



SKAL Club of Guam

Travel and Hospitality Scholarship

Application Information

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The SKAL Club of Guam Travel and Hospitality Scholarship is offered to outstanding current full-time College and/or graduating High School students who are pursuing a Travel and Hospitality degree at the Guam Community College or International Tourism and Hospitality Management at University of Guam. Scholarship awards are based on academic merit, citizenship, leadership qualities, need, and availability of funds.

The scholarship may award up to \$2,700.00 for an academic year. The award amount may vary depending on the applicant's qualifications and the result of an interview with the Scholarship Committee. However, while there may be multiple awardees, no one recipient will receive more than \$2,700.00 per academic year.

AWARD:

- The award may only be used to cover tuition cost of related or core technical courses and course textbook(s).
- Disbursement of the scholarship money will be made in two installments; the first installment given at the start of Fall 2016 semester and, the second at the beginning of Spring 2016 semester.
- Recipient must maintain a cumulative a GPA of 3.0 or better for each semester or will forfeit the balance of the award.
- Scholarship is valid for one year with no carry over
- Selection will be made by a panel from the SKAL Scholarship Committee
- GCC and/or UOG will invoice Skal Club of Guam at the end of each semester on behalf of the awardees.

Scholarship DEADLINES:

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| • Open for applications | March 1st |
| • Applications must be submitted by | May 30th |
| • Interviews by SKAL Scholarship Committee | 2 nd Week of June |
| • Scholarship Committee Decision | 3 rd Week of June |
| • Awardees will be notified in writing | End of June |

FORFEITURE of Scholarship:

Forfeiture of this scholarship will result for any of the following reasons:

- Failure to maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0, cumulative.
- Voluntary withdrawal from school.
- Suspension or dismissal from school.
- Falsification of application information and required documents
- Conviction of a felony

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Applicant must enroll for the fall 2016 semester (after graduation) or be currently enrolled as a full-time student at GCC and/or UOG.
- Applicant must be a US citizen and resident of Guam. (Attach copy of passport, birth certificate, or "Green Card" to application.)
- Applicant must provide proof of a cumulative GPA of no less than 3.0 via an academic transcript.
- Applicant will provide a resume that include activities, but is not limited to, school, civic, and community involvement.
- Applicant must submit three letters of recommendation.

QUALIFICATIONS TO CONTINUE AS A RECIPIENT:

- Students may reapply under the above terms for the SKAL Club of Guam Scholarship annually.

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