Law Reform Essay Competition 2024 Application Form

Application guidance

* **Applicants** are to complete Sections A, B, and D.
* Section C is to be completed by your **Pupil/Academic Supervisor**.
* This form is best completed on a computer or device.
* For a version of this form that you can print and complete by hand, visit <https://www.barcouncil.org.uk/becoming-a-barrister/students-and-graduates/law-reform-essay-competition/apply.html>

Section A –­­ Personal details

Title

Click or tap here to enter text.

Forename(s)

Click or tap here to enter text.

Surname

Click or tap here to enter text.

Address

Click or tap here to enter text.

Postcode

Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone

Click or tap here to enter text.

Email

Click or tap here to enter text.

Section B –­­ Details of training

Name of educational institution

Click or tap here to enter text.

If you are in pupillage/hold an offer of pupillage, please confirm the name of the Authorised Education and Training Organisation or Chambers

Click or tap here to enter text.

Address of educational institution, AETO or Chambers

Click or tap here to enter text.

Postcode

Click or tap here to enter text.

Name of course

Click or tap here to enter text.

Name of Supervisor / Academic Supervisor

Click or tap here to enter text.

Position in organisation

Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone

Click or tap here to enter text.

Email

Click or tap here to enter text.

Section C –­­ Details of training

To be signed by the Supervisor / Academic Supervisor

I confirm that the entrant Name of applicant.

…is entitled to submit an entry to the Bar Council Law Reform Essay Competition 2024 as:

(tick as appropriate)

(a) being in pupillage,

(b) having an offer of pupillage,

(c) undertaking the academic or vocational component of training for the Bar, or

(d) actively seeking pupillage having completed the vocational component (including, for example, the Bar Course, the Bar/Barrister Training Course/the Bar Practice Course, the Bar Vocational Course, Bar Vocational Studies or Bar Professional Training Course) within the last five years.

Supervisor’s signature and date signed (please print and sign)

Name

Click or tap here to enter text.

Section D – Confirmation

Please tick the practice area to which your essay most relates.

Criminal

Civil

Intellectual Property

Public Law (including parliamentary, administrative and constitutional law)

Human Rights

Financial

International/EU

Family

Medical Negligence/Personal Injury

Employment

Chancery/Commercial

Other (please specify)

Specify area if you selected ‘other’.

Please specify the word count of your essay

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please specify how you heard about the competition

Click or tap here to enter text.

I confirm that the essay I am submitting to the Law Reform Essay Competition 2024 is my sole creation and original work. I have read and understood the **Plagiarism policy**.

I confirm that I have read and understand the **Data protection policy** for this competition.

I confirm that I have read and understand the essay competition **Rules**.

I confirm that I have read and understand the essay competition **Declaration**.

View these documents on the [**Law reform essay competition rules page**](https://www.barcouncil.org.uk/becoming-a-barrister/students-and-graduates/law-reform-essay-competition/eligibility-criteria-and-essay-rules.html).

View the [Bar Council’s privacy statement](https://www.barcouncil.org.uk/useful-information/privacy-statement.html).

**Note:** Once you’ve sign this electronically, you will no longer be able to edit this form.

Double click below to add your signature and the date signed (date is added automatically)



What next

Once you’ve completed this form and your essay, please submit both to [LawReform@BarCouncil.org.uk](mailto:LawReform@BarCouncil.org.uk?subject=Law%20Reform%20Essay%20Competition%20submission)

If you choose to do so, please also complete the [Equal Opportunities Monitoring Form](https://r1.dotdigital-pages.com/p/4CGD-Y5K/law-reform-essay-competition-equality-and-diversity-monitoring-form).