Willis R. Tribler Law Student Writing Competition
The Willis R. Tribler Law Student Writing Competition showcases law students in Illinois (and surrounding states) with exceptional writing capabilities to the Institute’s wide network of Illinois attorneys, and to introduce the Institute to law students in order to foster a relationship that we hope will continue throughout their careers. Entries will be judged by a committee comprised of members of the Institute’s professional editorial team and a selection of volunteer contributors.

The 1st place winning entry will be published in a future edition of FLASHPOINTS, the Institute’s monthly e-newsletter featuring updates within several practice areas. FLASHPOINTS boasts a subscriber base of over 12,000 Illinois attorneys, making this an opportunity for the winning entries to achieve a notable curriculum vitae enhancement due to the vast exposure and prestige it provides. Winners will also be recognized at an IICLE® event, to be announced.

The Guidelines for entries are as follows:

- All entries must be submitted on or before April 30, 2020. Submissions should be sent electronically to the attention of Doug Urbanski at durbanski@iicle.com and state “WRT Student Writing Competition Entry” in the subject line of the e-mail transmission.
- Articles must concern a recent decision and/or trend in a specific practice area, and include a “review” of the case, as well as a brief discussion on the impact of the ruling or trend on practicing attorneys in Illinois.
- Submissions are limited to a maximum word count of 2,500.
- Articles must be submitted in rich-text (Microsoft Word) format.
- Content must be the original work of the submitting author.
- Although IICLE® has a unique, in-house citation style, please follow Bluebook for all authority referenced in the article. Note that editorial staff will adjust citation style.
- IICLE® is renowned for the practical nature of all of our professional publications. As such, the winning entries will be selected for their application to everyday practice.

Student Ambassador Program Description
We’re looking for individuals with integrity and a respectable academic record to represent the Institute on the law school campus. Student Ambassadors will be embarking on their 2nd or 3rd year of law school for the 2019-2020 academic term, and will serve as liaisons between IICLE® and the law students at each Ambassador’s respective school and promote the Institute on the law school campus.

Some of the Student Ambassador responsibilities will be:

- to distribute informational materials and promotional items to law students
- to engage on social media with law students about IICLE® offerings and activities happening at the Institute
- to assist representatives from the Institute on visits to the campus
- to participate in periodic surveys from the Institute

Student Ambassadors will have the opportunity to experience the following:

- networking opportunities with practicing attorneys
- networking opportunities with Student Ambassadors from other schools
- an additional year of access to the Institute’s New Lawyer Starter Kit benefits, worth over $1,700 (typically limited to 2 years post-graduation)
- resume booster
- branded “swag”

To request an electronic application, e-mail skalabus@iicle.com.