

Become a **BiblioLife Scholar** of Computer Science
Invitation to Apply for the BiblioLife Computer Science Scholarship

BiblioLabs, LLC recognizes the value of supporting a strong Computer Science Program within the liberal arts curriculum of the College of Charleston, and a need to attract to the College of Charleston outstanding South Carolina high school graduates, who demonstrate independent, creative and clever thinking, and who seek a major in Computer Science. *BiblioLabs* further recognizes the need to retain students in the field of Computer Science at the College of Charleston, and to prepare graduates with Computer Science majors for the Charleston area work force.

Criteria for Award

The Department of Computer Science will select the recipients for this scholarship from among eligible candidates, recognizing BiblioLabs' desire to be kept informed of the process. The Computer Science Department will be solely responsible for determining the actual recipient.

The *Bibliolife* Scholarship is restricted to:

1. Students pursuing their first baccalaureate degree in computer science at the College of Charleston.
2. Full-time students entering the College of Charleston from high school.
3. South Carolina residents at the time of matriculation.

Each scholarship may be renewable for up to three additional years as long as the recipient continues to meet the scholarship criteria above and maintains a minimum 3.0 overall grade point average, a minimum 3.5 grade point average in the computer science major, and 30 or more earned credit hours per year.

The Department of Computer Science will select the *BiblioLife* Scholars and will encourage regular communication between the *BiblioLife* Scholars and BiblioLabs.

This scholarship will be coordinated with any other scholarships and financial aid the student is receiving at College of Charleston.

This scholarship is not intended for transfer students or new students who have already earned a bachelor's degree.

Fall 2009 APPLICATION
BiblioLife Computer Science Scholarship

Name of Applicant (print): _____

Email address: _____

1) Write an essay (about 200 words): **Outside of academics, what was your passion during your high school years, and how has that passion shaped you as a student at the College today?** (write or type)

2) By signing below, I give permission to make my academic records from high school and college available to decision makers in the selection process for this scholarship when needed: (required to be considered for the scholarship)

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Parent or guardian signature if under 18)

3) Once offered to me and I accept the scholarship, I give permission for my name and photograph to be released to the news media and put on web sites. (required to be considered for the scholarship)

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Parent or guardian signature if under 18)

Application Deadline for application: **5 PM, September 10, 2009.**

Return this page attached to your essay to Dr. Starr (on paper) on or before the deadline.

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