

DELAWARE-DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA-MARYLAND ASFAA, Inc. Scholarship Application Form 2019-2020

The DE-DC-MD Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators has established a scholarship fund that will award a minimum of three \$1,000 scholarships to students who attend an eligible institution within each geographic area.

Student Eligibility and Application Process:

Students must meet the following criteria to be considered for this scholarship:

- 1. Attend an eligible DE-DC-MD institution during the July 1, 2019 June 30, 2020 academic year. An eligible institution is defined as an institution with at least one member with an active membership with the DE-DC-MD ASFAA during 2018-2019.
- 2. Demonstrate financial need as defined by the FAFSA and the institution.
- 3. Possess the following GPA and standing -

Undergraduates:

- A cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 or the equivalent.
- At least a second year standing (as defined by your institution) prior to the start of the 2019-2020 academic year or,
- Completion of one-half of a one year course of study in a private career school.
- Graduates/Professionals:
 - A cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 or the equivalent.
- Completion of at least one year of your program of study.
- 4. Enroll as a full time student as defined by your institution.
- 5. Submit the completed application and all required documents (essay and letter of recommendation) to your Financial Aid Office. Your Financial Aid Director <u>MUST</u> certify your application eligibility to complete the application process.

Application Guidelines:

Essay: submit a brief essay, no more than one typed page in length, explaining why you feel you would be a good candidate for this scholarship. Include your educational and career goals, jobs held while in college, volunteer or community service performed, and any special circumstances that the Scholarship Committee should be aware of in making a selection.

Letter of Recommendation: submit one letter of recommendation from an academic counselor or professor with your application.

Certification Process: the Financial Aid Director at your school can certify only one (1) eligible candidate and must submit the completed scholarship application by May 1, 2019 to James Roye, Awards and Scholarships Committee, by email <u>james.roye@umuc.edu</u>.

Applicants will be notified of their status in mid-May. Scholarship checks will be made payable to the student's institution and will be issued prior to the start of the Fall 2019 semester.

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Application Deadline to UMBC: April 1, 2019

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2019-2020

Student Name:						
	First Name	MI	Last Name		School ID	
Home Address:						
	Street Address		City	State	Zip Code	
Contact Informa	ation:					
	Home Phone	Cell Phone			ail Address	
Degree Credits/	Units expected to be	EARNED by August	1, 2019:	Circle: Cl	lock Hours, Quarter Hours, C	Credits
Field of Study (Major):			Anticipated Degree:			
					S, AAS, BS, BA, MBA, etc.	
Expected Progra	am Completion Date/	Graduation:				
				Month/Year		

Student's Statement of Candidacy:

I authorize the DE-DC-MD ASFAA, Inc. to use the above background information for publicity purposes should I be selected for the scholarship. I also authorize my Financial Aid Office to release information concerning my academic and financial aid history as requested in this application to the DE-DC-MD ASFAA, Inc. I understand that I must take my complete application package to my Financial Aid Office to determine my academic eligibility and to complete the certification process.

Student Signature

Date