

# 2024 Writing Contest

# Criminal Justice Reform

The **Academy for Justice** at the Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law and *Arizona State Law Journal* are seeking applicants for the **2024 Criminal Justice Reform National Writing Competition**.

- Applicants must be enrolled full-time at an ABA-accredited law school at the time of submission.
- Applicants may write on any criminal justice topic, but all submissions should offer recommendation(s) or solution(s) to the problem(s) being highlighted.
- Articles must be no longer than 10,000 words, including footnotes. Shorter articles are also encouraged.
- Article selection criteria will include clarity, accessibility of arguments, practical relevance, measured tone, and discussion of nonpartisan recommendation(s) or solution(s).

To apply, email article submissions to [AJ.ASLJ.crimlawwritingcomp@gmail.com](mailto:AJ.ASLJ.crimlawwritingcomp@gmail.com) by **July 1, 2024 at 11:59 PM**. Winners will be notified in August 2024.

**\$1,000** in prize money will be awarded, and the winner's article will be *considered* for publication in *Arizona State Law Journal*.