**AALAM/DOW FUND SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

**2017-2018**

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

There are four parts to this application form:

* Part I requires certain biographical information.
* Part II requires short answers (one paragraph) to two questions aimed at learning more about the applicant.
* Part III requires certain documentary attachments.
* Part IV requires an essay, 500 words or fewer, in response to the question asked.

All completed applications should be submitted such that they are received on or before **Friday, April 7, 2017**, by: Vincent Lai at vincent.lai@bsci.com.

**I. BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**

Name:

Address:

Telephone: Day:   Evening:

Email Address:

Law School:

Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**II. SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (please limit your answers to one paragraph; please type answers below or attach a page to this application form)**

 1. What are your current (or intended) plans for the summer of 2017?

2. List and briefly describe your activities or commitments which are not included on your current resume.

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**III. OTHER REQUIRED DOCUMENTS (please attach to this application form)**

 Your current resume

 Official Transcript or Evaluations from your law school (Note: other degree transcripts are also encouraged, particularly if law school transcripts are unavailable)

 Recommendation from a person not related to you

**IV. ESSAY (500 words or fewer) (please attach your answer to this form)**

 As a future Asian Pacific American lawyer, how do you think you can best contribute to the Asian Pacific American community?

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**Certification**

I understand and acknowledge that I must be enrolled at least half time and in good standing at a law school in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts during 2017-2018 in order to be eligible for and receive the award. I have read and understand all of the terms and conditions of the AALAM/Dow Fund Scholarship.

I understand and acknowledge that I must comply with all of the stated terms and conditions of the Scholarship and that my failure to do so may result in the forfeiture of the entire Scholarship award. I understand that the officers and directors of AALAM or the Dow Fund, and members of the AALAM Scholarship Committee, and their immediate family members, are ineligible for the Scholarship award and I hereby certify that I am not ineligible for the Scholarship on the foregoing basis.

I understand that all materials submitted to AALAM will become the property of AALAM and that AALAM reserves the right to issue public announcements regarding the winner of the Scholarship award and to publish his/her essay and/or other information about the winner.

I certify that all of the information submitted with and all of the statements made in this application or in any document attached hereto are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge as of the date signed below. I certify that the essay attached hereto was written solely by me and is my original work.

 **(Signature) (Date)**