



## PAST PARTICIPATING HIGH SCHOOLS

- Bard
- Beachwood
- Beaumont
- Bedford
- Benedictine
- Brush
- Cleveland Heights/ University Heights
- Cleveland School of the Arts
- Collinwood
- Elyria
- The Facing History School
- Garrett Morgan
- Gilmour
- Glenville
- Jane Addams
- John Hay
- Lincoln West
- Lutheran East
- Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Mayfield
- New Tech East
- Notre Dame Cathedral Latin
- Ohio Virtual Academy
- St. Martin de Porres
- Shaker Heights
- Shaw
- Villa Angela – St. Joseph
- Warrensville Heights
- Washington Park
- Whitney Young

## PAST FACULTY



- **Judge Benita Pearson**, U.S. District Court, N.D. of Ohio
- **Judge Melody Stewart**, Eighth District Court of Appeals
- **Judge Cassandra Collier-Williams**, Cuyahoga County Common Pleas
- **Judge Michelle Earley**, Cleveland Municipal Court
- **Magistrate Retanio Rucker**, Cuyahoga County Juvenile Court
- **Duane Deskins**, City of Cleveland, former federal prosecutor
- **Charles Fleming**, Federal Public Defender's Office, N.D. of Ohio



# 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Stephanie Tubbs Jones SUMMER LEGAL ACADEMY

## JUNE 11–28, 2018



## AT CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

## WHAT IS SUMMER LEGAL ACADEMY?

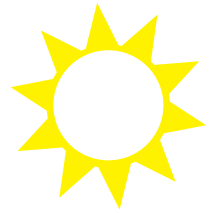
The Stephanie Tubbs Jones Summer Legal Academy is designed to introduce promising minority students to the legal profession. Area high school seniors will participate in a three-week, part-time intensive and very interactive law institute. The faculty of judges and attorneys will introduce the participants to numerous legal issues and career opportunities.



**The program will take place Mondays through Thursdays, June 11 to June 28, 2018, 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**



Students will have the opportunity to earn a one month internship and a stipend. This is a tuition-free program!



The top students in the program will have the opportunity to earn modest scholarships.

## WHAT TO EXPECT

Students will learn about the criminal and civil legal systems and meet and learn from prominent judges, lawyers, and law professors.

## REQUIREMENTS



- Entering the 12<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Nomination from School
- Completed Application Form and Essay
- Two References (one must be from a teacher)
- Transcript or certification by guidance counselor of cumulative G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher
- Resume

**“It was an experience I will never forget ... a great opportunity and chance I would recommend to everyone and anyone to further their education and make their life better.”**

– Former Summer Legal Academy Student

## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- ☀ Orientation and Opening Exercises
- ☀ Overview of a Criminal Case
- ☀ Motions and Arguments
- ☀ Appellate Practice
- ☀ Trial Preparation and Evidence
- ☀ Public Law and Community Activism
- ☀ Applying to and Financing College and Law School
- ☀ Professionalism and Internships
- ☀ Field Trips to Several Courts
- ☀ Networking Opportunities

## APPLICATION

To request an application, please see your guidance counselor or contact the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association at (216) 696-3525. All application materials are due by Friday, April 13, 2018.

**PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO**  
Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association  
Attention: Mary Groth  
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Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1785