**THE HORIZON SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**2025 APPLICATION FORM**

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

* Enrollment in a licensed New York State court reporting school.
* Attendance at day or night sessions**,** as provided through virtual, distance, or online learning, on a regular basis.
* Qualification on a school-administered test of 150 words per minute with at least 95% accuracy, **as evidenced by a letter from the school’s dean or your instructor**.
* Grade point average of at least “B,” **as evidenced by a current certified school transcript.**
* Applicants are required to submit a **personal essay** under 200 words on what motivated them to enter court reporting school and how becoming a stenographer will improve the quality of their life.
* Must register for classes for the Spring 2025 semester.

**Please note that if any of the above requirements are not met, you will not be considered.**

A one-time scholarship of $1,000, and six one-time scholarships of $500 each will be awarded, based upon scholastic achievement and other criteria established by the Horizon Scholarship FundCommittee. Previous recipients are not eligible to apply. Recipients and their respective schools will be notified by email on or before February 8, 2025. Funds will be disbursed directly to the school in the recipient’s name, to be utilized for tuition, books, and/or supplies.

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Signature Date

**The application package consists of this form and the supporting materials described above. Incomplete applications will not be considered. All application forms and supporting materials must be submitted no later than 5pm, Wednesday, January 8, 2025. Applications should be emailed to nyscra@bowermanagementservices.com.**