Collegiate Member Scholarship Application

ELIGIBILITY: Only active members of Phi Sigma Iota are eligible for an award. Scholarships are awarded to undergraduate and graduate students who excel in the areas of academic performance and achievement and/or extraordinary educational activities related to the field of foreign language study that uphold the ideals of Phi Sigma Iota. Please read carefully and follow the directions below.

CRITERIA:
- Be an active member of Phi Sigma Iota.
- Be nominated by the Faculty Advisor.
- Submit a complete application package including an Itemized Budget.
- Awards may be used for study abroad expenses, community service projects, research projects related to the learning and teaching of languages and culture.

Please note:
- Applications will only be considered if they meet the criteria above.
- Previous winners may not apply.
- Scholarship awards are not for tuition related expenses, books, and/or fees.

HOW TO SUBMIT A NOMINATION: With the signed endorsement of the Faculty Advisor, a Chapter is entitled to submit one nomination for an undergraduate student and one for a graduate student. An official Phi Sigma Iota Collegiate Member Scholarship application form must be used. The application shall include:
- A personal statement, written by the candidate in both English and the nominee's major Foreign Language, outlining qualifications and the purpose for which the award will be used.
- Provide an itemized budget detailing how the funds will be spent.
- A statement from the Faculty Advisor outlining the candidate's service to the local chapter, dedication to the study of foreign languages and/or to extraordinary educational activities related to the field of foreign language study that uphold the ideals of Phi Sigma Iota, and specific commitment to pursue such dedication, as well as any other relevant information.
- A recommendation from another academic reference, to be sent directly to the Faculty Advisor.
- An official transcript addressed directly to the Faculty Advisor.

AWARDS: Phi Sigma Iota will grant Scholarship Awards based on availability of funding. Prior award amounts have ranged from $500 to $3,000. (Awards will not exceed $3,000).

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF NOMINATIONS: Postmarked no later than March 29. The deadline will be strictly observed. Incomplete submissions will not be considered. An itemized budget is required.

Faculty Advisors: Please send applications, supporting documents and all other correspondence to: Phi Sigma Iota, preferably by email to contact@phisigmaiota.org, or if necessary, by postal mail to Roz Macken, Phi Sigma Iota Administrative Director, c/o Allegheny College, 520 North Main St., Box 30, Meadville, PA 16335.
Collegiate Scholarship Application Form

1-GENERAL INFORMATION ON APPLICANT:

Name in full _______________________________ Student Birth Date _________________
Chapter and Institution __________________________________________________________
Date of Initiation into Phi Sigma Iota: _____________________________________________
Permanent Address ______________________________________________________________
Phone ___________________________ Personal E-mail ________________________________
Present Local Address ____________________________________________________________

2. EDUCATION RECORD OF APPLICANT:

Undergraduate University (Location, Dates, Degree and Date of Degree)
____________________________________________________________________________
Graduate University (Location, Dates, Degree and Date of Degree)
____________________________________________________________________________
Fields of Concentration at College/University ________________________________________

Grade Point Average: Cumulative _______ Cumulative Foreign Language GPA _________
Scholarships, Honors Received ______________________________________________________

3. PERSONAL STATEMENT: (in English and foreign language), 500-1500 words each.

4. STATEMENT by FACULTY ADVISOR: Attach.

5. OTHER ACADEMIC REFERENCE (Recommendation to be sent to Faculty Advisor before deadline and attached to application ): Name and Address __________________________________________

6. Complete and submit the Itemized Budget on the next page.

7. FACULTY ADVISOR SPONSORING THIS APPLICATION:

Name and Address _______________________________Title ____________________________

See samples of a successful application with an itemized budget here: 
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ITEMIZED BUDGET:

Transportation:

Lodging:

Meals:

Supplies:

Other:

Total Itemized Budget: ___________________

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