

# WWDC18 Scholarship Terms and Conditions

You must agree to these WWDC18 Scholarship Terms and Conditions ("terms") to apply for a scholarship to attend WWDC18. If you do not agree, do not apply. By applying, you are agreeing to be bound by all the terms.

#### **Deadlines**

WWDC18 Scholarship submissions are due by Sunday, April 1, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. PDT. Apple is not responsible for lost or late applications, or for electronic transmission errors, regardless of cause. All applicants will be notified of their status on Friday, April 20, 2018. Notifications will be sent by email to the email address associated with the Apple ID that was used to submit. Once notifications are sent, applicants can also see their scholarship status by signing in to <a href="mailto:developer.apple.com/wwdc/scholarships/apply">developer.apple.com/wwdc/scholarships/apply</a>.

#### **Application Eligibility Requirements**

To be eligible to apply for a WWDC18 Scholarship, you must be:

- 13 years of age or older;
- registered for free with Apple as an Apple developer or a member of a paid Apple Developer Program; and
- enrolled part-time or full-time in a course of study at an accredited educational
  institution, or be a member of a STEM organization. A STEM organization can be any
  organization with local outreach (such as classes or meetings) that actively promotes
  the learning of science, technology, engineering, or math outside of regular school
  curriculum.

Void where prohibited by law. Eligibility is subject to verification by Apple and you agree to cooperate with Apple to provide information about your educational status and membership status. Employees, interns, affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotional agencies of Apple Inc. are not eligible, and immediate family members and/ or those living in the same household of such parties are not eligible.

## **Submission Requirements**

- You must complete all required fields on the scholarship application form and upload all required files and documentation before submitting.
- If you apply as a student, you must provide a PDF, PNG, or JPG of your current class schedule or other current proof of enrollment and the contact information for your dean or principal. If you apply as a member of a STEM organization, you must

- provide a PDF, PNG, or JPG of your membership information and your local leader's contact information. Documentation is accepted in all languages.
- You must submit a Swift playground that you have either created by yourself or a
   Swift playground based on a Swift Playgrounds template that you have modified by
   yourself. You may include open source software if you comply with the license
   requirements for such software, and provide credit and an explanation of why you
   used it.
- Your Swift playground must be fully functioning and run on the latest release of Swift Playgrounds or Xcode. You must include any resources in your project locally in the .zip file that you provide, as your Swift playground will be judged offline.
   Your .zip file cannot be more than 25 MB. All content must be in English.
- You must provide an essay answer written by you to all required questions in the application form.
- Swift playgrounds must be written in the Swift Playgrounds application or in Xcode. You must comply with the terms of the Swift Playgrounds Software License Agreement or the Xcode and Apple SDKs License Agreement, as applicable, when creating your Swift playground.

### **Information Submitted to Apple Not Deemed Confidential**

Apple works with many software developers and some of their products may be similar to or compete with the Swift playground you submit. Apple may also be developing its own similar or competing apps, playgrounds, products or services or may decide to do so in the future. To avoid potential misunderstandings, Apple cannot agree, and expressly disclaims, any confidentiality obligations or use restrictions, express or implied, with respect to your submission or any information that you provide in connection with your scholarship application ("Applicant Disclosures"). You agree that all such Applicant Disclosures will be non-confidential. Submitting a Swift playground submission as part of this scholarship application does not grant Apple any ownership interest in your submission, and you retain your rights in your submission.

## **Scholarship Judging**

Submissions will be judged on:

- technical accomplishment in the submitted Swift playground;
- creativity of ideas in the submitted Swift playground; and
- content of written responses to the questions in the application form.

Scholarship submissions are only accepted through the form available at <u>developer.apple.com/wwdc/scholarships/apply</u>. Submissions will not be accepted through any other channel or after submissions are closed. All decisions made by the judges are final and scoring is confidential. If a recipient is unable to attend, Apple may contact the applicant with the next highest score, at Apple's sole discretion.

#### **Reasons for Disqualification**

Your submission may not be considered for a WWDC18 Scholarship if it does not follow all eligibility and submission requirements or if it meets any of the conditions listed below:

- Your Swift playground does not function during the judging process.
- The Swift playground you provide was not built by you, or was built by more than one person. Group work will not be considered. Plagiarized work will not be considered and may disqualify you from scholarship opportunities.
- Your Swift playground requires sign in.

In addition, Apple reserves the right to disqualify your current and/or future submission, or withhold or revoke your scholarship and/or lodging at any time if:

- You submit more than one scholarship application form. Each person is only allowed one submission;
- · Any part of your submission is untrue, plagiarized, or fabricated;
- You engage in or previously engaged in harassment or other harmful behavior directed at Apple, Apple employees, other scholarship applicants, or WWDC attendees:
- You are awarded a scholarship and do not claim your ticket and lodging by the deadline, or accept it but do not attend WWDC daily, unless otherwise agreed by Apple;
- You accept travel assistance and/or lodging but do not check in for the travel and/or lodging arrangements made by Apple and do not inform an Apple representative in advance;
- You, directly or indirectly, commit any act intended to interfere with the WWDC Scholarship program (e.g., tracking and/or inserting analytics code in your Swift playground submission to attempt to identify judges or usage within your Swift playground, falsely discrediting other scholarship applicants to gain a more favorable chance of receiving a scholarship, or contacting Apple employees to request more favorable treatment of your submission); or
- You (or your submission) fail to comply with these terms and conditions.

