

## LAW CAMP FAQs

### When and where is the Future Latino Leaders Law Camp held?

- July 14 to July 22, 2012, in Washington, D.C.

### Who is eligible to apply?

- Rising high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are U.S. citizens, legal permanent residents, or legal U.S. visitors with a valid visa and passport with an interest in a legal career may apply.

### What is the financial cost of the Law Camp?

- It costs \$2,500 per student to participate in the Law Camp. However, due to the generosity of our donors and sponsors the Law Camp is provided at **no cost** to your family. You must arrange for transportation to and from D.C. A few need-based transportation scholarships may be available.

### Where will the students stay during the Camp?

- The students will have a real "college" experience, living in college dorms on the beautiful campus of American University in D.C. Meals will be provided primarily on campus.

### Who will be chaperoning the students?

- Chaperones are adult law students or recent law school graduates and HNBF staff. We provide one chaperone for every six students. Students are supervised at all times during the Camp.

### How do I apply?

- Complete an online application at [www.hnbf.org](http://www.hnbf.org) or print and mail your application form. There is a non-refundable application fee of \$50—waivers available upon request. **Application deadline is March 1, 2012.**

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The Future is  
**NOW!**

¡El Futuro empieza  
**AHORA!**

## The Future Latino Leaders Law Camp

Washington, D.C.  
July 14-22, 2012



## EDUCATION

The HNBF believes that education improves the quality of life for everyone. That's why we are committed to increasing the academic achievement of Latino youth in our nation.

The Future Latino Leaders Law Camp is a unique summer education enrichment program for rising high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors.



Law Camp students learn about trial process and procedure, passing laws, voting and the Latino community, and much more from successful Latino law professors, attorneys, and judges. The students build their public speaking and persuasion skills in preparation for a "mock trial" competition in front of an actual judge.

Personal tours of the U.S. Capitol, Supreme Court, and U.S. Departments of State and Justice provide behind-the-scenes access to our nation's legal process.

## LEADERSHIP

The HNBF believes that anyone can become a leader. Law Camp students gain valuable leadership and life skills during the nine day summer camp. Just a few of the topics we cover include:

- Influence and Negotiation Skills
- Networking and Interpersonal Skills
- Public Speaking and Communication

Influential Latino leaders share their inspirational stories and serve as valuable role models. In addition, there is one counselor for every six students providing individual mentoring throughout the week. The counselors are accomplished law school students or recent JD graduates.



**"The best part of the Law Camp was the people. The students, the presenters, and the staff made the camp one of the most amazing weeks of my life. The success stories of people who came from similar backgrounds as me has inspired me, and showed me that the legal field is an amazing place for Hispanic people."** —Luis Alvarez, 17

## LEGAL CAREERS



During the Law Camp, students are introduced to diverse careers that require law degrees. They hear first hand the obstacles and opportunities Latino leaders experienced to achieve career success.

**"I am really interested in pursuing criminal law and political science after hearing the success stories of many Latinos who overcame impossible odds."** —Jesús Guillén, 16

Students receive guidance from college admissions officers on how to prepare, apply, finance and succeed in college. Additional tools and resources are offered to provide SAT/ACT preparedness. Students are so inspired by the people they meet at the Law Camp; they leave motivated to work harder and apply themselves in school and continue on to college.

**"[The Law Camp] changed my mind completely about entering college. At first I wasn't sure about going to college, but now I am—I will go to college."** —Jeannette Lopez, 16

Apply for the Future Latino Leaders Law Camp Today at [www.HNBF.org](http://www.HNBF.org)