



Human Resource Association
of the Midlands

Diversity Student Scholarship Application

PURPOSE: The Human Resource Association of the Midlands (HRAM) Diversity Committee is pleased to provide you with this scholarship application. The HRAM Diversity scholarship has been established to benefit worthy and capable students who are interested in pursuing a human resources career, while encouraging increased diversity in the Human Resource profession. A specific interest and concern of the HRAM Diversity committee is the desire to remove barriers of opportunities to students, which may be caused or enhanced by situations related to one's diverse cultural orientation such as:

- Age
- Race/Ethnic Origin
- Disability
- Sexual Orientation
- Religious Background

AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP: This scholarship will award \$500.00 and will be paid directly to the college to apply toward tuition, books and other directly related expenses.

SELECTION CRITERIA: The recipient will be selected on the basis of the candidate's diverse background, individual merit, commitment to a career in human resources, and financial need.

In addition applicants must be either:

1. An undergraduate or graduate college student currently enrolled in a human resources or management degree program; or
2. An individual who is a high school senior or high school graduate with plans to enroll in a human resources or management degree program at a college or university.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: In order to consider your application, the committee must receive the following items no later than **March 15th**.

1. Completed and signed HRAM Diversity Scholarship Application Form.
2. Copy from the school's catalog or an information sheet showing an estimate of expenses that will apply to your financial need.
3. Copy of applicant's transcript showing grade point average from current or most recent educational institution.
4. Written essay responses to the "statement of interest" questions.

Submit your completed application and supporting documents to:

HRAM
Rockbrook Village
11060 Oak Street, Suite 5
Omaha, NE 68144

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Please itemize the amount of each financial need listed below for the next school year. **NOTE:** Please include a copy from the school's catalog or information sheet showing an estimate of expenses that will apply to your financial need.

Financial Need	Amount
Tuition	
Books, supplies, etc.	
Fees	
Room and board	
Other	
TOTAL	\$

5 STATEMENT OF INTEREST ESSAY QUESTIONS

On separate sheets, please provide essay responses to the following statements. Each response should be no more than one page, typed and double-spaced.

1. What is Human Resource Management and what functions does a Human Resource department perform for a company?
2. Why are you interested in a career in Human Resource Management?
3. Describe your diverse cultural orientation and how your cultural background would contribute to the diversity of the Human Resource profession.

SIGN ON THE LINE

6 I certify that all information, both above and attached, are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I have met all the criteria specified for this scholarship award.

Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Received: _____ Entered: _____ Paid: _____ Add'l Info: _____