



ALASKA GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

\$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Alaska Government Finance Officers Association (AGFOA) annually offers three scholarships to college students preparing for a career in state and local government finances.

Scholarships Available – The following scholarships are available for the 2019 – 2020 school year:

1. The Vern Johnson Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 for a full-time undergraduate student.
2. The Norman Levesque Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 for a full-time undergraduate student.
3. The Carl Hille Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 for a full-time or part-time undergraduate or graduate student.

Eligibility Criteria – Applications will be accepted from those applicants who comply with the following:

1. Must be a citizen of the United States;
2. Must meet Alaska residency as defined by AS 01.10.055;
3. Must have junior or senior level standing during the year or a graduate student in which the scholarship will be received;
4. Must provide evidence of grade point average of 3.0 or higher; and
5. Must have declared pursuit of a Business degree in the area of accounting, finance, or related field (i.e., financial management, risk management, auditing, banking, public administration, public policy, mathematics, economics and political science).

Application – Applications will be accepted for the 2019 fall semester. Applicants can apply online or by mail. In addition to this application form, the applicant must submit:

1. A current college transcript;
2. A letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer, or mentor; and
3. A two- to three-page essay (1.5 spaced, font size 12) describing:
 - a. What area of public finance most interests the applicant and why; and
 - b. Why the applicant has chosen a specific teacher, employer, or mentor to provide a recommendation.

APPLY ONLINE

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 2019

No late applications will be accepted. Postmarked applications will not be considered as timely submission of applications. Applicants must submit the AGFOA Scholarship Application and accompanying materials to:

MAIL: Julie Liew, AGFOA Scholarship Committee Chair
City of Nome
PO Box 281
Nome, AK 99762

ONLINE: www.agfoa.com

An evaluation committee will review scholarship applications and **those selected will be notified by May 15, 2019**. The selected applicants will be invited to attend a one-day session of AGFOA Fall Conference in November 2019. The scholarship will be paid directly to the school where the applicant will be attending, and may be applied to tuition and/or other academic fees. The scholarship may also be used for correspondence courses.

APPLICATION FORM

1. _____
Last Name First Name M.I.

2. _____
Address

3. _____
Telephone Number How did you find out about this scholarship?

4. Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes No A resident of Alaska? Yes No

5. What will be your class standing in the 2019-2020 school year? Junior Senior Graduate

6. College at which you would use the scholarship and major field of study: _____

7. Employment History:

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>	<u>Dates of Employment</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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8. List awards, achievements and relevant activities: _____

9. 2019-2020 Estimated College Costs Financial Sources

Tuition and Fees \$ _____	Savings/Summer Employment \$ _____
Room and Board \$ _____	Parent Contributions \$ _____
Books and Supplies \$ _____	Other Scholarships/Loans \$ _____
Transportation \$ _____	Other Resources \$ _____
Personal \$ _____	
TOTAL: \$ _____	TOTAL: \$ _____

I hereby attest that the information submitted in and with this application is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant Date