

# Fillmore Riley LLP Post-Graduation Debt Relief Bursary

The partners of Fillmore Riley have made a commitment of \$150,000, with a matching commitment from the Manitoba Scholarship and Bursary Initiative, to establish an endowment fund of \$300,000 that will offer assistance to students following graduation from the Faculty of Law at the University of Manitoba.

The objective of the award is to provide students with debt relief on personal bank loans or lines of credit incurred to support their legal studies at the Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba. These awards are intended for students graduating from the Faculty of Law who remain in the Province of Manitoba to article and practice law.

Interested individuals are invited to apply or before **Wednesday, March 15, 2023**. Application requirements:

1. A graduate of the Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba and currently articling, or have articulated in Manitoba (see note below);
2. A minimum degree grade point average (DGPA) of 2.50 on all courses completed in the Faculty of Law (transcripts are not required);
3. Provide proof of a personal loan or line of credit from an approved lending institution by including a recent statement. The statement should clearly display the name of the person(s) holding the loan or line of credit as well as the account balance; and
4. Complete a Post-Graduation Debt Relief Application form, including a written personal statement of qualification and budget that clearly demonstrates difficulty in making debt payments.

Note: This bursary is available to students three years post-graduation (graduates from 2022, 2021 and 2020 are eligible).

Please email your applications, and direct inquiries to: [lawadmissions@umanitoba.ca](mailto:lawadmissions@umanitoba.ca) Please be sure to quote '2023 Fillmore Riley Post-Grad Bursary Application' in the subject line.

Late applications will not be accepted.

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