



**ARIZONA ASSOCIATION OF CERTIFIED FRAUD EXAMINERS  
CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP  
2010 APPLICATION**

This application is for the AZ ACFE Chapter Scholarship for the Spring/Fall 2010 academic year. A total of five Scholarship Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each will be made to exceptional students who best demonstrate integrity, a passion for fighting fraud and a commitment to the profession. In addition to the cash award, each Scholarship winner will receive complimentary membership to the National Association of Certified Fraud Examiners and a one-year subscription to Fraud Magazine.

Applicants must be currently enrolled as full-time undergraduate or graduate students taking at least twelve semester hours or full-time equivalent each term, presently in attendance at any Accredited Arizona University. Applicants must also have a declared major in accounting, criminology, or criminal justice.

*Applications will be accepted from January 15, 2010 through June 30, 2010.*

The scholarship awards will be made at the discretion of the AZ ACFE Scholarship Committee on the basis of academic achievement, as demonstrated by official transcripts, an application essay, three letters of recommendation, and a face-to-face interview with each Applicant.

Please complete the following fields. Print legibly or type:

**Full Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent address** \_\_\_\_\_ **D.O.B.** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**University** \_\_\_\_\_ **Attendance Dates: From/To** \_\_\_\_\_

**Major** \_\_\_\_\_ **Anticipated Graduation Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Advisor: Name/Title:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Telephone** \_\_\_\_\_

Please enclose the following items:

- Official transcript(s) from all colleges and universities attended. Proof of Spring/Fall 2010 full time enrollment in an accredited Arizona College or University.
- An original, typed essay of 250 to 500 words explaining why the applicant deserves the scholarship and how fraud awareness will affect your professional career development. (If you have applied for the National Ritchie-Jennings Scholarship from the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, you may submit the same essay).

- Three letters of recommendation; at least one is from a Certified Fraud Examiner. Additional recommendations may come from advisors, faculty members or employers. Please provide their contact information (email address and phone numbers).

The following persons are ineligible to receive the AZ ACFE Chapter Scholarship award:

- Junior College, Community College and High School students (including graduating seniors).
- Previous recipients of an AZ ACFE Chapter Scholarship and the Ritchie-Jennings Memorial Scholarship.
- Students related to any current Officer or Director of the AZ ACFE or the AZ ACFE Scholarship Committee
- Students related to any current Officer or Director of the National ACFE; the National ACFE Foundation; or to any member of the National ACFE Foundation Scholarship Committee.

This scholarship will be announced no later than November 15, 2010 and awarded at the AZ ACFE Chapter Luncheon in December of 2010 (location and date to be determined).

***I certify that all of the information on this application and related enclosures is true and correct. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that all required components of my application package are complete and received by the ACFE Arizona Chapter Scholarship Committee no later than June 30, 2010 (Note: any applications received with a postmark later than June 30, 2010 will be rejected) . I understand that the decision of the AZ ACFE Scholarship Committee is final and not subject to review or challenge.***

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Signature

Date

Questions regarding this scholarship should be e-mailed to:  
[acfeazscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:acfeazscholarship@gmail.com)

Completed Applications, Transcripts, and Letters of Recommendation should be sent in one envelope addressed to:

The AZ ACFE  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 27693  
Scottsdale, Arizona 85255