Success Stories

Two students from The University of Texas at Arlington were chosen for the national Sidley Prelaw Scholars Program in recognition of their academic achievements and their potential as future lawyers.

Senior political science major Tiffany Nicasio and junior communication and history major Mickaela Alves were honored by Sidley Austin LLP, a large U.S.-based law firm with headquarters in Chicago. The firm's Sidley Scholars Program is dedicated to increasing diversity in law schools and the legal profession. As Sidley Scholars, Nicasio and Alves will receive financial assistance to help them pursue their law degrees.

Read more about our Sidley Scholars here: https://www.uta.edu/news/releases/2017/03/sidley-scholars.php

Just before his senior year began, UTA student Daniel Winston-Ruiz suffered a deep personal loss. But he battled through grief, worked incredibly hard, and gained acceptance to all of the top law schools in the nation. See more about Daniel’s success story here: https://utalibartsnews.wordpress.com/2016/05/10/daniel-winston-ruiz-pre-law-success-story/ https://youtu.be/MmW-uCf_BDQ

Albea Romero was a political science major at the University of Texas Arlington. Albea credits her childhood in El Salvador for making the decision to study political science. Hear about Albea’s story here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8VPWjj-2ojU

Pre-Law Center Spring 2018 Graduate Mickaela Alves Rosario had an uphill battle to overcome when getting into law school. Needing to care for her young son and disabled mother, Mika shares her journey from struggle to success on her path towards a legal career: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-jizI0WHNss