



KyCPA College Scholarships

Since 1988, the Foundation has provided scholarships in amounts up to \$2,500. The scholarships recognize scholastic achievement and leadership qualities in students who plan to become CPAs. Scholarship awards are based on acceptable academic performance and financial need. If you are an outstanding accounting student attending a *Kentucky* college or university and a U.S. citizen, you are eligible to apply for a college scholarship from the Educational Foundation of the KyCPA.

To be eligible for the scholarships, applicants must:

- Be enrolled in a Kentucky-based college or university and be at least a sophomore at the time of application,
- Be a U.S. citizen,
- Have an overall grade point average of at least 2.75 and an accounting grade point average of 3.0,
- Have completed Principles of Accounting,
- Have completed or are enrolled in Intermediate Accounting,
- Indicate plans to sit for the CPA exam (applicants who have completed all or parts of the exam are also eligible),
- Intend to stay and work/live in Kentucky upon graduation,
- If selected, recipient needs to agree to apply for student membership to the KyCPA/AICPA before the scholarship is awarded.

To apply for a scholarship, applicants should complete the online application form and submit the documents listed below by 3:00 p.m EST, Feb. 18, 2019.

Applicants must create a thiswaytocpa.com account to access the scholarship application. The documents below must be uploaded upon completion of the application **and** should be uploaded as .pdf files.

1. College transcript(s). *Unofficial transcripts are acceptable.*
2. One-page resume. Include info on community service, academic organizations and activities.
3. Two Letters of Recommendation; letters should come from business school professors, who have (or are currently) taught the applicant, with at least one being an accounting-specific educator. *Educators will upload these themselves; your application is not considered complete until both are received, therefore you will be unable to submit until your recommendations are fulfilled.*

Applications accepted Dec. 1, 2018 – Feb. 18, 2019, 3 pm EST

Winners will be notified by April 1. The scholarships will be presented at the Kentucky Society of CPAs Spring Awards Banquet in Louisville on April 26, 2019. **Questions?** Contact Samantha Soutar at ssoutar@kycpa.org or 502.266.5272 or 800.292.1754 (toll-free in Ky.).

More info: www.kycpa.org