



Asim K. Desai Memorial Trial Academy Scholarship Guidelines

2023 IADC Trial Academy
August 5-11, 2023, Stanford Law School, Palo Alto, California

INTRODUCTION

Asim Desai was an accomplished lawyer, dedicated IADC member, and staunch advocate and supporter of the IADC Trial Academy. He was one of only a few members to ever serve on two Trial Academy faculties. Even when he wasn't serving on a faculty, he was helping recruit lawyers to serve as mock trial witnesses. His energy for life long learning as an advocate for the rule of law was infectious and admirable.

SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship includes the registration fee (\$3,650) and the housing and meal package (\$1,995) to attend the 2023 Trial Academy. The scholarship recipient is responsible for travel and incidentals.

CANDIDATES

The scholarship will be awarded to a worthy candidate who has shown a dedication to the rule of law and fulfills at least one of the following criteria:

- Works for a small law firm (30 lawyers or fewer)
- Is a solo practitioner
- Is a person of color
- Is a member of an under represented group
- Is employed by a non-profit corporation, non-profit organization, or a public sector entity

METHOD OF SELECTION

Applications are due by Monday, April 10, 2023. They will be reviewed by the selection committee and the successful applicant will be notified by Friday, May 5, 2023.