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Get Involved

Help us meet the challenge of providing legal education, supporting deserving law students, and presenting prestigious community legal events. There are several ways to participate in furthering the mission of the Beverly Hills Bar Foundation—by volunteering time, providing monetary contributions, and encouraging colleagues to do the same.

- ☛ Join the Hundred Plus Club with a contribution at the \$100, \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, or \$5,000 level.
- ☛ Become a Fellow of the Beverly Hills Bar Foundation by pledging \$2,500.
- ☛ Teach a class for the High School Blue Car Project.
- ☛ Participate in the Citizens Law School and the monthly Roxbury Park Legal Clinic.
- ☛ Join the Vintage Bouquet Committee, the Golf Tournament Committee or apply to become a BHBF Board member.

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A Tradition of Charity and Service

*The philanthropic center of the
Westside legal community—
with over a million dollars in grants
to fund law school scholarships and
law-related education and
community service programs—since 1971.*



About the Beverly Hills Bar Foundation

The Beverly Hills Bar Foundation is the charitable affiliate of the Beverly Hills Bar Association, receiving generous financial and volunteer support from Association members and friends. Since its founding in 1970, the Mission of the Foundation has been to advance justice through education and community service.

Over the years, the Foundation has enhanced the community by proactively identifying unmet needs, then originating and funding a number of nationally recognized legal literacy and preventive law programs and community service projects that address these needs. Further, the Foundation has enriched the legal profession by encouraging and supporting its distinguished group of prominent scholarship recipients.

The Foundation is also proud of its long-standing support of and association with Public Counsel, conceived and founded by the Beverly Hills Bar Association more than 30 years ago and now the nation's largest pro bono law firm. The Foundation, the Association and Public Counsel share a deep commitment to helping others through volunteer service, a cornerstone of the Foundation's tradition of excellence.

Legal Literacy & Community Service

In recent years, the Foundation, an IRC 501(c)(3) public charity, has established legal literacy, i.e., educating members of the public about their legal rights and responsibilities, as a major goal of its charitable giving.

Among the most popular programs staffed by Beverly Hills Bar Association volunteer attorneys are the **High School Blue Car Project** for students, **Wills for Heroes** for first responders, **Citizens Law School** and the Barristers' monthly **Roxbury Park Legal Clinic** for the community.

The High School Blue Car Project has been featured in *The Los Angeles Daily Journal*, which profiled the project's expansion from local to regional. BHBA attorneys volunteer to work with teachers and develop lesson plans based upon each lawyer's specialty and expertise. The lawyer then presents the lesson in the classroom, with the ultimate goal of getting students to not only think about the world of law and consider its impact in their lives but also consider entering the legal profession themselves.

The Foundation also provides funding for unique educational and community service programs. Several **Work/Life Balance** seminars have been presented in conjunction with local law schools, along with a variety of **Law and Justice** programs on topical legal issues, including diversity. Through its funding of these legal literacy and community service projects, the Foundation promotes public understanding and confidence in the rule of law, the role of lawyers, and the function of the judiciary.

Scholarships

The Beverly Hills Bar Foundation and its predecessor, the Beverly Hills Bar Association Scholarship Foundation, have awarded over a million dollars in scholarships to economically disadvantaged, academically qualified law students attending the top-ranked UCLA, USC, Loyola, Pepperdine, and Southwestern Law Schools.

These scholarship awards are presented to the law students in a special ceremony at the Annual BHBA Supreme Court Luncheon, which since 1954 has honored the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the California Supreme Court. The Foundation is proud that its scholarship recipients have distinguished themselves as prominent lawyers, judges, legislators, and community leaders.

Who Supports the Foundation

Beverly Hills Bar Association members, along with other lawyers and law firms, colleagues and peers, make the essential contributions necessary to fostering and expanding the work of the Foundation.

Members and friends are invited to make tribute donations in memoriam or in celebration of law-related events. Members are also encouraged to take advantage of the dues check off on their annual membership as an effortless way to support the Foundation. The Law Guild of Beverly Hills provides additional financial resources.

The Foundation also receives proceeds from noteworthy annual Beverly Hills Bar Association events such as the Supreme Court Luncheon, the Barristers' Vintage Bouquet Wine, Food Tasting and Auction event, and the Golf Tournament.

For more information please contact us at 310 601 2422. Contributions to the Beverly Hills Bar Foundation should be sent to 300 So. Beverly Drive, Suite 201, Beverly Hills, California 90212.

