



Property Bar Association

PROPERTY BAR ASSOCIATION ESSAY COMPETITION 2019 RULES

Entrants & Entries

1. The competition is open to current students registered on:
 - (1) a Qualifying Law Degree;
 - (2) the Common Professional Examination (CPE), or an approved Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL); or
 - (3) the Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC).

For a list of qualifying law degrees and approved CPE/GDL courses please refer to the Bar Standards Board website

(<https://www.barstandardsboard.org.uk/qualifying-as-a-barrister/academic-stage/how-to-apply-for-the-academic-stage>).

2. Only one submission is allowed per entrant.
3. The closing date for entries is 6pm on 4 January 2019. Essays should be submitted in word format to enquiries@propertybar.org.uk with "PBA Essay Competition 2019" and the name of the author in the subject line.
4. The entry must be accompanied by a signed declaration in the form of Annex A to these Rules.
5. Essays should be a maximum 1000 words, including footnotes.
6. Essays should be in 12-point text, 1.5 line space with numbered pages.
7. Essays should be the sole creation and original work of the entrant, and must not have been previously entered in any other competition or submitted for publication.

Prizes

- (1) Winner £1,000.00
- (2) 2nd Prize £500.00
- (3) 3rd Prize £250.00

8. The award of all or any of the prizes lies solely within the discretion of the judges. The judges' decision will be final.

Rights

9. The entrant grants the Property Bar Association the right to publish or reproduce at any time all or part of any essay entered.

Interpretation

10. The decision of the Secretary of the Property Bar Association on the interpretation of these Rules will be final.

DECLARATION

PERSONAL DETAILS	
Surname	First Name(s)
Title	
Private Address	
Telephone	Email
TRAINING DETAILS	
Name of Educational Institution	Name of Course
Address	
Telephone	Email
DECLARATION	
I confirm the essay I am submitting to the Property Bar Association essay competition 2019 is my sole creation and original work.	
Signature	Date