

COMPETITION RULES FOR THE 2017-2018 CRAIG JORDAN CONSUMER PROTECTION WRITING COMPETITION

Eligibility. Any student enrolled in an accredited Texas law school during the 2016-2017 academic year is eligible to participate and may submit one legal essay for this competition.

Authorship. The author must research, write and revise the paper for him or herself but may receive a reasonable amount of advice from professors, practitioners and academicians. Each submission must have only one author.

Submission Deadline. Entries must be submitted no later than 5 p.m. CDT on December 31, 2017 via electronic mail directed to: cjordanwritingcompetition@gmail.com. The submission must be in WORD format in a single file. The time stamp of the submission is based on the receiver's e-mail address and not the sender's email address. Submissions will be acknowledged via e-mail.

Judging. A panel appointed by the Section will judge the entries and all entries will be judged anonymously. All decisions of the panel are final. All applicants will be notified of the panel's decision.

Format. Submissions must be double-spaced, with twelve-point Times New Roman font and one-inch margins and must be in WORD format. The submission should not exceed 20 pages in length, including notes and should conform to the most recent edition of *The Bluebook: A Uniform System of Citation*.

A cover page must be included with the submission. The cover page must contain only the following information:

Title of Essay
Author's Name
Author's year in law school and expected graduation date
Law school name and address
Date article was submitted for academic credit, if so submitted
Author's mailing address and phone numbers
Author's e-mail address.

The author's name and law school must NOT appear anywhere in the essay other than on the cover page as described above.

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