

2017 SCFEA Student Scholarship Application



The South Carolina Festival and Event Association is committed to the progress and promotion of the festival and event industry in South Carolina. The Association believes that current college students enrolled in hospitality and tourism programs within the state's university and college systems are vital to the future growth and development of the industry. In 2011, the SCFEA board approved awarding a \$500 scholarship to a deserving student. The following guidelines were established:

1. Student must be a South Carolina resident enrolled full-time at a post secondary institution in South Carolina.
2. Student must be enrolled in a hospitality, tourism, parks, recreation, or event management program.
3. Student must have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA.
4. Student must submit a resume.
5. Student must have earned a minimum (or will have earned by the time of the conference) of 45 credit hours.
6. Student must complete a minimum of a 500 word essay describing his/her career goals and objectives.
7. Student must submit a letter of recommendation from a professor, intern advisor or other event/hospitality related supervisor.
8. Student must attend the annual Event Planner's Conference January 29 & 30, 2017 in Greenville, SC. (SCFEA will cover one night of lodging expenses and registration fees for scholarship recipient)

Applications must include an unofficial transcript stating the student's intended major and grades (an official transcript may be required before the scholarship is awarded).

The application, resume, essay, letter of recommendation and unofficial transcript must be received by December 16, 2016. Items should be mailed to:

SCFEA
Attn: Scholarship Committee
PO Box 42205
Charleston, SC 29423

Questions regarding the scholarship should be directed to info@scfea.com or 843-614-2357.

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Applicant Name (First & Last)

Address (school)

City

State

Zip

Address (home)

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

College/University

Major

Current GPA

No changes and/or additions can be made to an application packet once it is submitted. By submitting the above information, I affirm the information is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if selected as the scholarship recipient, I must attend the 2017 Event Planner's Conference in Greenville, SC January 29 & 30.

Name

Signature

Date

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The scholarship deadline is December 16, 2016. The scholarship will be presented in Greenville, SC, on Monday, January 30, 2017 at the annual Excellence Awards Presentation. The scholarship winner will be notified on or before January 2, 2017.