

COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES FORUM

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

CRITERIA AND ELIGIBILITY

Who is eligible?

The children, step children and grandchildren of all CTF Members in good standing. Good Standing is defined as dues are paid in full for the current year. CTF members themselves may also apply for this award.

What is awarded?

A \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a student enrolled in an undergraduate or master's program at an accredited four year college or university. The scholarships will be made payable directly to the institution of learning upon receipt of a tuition statement.

How to apply?

Complete the CTF scholarship application (available at www.eachicago.org/education or www.eachicago.org/divisions on the CTF page) and have the CTF referring member and appropriate school official complete their respective sections of the application form. Attach all required documents according to the checklist. Return the application, current high school or college transcripts, recommendation forms and goal aspiration essay to the Electric Association Education Foundation office no later than the stated deadline.

How are the scholarships awarded?

A selection committee will review all of the applications (applicant and CTF members' names will be omitted from the materials that are presented to the selection committee). The Scholarship will be awarded to the chosen recipient before the start of the fall semester of the coming school year.

Successful applicants will be selected based on;

- past educational performance
- leadership and participation in school and community activities
- continued educational and career goals and aspirations
- recommendations by institution, advisors and family friends

This scholarship is open to all academic degrees, but the CTF Scholarship Committee reserves the right to give special attention to those seeking a degree in a technology field.

Recipients are responsible for notifying the CTF & Electric Association Education Foundation of any changes in mailing address, school, educational plans or other relevant information.

Questions?

All questions about the scholarship programs should be directed to the Electric Association Education Foundation. (630)305-3050

Program Administration

The CTF reserves the right to amend, modify or terminate the program at any time without prior notice.

All matters relating to the interpretation, application or administration of these programs shall be determined by the CTF and the Electric Association Education Foundation, and its determination shall be final.

The Communication Technologies Forum Division of the Electric Association administers this scholarship program through the Electric Association Education Foundation, a charitable organization educating the Chicagoland electrical community.

Electric Association Education Foundation

17W733 Butterfield Road, Suite B, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

Phone 630-305-3050, Fax 630-305-3056

www.eachicago.org/education



COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES FORUM
Division of the Electric Association



2019-2020 CTF Scholarship Application

**Type or print all information
except for signatures**

If space provided in any section proves inadequate,
information may be continued on additional sheets
of paper and attached to the application.

**APPLICANT
DATA**

NAME Last _____ First _____
PERMANENT HOME MAILING ADDRESS Street _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Phone _____ Email _____

**CTF REFERRING
MEMBER INFORMATION**

NAME Last _____ First _____
COMPANY _____
Relationship to Applicant _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

**EDUCATIONAL
INSTITUTION
INFORMATION
(College you plan to attend)**

SCHOOL _____
School Year (ie: Freshman, Sophomore, Graduate) _____
Street _____ City _____
State _____ Zip Code _____
Phone (_____) _____

**FIELD OF
STUDY**

**ACTIVITIES,
HONORS AND
AWARDS**

List all school activities in which you have participated during the **past four years** (e.g. student government, music, sports, etc.). List all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the **past four years** (e.g. Boy/Girl Scouts, hospital volunteer, etc.). Indicate all special awards, honors and offices held. Use additional sheets as necessary.

Activity	No. of Years	Special Awards/Honors	Offices Held

**TRANSCRIPT
INFORMATION
(REQUIRED)**

You must include an official current school transcript of grades and have the following section completed by the appropriate school official.

Cumulative grade point average _____ /4.0 scale

School Official's Signature _____ Title _____

Date _____ Phone (____) _____

**SCHOLARSHIPS
AND/OR GRANTS**

Have you been awarded any other scholarships and/or grants for the upcoming school year?

☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

If yes, please complete the following:

Name of Scholarship or Grant	Provided By	Amount

CERTIFICATION

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I agree to give proof of information I have given on this form. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted. This application becomes the property of the Electric Association Education Foundation.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

CTF Member's Signature _____ Date _____

GOAL ASPIRATION ESSAY

Write a 150 word essay describing your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives and future goals. Use additional sheets as necessary, or type on a separate page and include in your application.

Applicants will be judged on grammar, spelling, clarity and content. (You may type this on a separate form and return with your application packet.)

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Applicant Recommendation Form

To be completed by school counselor or advisor, an instructor, supervisor, or family friend who knows you well. Only one of the appraisers can be a family friend. Type written letters of recommendation are also accepted.

You have been asked to provide information in support of this scholarship application. When completed, please return to applicant in a sealed envelope.

The applicant's achievements reflect his/her ability	<input type="checkbox"/> extremely well	<input type="checkbox"/> very well	<input type="checkbox"/> moderately well	<input type="checkbox"/> not well
The applicant's ability to set realistic and attainable goals is	<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> poor
The quality of the applicant's commitment to school and community is	<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> poor
The applicant is able to seek, find and use learning resources	<input type="checkbox"/> extremely well	<input type="checkbox"/> very well	<input type="checkbox"/> moderately well	<input type="checkbox"/> not well
The applicant demonstrates curiosity and initiative	<input type="checkbox"/> extremely well	<input type="checkbox"/> very well	<input type="checkbox"/> moderately well	<input type="checkbox"/> not well
The applicant demonstrates good problem-solving skills, follows through and completes tasks	<input type="checkbox"/> extremely well	<input type="checkbox"/> very well	<input type="checkbox"/> moderately well	<input type="checkbox"/> not well
The applicant's respect for self and others is	<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> poor

Comment

Appraiser's Name _____ Title _____

Relationship to Applicant _____ Telephone No. (_____) _____

How long have you know the applicant? _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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Applicant Checklist

Complete APPLICANT INFORMATION section of Scholarship Application Form.

- Have CTF member complete CTF Referring Member INFORMATION section of Scholarship Application Form.
- Have appropriate school official complete SCHOOL DATA section of Scholarship Application Form and enclose official current school transcript.
- Have two of the following complete the APPLICANT RECOMMENDATION FORM: school counselor or advisor, an instructor, supervisor, or family friend who knows you well.
- Provide GOAL ASPIRATION ESSAY.
- Carefully review application to ensure all sections of application are fully and properly completed.
- Return completed application, transcript of grades and supporting documents to the Electric Association Education Foundation, Attention: CTF Scholarship Committee, 17W733 Butterfield Road, Suite B, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181 by July 15. **Your completed application must be physically in the office before or on July 15, 2019 to be considered for the scholarship. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered by the scholarship selection committee.**