



Elder Law Writing Competition

Official Entry Form

Affidavit of Eligibility • Release of Liability • Advertising Release

I, _____, being duly sworn on this _____ day of _____, 20 ____, state as follows:

1. I have read, understood, complied with and accept the terms of the NAELA Elder Law Writing Competition (“Competition”).
2. I warrant and represent that (a) I personally wrote the essay submitted by me to the Competition, and (b) the essay submitted by me had not been published prior to its submission to this Competition.

I am a J.D. candidate who has not graduated from law school, and I am a citizen and/or resident of the United States. I am not an employee of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (NAELA) or an immediate family member or member of the household of an employee of NAELA.

4. I hereby release, discharge and hold harmless NAELA and their successors, assigns, officers, employees and agents associated with the Competition from and against any and all liability, loss, damage, expense, claims, settlements or judgments of any kind whatsoever, including attorneys’ fees, whether in contract or in tort, arising directly or indirectly as a result of my participation in the Competition, and my acceptance and use of any prize awarded to me.
5. If selected as a winner, I will provide my social security number and consent to the use of my name, biographical data, pictures, portraits, photographs, voice or likeness and the essay entered by me in the Competition in any form for editorial, advertising, promotional and trade purposes in connection with the promotion by NAELA and succeeding essay competitions sponsored by NAELA and/or any of its corporate supporters. I release NAELA from all liabilities arising out of distortion, optical illusions or faulty mechanical reproductions of my likeness or of any essay submitted by me to the Competition.

I acknowledge that I have no right to approve the advertising or promotional materials that include my likeness or essay submitted by me to the Competition.

Title of Essay

Date

Entrant’s Printed Name

Entrant’s E-mail Address

Law School and Date of Expected Graduation

Street Address

Entrant’s Signature

City State Zip

Telephone Number



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Publicity Release and Waiver of Liability

In connection with and as a condition of my participation in the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys Elder Law Writing Competition (“Competition “):

1. If selected as a winner, I grant to NAELA the right to reproduce, publish, and use, on its website and in any other form, my essay, name, photograph, likeness, biographical information, and statements made by me, whether oral or written. NAELA may edit or modify these materials, and my essay, and may use them anywhere at any time in any medium, without compensation to me. If NAELA proposes to use the materials other than in connection with the Competition, I shall have the right to approve NAELA's activities, including any modifications of the substance of my content, with respect to the use of such materials.
2. If selected as a winner, I hereby assign all rights in my oral and written statements, including the copyright, to NAELA and acknowledge that I will have no further rights in them.
3. I, for myself and anyone related to me, release NAELA or anyone acting on NAELA's behalf, from any and all damages and expenses that I may incur arising from or relating to my participation in the Competition.
4. I will indemnify and hold harmless NAELA and anyone acting on NAELA's behalf from any and all damages, expenses, claims, and causes of action that any other party may have against me or NAELA arising from or relating to my participation in the Competition.

Print Full Name

Signature

Date