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School of Law

## Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarships Terms and conditions

1. The Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarships is open to applicants who have made a formal application through the Central Applications Office for a place on the first year of one of the full-time undergraduate designated programmes of study in University of Galway School of Law in the relevant academic year.
2. The Scholar will preferably have a home address in Mayo but consideration will be given to applicants with a home address in the West of Ireland (to include all counties in Connacht plus counties Donegal and Clare).
3. The scholarship grant based on the financial need and academic merit of the successful applicants.
4. The Scholarship will support the successful Scholar throughout their degree to a minimum value of €7,500.
5. There will be no fewer than two students per year awarded the Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarships.
6. Applications will be made via the School of Law, University of Galway.
7. To be considered for the Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarship Applicants must be recognized as being from a socio-economically less advantaged background, and provide evidence that they qualify for exemption from payment of the Leaving Certificate Examination Fee as a result of medical card eligibility; and/or are eligible for any form of State support (Maintenance Grant-Special/Full/75%/25% and/or Tuition Fee Grant (full or part) under the Student Finance Scheme.
8. As part of the Selection Process, the Selection Panel reserves the right to invite Applicants to attend an informal group interview session, to form part of the final assessment of applications.
9. The successful scholar should not be in receipt of any scholarship (such as All-Ireland/ Naughton/ Ernst Walton).
10. Payment of the first Scholarship instalment shall be conditional on the awardee being registered as an University of Galway student.
11. Payment of subsequent Scholarship instalments will be dependent on successful completion the prior academic year examinations.
12. Payment of the Scholarship will not be made if the Scholar is out of University of Galway on a paid placement year and University of Galway, School of Law must advise the DLA Piper if a Scholar is due to be on a placement year and payment will be deferred until the Scholar returns to full time education at University of Galway.
13. Applicants must consent to the Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarships Selection Panel reviewing their application. The Selection Panel will be formed by representatives from:

- University of Galway Student Services
  - University of Galway Chaplaincy
  - University of Galway Students Union
  - University of Galway School of Law
14. Applicants must consent to the Terence O'Malley / DLA Piper Scholarships Review Panel reviewing their application. The Review Panel will be formed by:
- The Head of the School of Law, University of Galway
  - The Associate Director for Teaching & Learning, the School of Law, University of Galway
  - Representative(s) of DLA Piper/ O'Malley DLA Piper Scholarship Committee
15. The decision of the Review Panel is final.
16. Applicants must consent to allow University of Galway School of Law provide DLA Piper with a brief statement at the end of each academic year to confirm that they have successfully completed the prior academic year examinations and they are of good academic standing
17. Applicants must grant the right and permission for University of Galway and DLA Piper to use any content they provide or any content they agree to participate in (e.g. photo, video, testimonial) to be used in any media medium to support the promotion of University of Galway and/or DLA Piper.
18. Applicants must comply with the Terms and Conditions of the Scholarship. The School of Law reserves the right to withdraw funding if the successful scholar is non-compliant with the terms and conditions of the scholarship.