

Colorado Government Finance Officers Association
CAREERS AND OUTREACH SCHOLARSHIP
Instructions

Award

The CGFOA Scholarship will be awarded to an individual enrolled either full or part-time entering at least the junior year of undergraduate or graduate study in an accredited Colorado college or university preparing for a career in state and local government finance.

Amount: *Scholarship award - \$1,000*

Closing Date for Application: *November 30, 20xx*

Award Announcement: *December 20, 20xx*

Eligibility Requirements

1. *Colorado resident enrolled either in full or part-time study in an accredited Colorado college or university.*
2. *Entering at least the junior year of undergraduate study preparing for a career in state and local government finance.*
3. *Declared major in a field of study related to accounting, finance, budgeting or other similar area.*
4. *Good academic standing.*
5. *CGFOA Board of Directors family members are not eligible.*

Application Submission Requirements: *Applicants must submit the following documents for consideration by the scholarship committee:*

1. *Completed application*
2. *One page paper regarding public sector career plans and why you deserve this scholarship*
3. *Resume*
4. *Copy of academic transcript including a list of classes taken, grades, and current class schedule*
5. *Recommendation from student's academic advisor or chair of the accounting program*
6. *Proof of Colorado residency*

All of the above items are to be submitted in a single envelope, postmarked no later than November 30, 20xx.

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The Colorado Government Finance Officers Association (CGFOA) is a 501(c)6 not-for-profit organization. The purpose of CGFOA is to improve the practice of government finance in Colorado; promote ethical, high quality governmental service; and facilitate education and sharing of information. The CGFOA Careers and Outreach Committee will review all applications and make a final selection of the award, subject to final approval by the CGFOA Board of Directors. The winner will be notified in writing on or before December 20, 2012. For additional information, call Kathy Velzen at the CGFOA (303-922-4647)

CGFOA, PO Box 620217, Littleton, CO 80162

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Form to be completed by applicant

Name:

Address:

Telephone: _____

Proof of Colorado Residency:

Employer:

Employer Telephone #: _____ Date Employment: _____

Undergraduate School:

School's Location:

Major/Minor:

Anticipated Date of Graduation:

Graduate School: (If applicable)

School's Location:

Degree Sought:

Anticipated Date of Graduation:

Undergraduate Grade Point Average: _____ Graduate Grade Point Average: _____