2020 Scholarship Application

The HRACRE REACH Foundation, Inc. and CREW Hampton Roads are committed to increasing diversity in the commercial real estate field by supporting the next generation of female commercial real estate professionals.

HRACRE REACH Foundation, Inc. is proud to provide a scholarship in the amount of $4,000 for a female student pursuing a degree which will lead to a career in the commercial real estate industry. The scholarship recipient will be selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership, extracurricular accomplishments, and reference letter. Financial need is not a consideration. One scholarship will be awarded to a selected student based on a comprehensive evaluation process on or before April 30, 2020.

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

- Applicant must be a female and a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States
- Applicant must be a full-time student (rising undergraduate junior or senior, or graduate student) for the upcoming academic semester
- Applicant must be a resident of one of the following cities/counties: Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, Virginia Beach, Accomack, North Hampton, James City County, Surry, Gloucester, York County, Isle of Wight, Williamsburg or Poquoson, or attend college or university in one of those cities/counties
- Applicant must have maintained a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Applicant’s area of study or declared major must be in one of the following Qualified Fields of Commercial Real Estate (“CRE”):

  - Accounting
  - Acquisitions/Dispositions
  - Appraisal
  - Architecture
  - Asset Management
  - Brokerage
  - CRE Business Development
  - Commercial Insurance
  - Commercial Lending
  - Construction Management/General Contracting
  - Consulting
  - Corporate Real Estate
  - Cost Segregation
  - Economic Development
  - Education
  - Engineering
  - Environmental
  - CRE Executive
  - Facility Management
  - Finance
  - CRE Human Resources
  - Interior Design/Space Planning
  - Investment Management
  - Investor Relations
  - Land Use
  - Planning & Zoning
  - Land Surveying
  - Law
  - Market Research
  - Program Management/Project Management
  - Property Management
  - Public Sector
  - Quasi-Governmental Transportation & Port Authorities
  - Real Estate Development
  - Relocation Services, Corporate
  - Risk Management
  - Title/Escrow
APPLICATION INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS:

✓ Completed applications must be submitted along with all required attachments and supporting documents (please see the list of application components set out below) BY 5:00 P.M. ET ON TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2020.

✓ Applications that are incomplete, do not include all required attachments or supporting documents, or that are received after the deadline, will not be considered.

✓ To submit, please email all application components to AnnMiller@stewart.com.

✓ Five finalists will be interviewed in person during the second and third weeks of April 2020.

✓ The selected scholarship recipient will be notified on or before April 30, 2020.

✓ Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the recipient’s institution for tuition or expenses upon evidence of registration in classes.

APPLICATION COMPONENTS:

1. Completed application form.
2. At least one (1) letter of recommendation from either a professor or a professional within a Qualified Field of CRE.
3. Proof of current full-time student enrollment. Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the selected student’s institution to be applied to pre-determined costs.
4. Electronic transcripts obtained directly from the registrar’s office at each institution where applicant is currently enrolled, and from any other college or university applicant has attended, showing all undergraduate and postgraduate coursework completed in the last three years, including applicant’s Fall 2019 grades.
5. Personal Essay on Leadership (500 words or less).

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name:___________________________________________________________________________

Expected Graduation Date:__________________  Academic Major:________________________

School Address:___________________________________________________________________
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Home Address:___________________________________________________________________
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Email Address:__________________________  Cell Phone No.:__________________________
1. What are your educational and professional goals and objectives?

2. List your academic honors, awards and membership activities while in college:
3. List your community service activities, hobbies, interests, and extracurricular activities:
4. Personal Essay on Leadership (not to exceed 500 words):
STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

All information provided herein by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if I am chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the institution of my choice before scholarship funds will be awarded. Scholarship funds will be presented directly to the institution.

_________________________________________                     Date:__________________________
Signature of scholarship applicant

REMINDERS:

Application deadline is **March 31, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. ET**.

In-person interviews for top five applicants will be held the second and third weeks of April 2020.

Selected scholarship recipient will be notified on or before April 30, 2020.