



## **Guidelines for the GFOA-PA Student Scholarship**

The GFOA-PA Scholarship will be awarded to a student who is pursuing studies in accounting/finance or public administration. The scholarship recognizes outstanding performance in the study of accounting/finance, public administration, or economics with a governmental focus at the undergraduate and/or graduate level.

Scholarship Award: A complimentary registration and up to \$750 for lodging and travel expenses to attend the GFOA-PA Annual Statewide Conference. Documentation must be provided for lodging and travel expenses.

Application Deadline: February 16, 2018

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Applicant must be a Pennsylvania resident enrolled either in full-time or part-time study in an accredited Pennsylvania college or university.
2. Applicant must be a student member of GFOA-PA. Student membership is complimentary.
3. Applicant must be enrolled part-time or full-time as a junior or senior undergraduate, or at the graduate level, preparing for a career in local or state government.
4. Applicant's declared major must be in a field of study related to accounting, finance, public administration, economics, or other similar area.
5. Applicant must submit proof of good academic standing and current enrollment.
6. GFOA-PA Board of Directors' family members are not eligible.

### **To Apply:**

Applicants must submit the following documents by the scholarship deadline for consideration by the scholarship selection committee:

1. Application form (attached to this document).
2. Official undergraduate and/or graduate transcripts.
3. Resume and one reference letter.
4. State of Pennsylvania proof of residency (driver's license preferred).

**The GFOA-PA scholarship selection committee will review all nominations and any supporting documentation. The committee reserves the right to not present this award in any one year.**

**Submit by February 16 to [info@gfoapa.org](mailto:info@gfoapa.org).**



## GFOA-PA Student Scholarship Nomination Form

Nominee's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Email \_\_\_\_\_

College or University Name \_\_\_\_\_

College or University Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Sought (e.g., BA, MBA, MPA) \_\_\_\_\_

Other Colleges or Universities Attended \_\_\_\_\_

Other Degrees Earned \_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide us with a paragraph of why you should be considered for this scholarship.

List all accounting, finance, public administration, and/or economics courses you have completed since you started your current program.

Course Title	Grade
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List all accounting, finance, public administration, and/or economics courses you plan to take to complete your course of study.

Course Title

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List any internships, or work experience that you have completed, or in which you are currently involved, that relate to your program or career choice.

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List any service work that you have done within your community.

Activity

Date(s) of Involvement

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