#### **Scholarships**

If you are a scholarship recipient, you must let us know by April 27, 2018 if you will accept your scholarship. Scholarships that are not accepted by this date will be offered to other applicants and forfeited. Each developer selected for a WWDC18 Scholarship who has agreed to attend WWDC18 will receive a ticket free of charge that entitles the developer to attend WWDC18, held between June 4 and June 8, 2018 in San Jose, California, USA, and will receive lodging arranged by Apple free of charge, subject to these terms. In addition, one year of individual membership in the Apple Developer Program will be assigned free of charge to the Apple Developer account used by each WWDC18

Scholarship recipient to apply for the WWDC18 Scholarship. This membership will start on May 1, 2018 for accounts that do not already have an individual membership in the Apple Developer Program. For accounts that already have an individual membership in the Apple Developer Program, the membership will be renewed for one year once the current membership expires. Up to three hundred and fifty (350) scholarships will be awarded at Apple's sole discretion. Only one ticket will be awarded per scholarship recipient. Tickets are non-transferable and may not be sold, resold, bartered, auctioned or exchanged for other goods, services or benefits. All scholarship recipients must agree to the WWDC18 Registration and Attendance Policy to attend WWDC18. In addition, scholarship recipients between the ages of 13 and 17 must have their parent or guardian complete and sign the WWDC18 Permission Statement to receive the WWDC18 Scholarship. There will be no substitution of awards and no cash awarded in lieu of the WWDC18 ticket or Apple Developer Program membership. All applicable taxes are the sole responsibility of the scholarship recipient.

Apple will provide breakfast and lunch at WWDC18 during the conference. Dinner will not be provided. Food that you purchase outside of the conference is at your own cost and Apple will not provide reimbursement. If you have a restricted diet for breakfast or lunch at WWDC18, let us know by contacting wwdc@apple.com, and we will try to accommodate your requests.

Lodging will be provided by a third-party company for all scholarship recipients starting Saturday, June 2, 2018 until Saturday, June 9, 2018. You will be assigned to a shared room with another scholarship recipient. If you have a medical need for your own room, please contact wwdc@apple.com. Conference staff will be available at the lodging venue each day from June 2, 2018 until June 9, 2018.

You agree to follow all policies set forth by the third-party and by the lodging venue, and agree that Apple is not responsible for these policies in any way.

In addition, Apple will not be responsible for any charges or additional assistance related to lodging, including but not limited to:

- charges or reimbursement for additional nights of lodging or assistance in finding additional lodging.
- refund for nights of provided lodging not used by you.
- reimbursement for any incidental charges or charges for damage to your room or to the lodging venue caused by you.
- charges incurred due to negligence, disorderly conduct, unlawful activities, or noise caused by you.
- charges or reimbursement for alternate lodging or assistance in finding alternate lodging if you do not wish to use provided lodging.
- charges or reimbursement for alternate lodging or assistance in finding alternate lodging if you are asked to leave the lodging venue due to violating policy.

Lodging and travel expenses for parents or guardians are not provided by Apple. Parents or guardians who wish to accompany a scholarship recipient are responsible for their own lodging and travel expenses, and will not receive a ticket to WWDC18 as part of the WWDC18 Scholarship program. Scholarship recipients under 18 years of age whose parent or guardian does not wish to accompany them to WWDC18 must have permission to attend WWDC18 without the presence of a parent or guardian.

Apple is not responsible for any expenses other than those specified in this policy. Need-based travel assistance may be requested in the submission process and may be provided by Apple at Apple's sole discretion for up to one hundred and twenty five (125) scholarship recipients. Transportation between the airport, the lodging venue, the McEnery Convention Center, or any other locations related to WWDC18 will not be provided by Apple. Travel expenses are not reimbursable by Apple and are the sole responsibility of the recipient. Attendance at certain WWDC18 events may be limited for attendees under 21 years of age.

#### **General Terms**

All federal, state, and local laws and regulations apply. By applying for a WWDC18 Scholarship, you agree to hold Apple and its directors, officers, employees and assigns, harmless against any and all claims and liability arising out of your application and/or acceptance of the WWDC18 Scholarship. You assume all liability for any injury or damage caused, or claimed to be caused, by participation in this program or use/ redemption of the WWDC18 Scholarship. You agree to be bound by these terms and conditions and the decisions of the judges, which are final in all respects. You agree that Apple shall not be responsible for any typographical or other errors in the administration of the WWDC18 Scholarship program.

Photographs, audio and/or video taken as part of the WWDC18 Scholarship program or at WWDC18 by Apple, or others on behalf of Apple, may include your voice, image or likeness. By accepting the WWDC18 Scholarship and attending WWDC18, you agree that Apple may use such photographs, audio and/or video, including those that may contain your voice, image or likeness, for any purpose on a worldwide basis in perpetuity, without any compensation to you, and you release Apple from all liability related thereto.