



Wade Edwards High School Mock Trial Competition

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“M. Gordon Widenhouse Jr. Award” 2007-2008 Scholarship Application

The “**M. Gordon Widenhouse Jr. Award for Inspirational Team Leadership**” was established to honor the energy and commitment of the High School Mock Trial Competition's first program Chairperson. The award's recipient will not necessarily be a star witness or attorney, but will be the person who held their team together throughout practices and competitions. This scholarship is only open to seniors in high school.

Team advisors should nominate one student per team. Nominated students must submit an 1) essay describing his or her mock trial experience and a 2) letter of recommendation from a team advisor (teacher or attorney). Recommendations should focus on the student's leadership abilities and contributions to his or her mock trial team.

An unattached \$500 scholarship will be awarded to one North Carolina **senior**.

Print:

Student's Full Name _____
Date of Birth _____ School _____
Home Address _____

Note: The student's home address is required for notification purposes only.

Applicants should complete this form and attach a 500-word typed essay addressing the following question: “What have you learned from the mock trial experience? Please address the program's impact on your leadership abilities.” The letter of recommendation can be sent separately.

Submit the application, essay and letters of recommendation to:

NCATL Education Foundation, Inc.

Attn: Liz Avery-Jones, Public Education Coordinator

PO Box 10918, Raleigh, NC 27605-0918

Applications must be received by February 20, 2008