

The Hilton Head Island Branch of the American Association of University Women 2012 Scholarship Application

Awards

In our efforts to support educational and career development of women, the Hilton Head Branch of AAUW is pleased to present its 2012 scholarship offerings. Three individual scholarships will be awarded: \$500, \$1000 and \$1500. The awards are applicable to tuition and fees only and will be paid by AAUW directly to the college, university, vocational or technical school. Documented proof of continuation or acceptance into a 2012 program of study is required. The award must be used by the end of the 2012 calendar year. Previous award recipients are eligible for consideration, but must re-apply.

Application Instructions

The application process requires the applicant to review the eligibility requirements, print a copy of the application, include the required enclosures, and mail a completed and signed application by the postmark deadline.

Applicant Eligibility

- Woman, age 25 or older
- Resident of Beaufort County, SC, south of the Broad River
- Earned secondary school diploma or GED
- Current or planned enrollment in full or part-time program at an accredited 2 or 4 year college, university, vocational or technical school

Personal Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Date of Birth
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Home Phone	Cell Phone	E-mail Address
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Academic Information

Educational Background

- Earned High School Diploma _____ Year _____
- Earned GED _____ Year _____
- Current College Student _____
- Earned Bachelors' Degree _____
Institution _____
Year _____ Degree/Major _____
Cum GPA _____
- Other (explain) _____

If awarded, the scholarship will be applied toward:

- College/university _____
- Vocational/technical school _____
- Graduate school (masters or doctorate) _____
- Professional school (law, medical etc.) _____
- Other _____

Name of the college, university, vocational or technical school you are currently attending _____

Location: _____ Dates of Attendance _____

What program or major field of study are you pursuing? _____

How many credit hours have you earned toward your goal? _____

What is your cumulative GPA? _____

How many credits do you need to complete your goal? _____

What is the expected date of completion? _____

If you are not currently enrolled, what is the name and location of the institution you plan to attend? _____

Have you been accepted to this institution? Yes _____ No _____

Employment Experience

Are you currently employed? Yes ___ No ___ Part-time ___ Full-time ___

List salaried positions you have held during the last four years. Include dates, and military service if applicable. (Use additional pages if necessary).

Honors, Awards and Leadership Positions

List specific honors, awards and/or leadership positions and the organizations involved.

Memberships and Volunteer Community Service

List specific organizations and describe your volunteer roles within those organizations.

Educational and Career Goals

In a statement of 150 words or less, discuss your educational and career objectives and how receiving this scholarship will help you accomplish them.

Required Enclosures

1. Letter documenting proof of continuation or acceptance into a 2012 program of study
2. Copy of your most recent post-secondary transcript, reflecting all courses completed to date. Submit high school transcript or documentation of GED only if you have not pursued post-secondary studies
3. Summary of honors, awards and leadership positions
4. Summary of memberships and volunteer community service
5. Educational and career goals statement

Consent

In order to assist you in seeking more scholarship opportunities, do we have your consent to share this application with other scholarship sources? Yes ___ No ___

Application Postmark Deadline:

Friday, March 9, 2012

Incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered for award.

Mail Application To:

Donna R. Bafundo
13 Old Fort Lane
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____