



CAFI Scholarship Application

California Association of Fraud Investigators (CAFI) Would like to recognize and reward those graduating high school seniors, college students and graduate students who have achieved excellence in their academic endeavors.

The 2017 CAFI Scholarship Program is awarding three (3) \$1,000 Scholarships.

REMEMBER: Application packages must be postmarked **NO LATER THAN** May 15, 2017.

SEE PAGE 2 FOR ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____ E-MAIL: _____

(INITIALS) *Should I be granted a CAFI Scholarship, I hereby authorize the use of my photograph on their website.*
If under 18 years of age, a parent's signature is required: _____
(PARENT SIGNATURE)

CAFI MEMBER'S NAME: _____

LAST 4 OF SSN#: _____ WORK #: _____ CELL #: _____

ADDRESS: _____

AFFILIATE: _____ DEPARTMENT: _____ CLASSIFICATION: _____

APPLICANT'S ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS:

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

CUMULATIVE WEIGHTED GPA: _____ CUMULATIVE SIMPLE GPA: _____

COLLEGE: _____ MAJOR: _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY THIS INFORMATION TO BE TRUE AND CORRECT.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Candidate Guidelines for the CAFI Scholarship Fund

CAFI is privileged to provide educational scholarships to deserving recipients. The following information outlines the guidelines to qualify for this scholarship.

Purpose:

The CAFI Scholarship Fund was established to help provide CAFI members and their dependants the opportunity to attend a college or university.

Eligibility Requirements:

The applicant must be a member of CAFI, the spouse of a member or a dependant of a member (continuous CSLEA membership of at least one year before submitting application). Dependant is a child or step child.

NOTE: Non-member fee payers and retirees or their families are not eligible.

Qualifications:

1. The applicant shall have a minimum grade point average of 3.0. Transcripts shall be submitted with the application.
2. The applicant shall have an application pending or be enrolled in a college or university. In the event an applicant does not enter a college or university in the year the scholarship is awarded, he/she will reimburse the award to the CAFI Scholarship Fund.
3. Each applicant must submit a one page, typed autobiography describing his or her future life and educational goals and explaining why he or she is deserving of a scholarship.
4. The applicant shall submit two letters of recommendation from a teacher, professor or school counselor.
5. The applicant will submit a photograph (size 2 inches by 2 inches) with his/her application.

Scholarship Application Review Committee:

The CAFI President will appoint individuals to act as a committee to review the applications.

The term of the appointment will be for one year from January 1 through December 31 of each calendar year. The CAFI President will select one person to act as the chair.

Selection of Scholarship Recipients:

- A. An application packet will be prepared for each applicant. Each packet will contain a cover sheet or essay noting academic achievements, grade point average, community activities and background biography.
- B. Each application will be assigned a random case number.
- C. Upon review of the application packets, each committee member will complete an "Application Assessment Sheet." A score of one to 10 points (10 is the highest) will be granted for (1) academic achievements, (2) community activities and (3) merit. The assessment sheets will be totaled and the highest scores will be awarded scholarships.
- D. An application that does not meet all of the minimum qualifications will be rejected.

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO:

California Association of Fraud Investigators
2017 Scholarship Program
2029 H Street
Sacramento, CA 95811

Applications and supporting documents must be post-marked by May 31, 2017 to be considered. Scholarship awards will be distributed by June 30 of each calendar year.

The CAFI Scholarship Fund does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, national or ethnic origin when selecting recipients.