



Center for Civic Values
New Mexico High School Mock Trial
Hon. Gene E. Franchini
Scholarship Application

To recognize achievement and the impact that mock trial has on the lives of the students who participate, the Center for Civic Values has created a scholarship program for high school mock trial participants. To qualify for the \$1,000 Hon. Gene E. Franchini scholarship, applicants must meet the eligibility requirements and complete the process described below.

Eligibility Requirements for Applicants:

1. Must be a high school senior;
2. Must have participated in the high school mock trial program for two or more years, including the current academic year;
3. Must attend a post-secondary institution such as a technical, 2-year or 4-year New Mexico college/university upon high school graduation.

Evaluation/Award Process:

1. Members of the CCV Mock Trial Committee will evaluate the applications.
2. CCV will notify recipients' parent/guardian by March 8, 2010.
3. **Awards will be announced at the Mock Trial Banquet on March 20, 2010, and disbursed not earlier than July 1st upon CCV's receipt of notification from the Registrar of the post-secondary institution documenting that recipient is enrolled as a student. It is the responsibility of the recipient to ensure documentation is received.**

Application Procedure:

1. Complete the application cover sheet.
2. Write a Personal Statement explaining what your participation mock trial has meant to you. The Statement should be no longer than three (3) pages, typed, double-spaced.
3. Attach two (2) letters of recommendation, at least one of which must come from your mock trial teacher advisor.

Return one (1) original and **three (3) collated copies** of the entire packet **three-hole punched, unbound and NOT inside folders or plastic protective sheets** to CCV not later than February 8, 2010.



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Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-Mail Address _____

School name _____

Number of years in mock trial _____

Did you participate on the 2009 mock trial team at your school and compete at least through the regional level?

_____ What was your role in this year's case? _____

Name/Address of Local Newspaper(s) _____

If I am selected as a recipient, I will attend the Mock Trial Awards Banquet on March 21, 2009. _____

My parent or guardian can be contacted at: _____

(telephone AND e-mail)

Checklist:

Letter of recommendation from _____

Letter of recommendation from _____

Personal Statement of no more than three (3) pages, typed and double-spaced

One (1) original application packet and **three (3) copies** of the entire application packet

Send original and three (3) copies to:

Center for Civic Values

New Mexico High School Mock Trial Scholarship Program

PO Box 2184

Albuquerque NM 87103-2184

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 8, 2010.