

Washington JCI Senate Scholarship Application Form 2012

Eligibility Requirements

This is member-benefit scholarship open to Washington JCI Senators and children, grandchildren, and/or great-grandchildren of Washington State JCI Senators. Applicants must be either currently enrolled, accepted to or have an application pending with an institution of higher education, public or private, to be considered. Vocational-technical institutes, colleges, community colleges, and universities all qualify as eligible scholarship candidates. Nonresidents of Washington States are eligible.

Scholarship Grant Administration

Scholarship award shall be applied toward the recipient's tuition and fees in direct relation to enrollment documentation for the 2012-13 academic year received by the scholarship committee. Scholarship funds will be released directly to the academic institution on behalf of the recipient. The Scholarship committee reserves the right to establish scholarship values.

Judging Criteria and Judging Classifications

Applications will be reviewed and judged by the Washington JCI Senate Scholarship Committee, a committee composed of Senate members. The primary intent of the committee is to discover well-rounded and civic-oriented men and women and to assist them in advancing their education. A weight of 80% is assigned to the judging criterion for community service and/or extracurricular community involvement. Factors such as the impact, duration and breadth of civic activism, as well as management/ leadership skills, will be considered. The remainder of the application is assigned a weight of 20% during the judging process.

Applicants will be judged against their peers as it is recognized that adult students have diverse lifestyles and responsibilities. Scholarship applications from graduating high school students will be pooled and justified against each other, existing higher education students and returning students rise to a second and third judging classification poll.

Application Deadline

The postmark deadline or hand delivered (6:30 pm) deadline of completed scholarship application is **Tuesday, May 1, 2012** (See address below). A duplicate application must be submitted along with the original application, and are not to be bound in folders or binders. Applications that are incomplete or postmarked after May 1, 2012 will not be considered.

Announcement

Scholarship winners will be contacted by the Washington JCI Senate Scholarship Committee on or before May 15, 2012 and must then provide proof of acceptance to a post-secondary institution to remain an eligible recipient.

Washington State JCI Senate Scholarship Committee, C/O Dan Harries # 46204
1334 McCarroll Street Apt # 1, Clarkston, WA 99403
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Washington JCI Senate Scholarship 2012 Application Format

Complete the following profile section:

Applicants need to provide full legal name, as well as address and phone numbers for both home and campus where they can be contacted. Your social security number may be needed for identification purposes by academic institutions.

Full Legal Name _____

Social Security Number _____

Student Identification Number (if available) _____

Campus

Street Address (put NA if not Applicable) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Campus Phone (including area code) _____

Home

Permanent Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Permanent Phone (including area code) _____

Check one _____ Graduating High School Senior - Class of 2012

_____ Continuing undergraduate or graduate student (continue student status)*

High School Class of _____

_____ Returning student (neither of the above and /or least of the above and at least one year break from school)*

High School Class of _____

* For demographic purposes, please indicate the year of your high school graduation

Fulfill the following requirements to compose your application:

- I. **Civic History Summary** - Prepare a one-page typewritten outline of your civic history. Community activities, volunteer services, political campaigns, extracurricular activities, athletic or church involvement may be a part of your history. Promote those that distinguish you from your peers. Supply dates for each cited activity.

- II. **Civic History Detail** - Prepare and attach a typewritten essay of up to three pages as follows: Select two or three events or activities from your civic history outline above that are/were the most important to you. Describe them more fully and explain why each was important to you. You should consider the impact it had on you as an individual or the community. Otherwise, you are free to utilize the three pages however you feel best.

- III. **Civic Aspiration Goals(s)** - Express your future goals and/or aspirations in the area of civic activity or community development. Please limit your thoughtful response to one page typewritten.
- III. **Testimonials/Substantiations** - Attach up to three letters of recommendation or acknowledgements from individuals knowledgeable of your community service and/or extracurricular activities/community involvement. Testimonials from nonprofit agencies, volunteer organizations, elected officials, and beneficiaries of your community service efforts are strongly encouraged. No more than one letter from teachers or counselors will be accepted. A photocopy of the recommendations/acknowledgements letter in lieu of the original is acceptable. Testimonial/Substantiations must be submitted with this application - do not have it mailed separately. Allow several weeks to receive testimonials from community contracts.
- IV. **Grade point Average (except returning students)** - Attach a copy of scholastic transcript. An unsealed, unofficial transcript is acceptable for our purpose. Submit the transcript with this application - do not mail separately. Allow at least one week to receive your current transcript.
- V. **Other Preliminary verification of enrollment status at Washington institution. Check one.**
- (1) I am continuing students at the institution on my transcript _____
- (2) I am an incoming student and have attach letter of acceptance _____
- (3) My enrollment status will be pending as of Tuesday, May 1, 2012 _____

This side of the Application Format and Cover Letter is page one of your application. Underneath this sheet, arrange the attachments required under section I-V in the order presented. The resultant set of pages comprises the entire scholarship application to be submitted. Only staple the application and duplicate set - do not package the application in binder or folders.

Forward the entire application set and a complete duplicate on or by Tuesday, May 1, 2012 to the following address:

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