

2016 TEXAS LAW STUDENT LEGAL WRITING CONTEST

SPONSORED BY THE INTERNATIONAL LAW SECTION,
STATE BAR OF TEXAS

SUBJECT

Entries should address any area of international law, including international antitrust, arbitration, business transactions, conflicts of law, criminal law, immigration, intellectual property, litigation, multinational enterprises, public law and trade law.

AWARDS

First Place:

- \$1,000
- Admission to the International Law Section's prestigious 29th Annual International Law Institute, to occur in 2017
- Plaque

Second Place:

- \$500
- Admission to the International Law Section's prestigious 29th Annual International Law Institute, to occur in 2017
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Third Place:

- Admission to the International Law Section's prestigious 29th Annual International Law Institute, to occur in 2017
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Honorable Mention:

- Plaque

ELIGIBILITY AND FORMAT

The author of an entry must be a law student in good standing at an American Bar Association-accredited law school located in the state of Texas during the 2015–16 school year. Entries should be three to ten double-spaced pages with one-inch margins on 8¹/₂" x 11" paper and conform to the style requirements of the Blue Book, 20th edition. The entry must be submitted by email with a cover letter listing the author's name, law school, expected year of graduation, current address (and if different, permanent address), and email address. Only one entry

per author will be accepted. All entries must be original, have only one author, and be of publishable quality. If the entry has been submitted for publication or published elsewhere, this must be stated in the letter together with details of when and where published. Entries may have been prepared for course credit or for journal submission. On submission, all entries will become the property of the International Law Section, State Bar of Texas.

CRITERIA FOR AWARDS

Entries will be judged based on contribution to the international legal profession, analysis and research, timeliness, originality, proper spelling and grammar, and proper format. The International Law Section, State Bar of Texas reserves sole discretion in its selection of entries for awards including (without limitation) the right to make no award if no entry, in its sole discretion, is of sufficient quality or to limit the number or type of awards provided based on the quality of the entries.

DEADLINE

All entries must be received by May 31, 2016.

Entries should be sent to georgehumphrey@andrewskurth.com. Address questions to George Humphrey.

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