship on the Study of the Judiciary is granted on a yearly basis to reward an LL.M. or Ph.D. student whose research project focuses on the judiciary.

Among the subjects that could be relevant for this scholarship program are the following (non-exhaustive): challenges and issues related to the functioning of the judicial system (including civil, criminal, administrative, small claims); the independence of the judiciary and the separation of powers; judicial appointment processes; military justice; judges and the media; judicial knowledge; ethics and the judiciary; the discretionary powers of the judiciary; specialized tribunals and courts' supervised social programs; access to justice; self-represented litigants; judicial mediation; trial management and courts' supervised settlement conferences; international criminal courts, etc.

Eligibility Criteria

The applicant must:

1. Be admitted as a full-time student in the LL.M. or Ph.D. in Law program at the Faculty of Law of the University of Ottawa;
2. Submit a research proposal pertaining to the study of the judiciary in Canada or at the international level;
3. Have an excellent academic record;
4. Priority will be granted to candidates whose research will be undertaken in French.

Value of Award

\$10,000

Number of Awards

One (non-renewable)

Level or Program of Study

Graduate (LL.M. or Ph.D. at the University of Ottawa)

Application Procedure

Applications should be sent to the attention of Graduate Studies in Law, by email to llmphd@uottawa.ca and should include:

1. A Curriculum Vitae;
2. The applicant's detailed research proposal (3 to 5 pages);
3. A personal statement from the applicant detailing why he/she is applying to the scholarship.

Application Deadline

March 1

Application Contact

For more information on the admissions process or the scholarship application procedure, please contact the Graduate Studies in Law office llmphd@uottawa.ca