

2024 Student Scholarship Application & Requirements

Mission:

To provide financial support for the professional development, training and networking of college students in hospitality seeking to further their career in Club Management.

Scholarship Awards

The National Capital Chapter of the Club Management Association of America will award two scholarships annually, based on the availability of funds and merit of applications. In order to help recipients further their development as students in hospitality dedicated to club management, the scholarship will fund \$1,000 to be applied toward registration costs to any National Capital Chapter Board-approved continuing education program (not just CMAA-related) and reimbursable expenses directly related to travel, lodging, etc.

The scholarship will be granted based on recommendations made by the National Capital Chapter Scholarship Committee and approved by the National Capital Chapter Board of Directors.

Who Should Apply

The scholarship is open to any student who is a member of the Student Chapter of CMAA and is working toward their degree in hospitality or similar field.

Requirements

- 1. Current Resume
- 2. Completed Application (below)
- 3. Letter of Recommendation from the Student Chapter President, a professor, or a club management professional
- 4. Essay highlighting the following:
 - a. What excites you about a career in Club Management
 - b. How you plan on using the scholarship
 - c. Why you are the best candidate to receive the scholarship
 - d. Expectations:
 - i. Essay may not exceed 500 words

Deadline for submitting requirements is October 1, 2023.

The National Capital Chapter Student Scholarship winner will be determined by December 1st and recognized at the Chapter's Winter Gala Dinner in January.

Materials can be sent to:

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TO APPLICANT: Please complete the following information. All applicants must be current students majoring or minoring in hospitality management with a desire to pursue a career in club management. Deadline for submission of this application is October 1, 2023. NO APPLICATION WILL BE PROCESSED WITHOUT THE ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS ATTACHED.					
Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial			Date	Current Employer (if applicable)	
School Street Address City, State, Zip			School Email Address		
Home Street Address City, State, Zip			Personal Email Address		Phone
US Citizen or Permanent Resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No			☐ Male ☐ Other ☐ Female		
College or University Attending:	Attending: Major/Minor Fields of Study:		pected Date of Graduation:	: CMAA/Other Organization Leadership Activities:	
CMAA or Other Educational Opportunities Already Attended:			Desired CMAA or Other Educational Opportunity if Awarded Scholarship:		
Participation with CMAA, NCCMA chapter events, club internships or jobs:		Based on Above, why do you feel the opportunity you selected is of the most benefit right now?			
Volunteer/Community Service Participation					
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE					
My signature affirms and certifies the information submitted is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.					