

2012-2013 ECSU FOUNDATION, INC. COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

FOR CURRENTLY REGISTERED ECSU STUDENTS ONLY

PLEASE READ THE ENTIRE FORM CAREFULLY....

Please fill in the application below, online. After completing the form, print it out and either mail it or drop it off to the Office of Institutional Advancement (Gelsi-Young Hall, Room 137) by 5:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, November 22, 2011**. Hand-written applications cannot be accepted. With regard to the 350 word essay in Section III, you are encouraged to attach another page. You must also provide the Office of Institutional Advancement with **one written reference** attesting to your abilities and/or achievements with an **original signature**. If you select a faculty or staff member for your reference, they may access the "Reference Form" online at http://www.easternct.edu/advancement/development/Faculty_Reference.pdf. All references must be received at the Office of Institutional Advancement by 5:00 p.m. on **November 22**. **YOU are responsible for seeing that this is done!** The reference may not be from a family member. Please understand that incomplete files CANNOT be considered **regardless of the reason** that they are incomplete.

The ECSU Scholarship Committee will evaluate each application and recipients will be selected based on the committee's ratings. Notification will be sent to all applicants, both recipients and non-recipients, in early March. Recipients are expected to attend any recognition ceremony that might be held or risk forfeiting their scholarship.

Note: Students graduating in May or August of 2012 are NOT eligible to apply unless they will be enrolled as a matriculated student AT EASTERN for the Fall 2012 semester. Non-matriculated students, current or future, are also NOT eligible to apply.

OTHER CRITERIA:

- A) Students must successfully complete at least 24 credits at Eastern or another two-year or four-year institution by the start of the Fall 2011 semester and be enrolled *full time* at Eastern (12 credits or more) to be considered for the awards.
- B) Students must have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of **2.75 or better at the start of the Fall 2011 semester.**

GOOD LUCK!

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WITH 24 OR MORE CREDITS BY THE START OF FALL 2011

Must be completed with reference letter and returned to Gelsi-Young Hall, Room 137, on or before 5 p.m. on 11/22/11

*****THIS APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED*****

SECTION I: Personal Information

Name _____ Eastern ID# _____ Local Phone # _____

Permanent Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Campus address _____

Expected Grad Date _____ Major _____ Minor _____ * Cum. GPA _____ * Total number of credits completed _____
(as of 9/1/11) (as of 9/1/11)

* if applicable (current freshmen and transfer students who have not yet completed a semester will leave this blank)

Will you be registered as a full or part-time student for Spring 2012? _____

Are you currently receiving an Eastern scholarship (i.e. Academic Excellence, Dean, Honors or President's)? Please list.

Other college(s) attended (if any) _____

SECTION II: Please complete this section as appropriate (use additional sheet if necessary):

A. Community/Volunteer service **outside** EASTEN
(indicate the # of hours per year / number years service completed)

B. EASTERN extra-curricular activities / community service
(indicate the # of hours per year / number years service completed)

Ex: Habitat for Humanity (25 hours per year, '09, '11)

Ex. Women's BB (400 hours annually/ '08 - '11)

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3. _____

4. _____

4. _____

C. Additional comments for the committee's consideration (**50 word limit**). Do not write an "appeal" for money. **Include any awards or personal achievements.**

SECTION III: Required Essay. *Limit your answer to 350 words.*

Identify a person you know well (alive or deceased) that you respect/admire and explain why.

*****DO NOT TYPE BELOW THIS LINE / FOR OFFICE USE ONLY*****

References: 1. _____

Verified Cum. GPA: _____ # credits completed _____ Other: _____