



**HOUSTON METROPOLITAN PARALEGAL ASSOCIATION
ANNOUNCES
2018 HMPA SCHOLARSHIP
IN MEMORY OF PAMELLA FORD**

In honor of Pamela Ford, the Houston Metropolitan Paralegal Association (HMPA) will be awarding the 2018 HMPA Scholarship to the upcoming 2018 Texas Advanced Paralegal Seminar (TAPS) in Pamela's name. HMPA will award one (1) educational scholarship (up to \$750) for the TAPS three-day registration, socials and part of the hotel expenses to attend the TAPS 2018 seminar, "*JUST IN TIME FOR CLE – THE MAGIC OF TAPS 2018*" Below are the guidelines and application for applying for this scholarship.

1. The Recipient must be a member (or apply for membership) of HMPA.
2. To apply for the 2018 HMPA Scholarship, the applicant is required to submit a written essay on the following:
Why is CLE important to paralegals, even when certification or membership doesn't depend on it?
The essay must be two (2) pages in length and double-spaced.

Other

1. No money will be sent directly to the recipient.
2. The 2018 HMPA Scholarship (up to \$750) shall cover the cost of the TAPS three-day registration, socials and part of the hotel expenses, but does not include travel or incidental hotel expenses.
3. The scholarship selection committee for reviewing scholarship applications for the 2018 HMPA Scholarship shall be composed of the HMPA Board of Directors.

2018 HMPA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

IMPORTANT: ALL APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2018 HMPA SCHOLARSHIP MUST BE RECEIVED BY MONDAY, JULY 1, 2018. DATE OF TAPS 2018: September 26 – 28, 2018, Addison, Texas.

Name _____ HMPA Member: ___ Yes ___ No
Home Address _____
Home Telephone _____ Email Address _____
Work Address _____
Work Telephone _____ Fax Number _____
Employer _____
Give a detailed description of your reason for seeking a scholarship to TAPS 2018: _____

Attach your written essay to this application. Applications should be mailed to: Sherie Hollinger, RP®, PHP, 2nd Vice President-CLE of HMPA, 1000 Main Street, 36th Floor, Houston, Texas 77002, or email to shollinger@porterhedges.com. The scholarship recipient will be announced at the July 10, 2018 HMPA CLE Luncheon.

Applicant's Signature