



Construction Financial Management Association

Puget Sound Chapter

The Puget Sound Chapter of the Construction Financial Management Association (CFMA) is a local non-profit organization dedicated to being the communications leader and premier source of education and information for those aspects of financial management unique to the construction industry. Our local chapter consists of more than 160 individual members representing approximately 120 different companies in the Puget Sound region, including: construction companies, banks, insurance and surety bonding companies, accounting software, suppliers to the construction industry and CPA's.

Scholarship Opportunity!

The Puget Sound CFMA sponsors an annual scholarship program aimed at recognizing and rewarding local college students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievements and exhibited a strong desire to pursue a career in the construction/financial management industry upon graduation. CFMA believes that these individuals are a key component to all of our future success, and we take great pride in awarding these scholarships.

In addition to being eligible for receiving this scholarship, you may be contacted by one of our member company's about employment and/or internship opportunities. By completing and returning the attached scholarship application to the address below, you authorize the release of the information contained in your application to any of the scholarship co-sponsors and/or any interested member company.

The eligibility for the potential scholarship recipient is outlined below:

- Sophomore, Junior or Senior to be in the 2009/10 academic year
- Cumulative college GPA of 3.0 or better
- Demonstrated interest in pursuing a career in the accounting or finance field as it relates to the construction industry
- Fully completed CFMA scholarship application (attached), including required supplemental information - must be received by **March 31, 2009** to the address below.

The exact number of scholarships to be awarded in the 2009/10 year will depend on the number and quality of applications received. It is our goal to have a minimum of four scholarships at an average amount of \$1,000. Also, applicants are eligible to re-apply after one year. On behalf of our local CFMA chapter, and as Scholarship Chair for the Puget Sound CFMA, I thank you for your interest in our industry, and look forward to receiving your application.



Please submit application materials to:

Stuart O'Farrell, CFMA Scholarship Chair
c/o Parker, Smith & Feek
2233 112th Ave NE, Bellevue, WA 98004

Phone: 425-709-3712

Email: saofarrell@psfinc.com



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Application Instructions

Please include the following information with your application:

1. Essay of 500 words or less describing why you are an excellent candidate for the scholarship.
2. At least one letter of recommendation from a professor in Business/Accounting/Finance related program.

Please note a copy of an official transcript will be required to receive a scholarship if selected.

Please email any questions to:

Stuart O'Farrell c/o saofarrell@psfinc.com

Please note that all applications must be received by March 31, 2009 and must be completed in their entirety and contain the additional information required as noted above. Potential candidates whose applications are received after this date will not be eligible for consideration. Scholarship recipients will be notified by April 3, 2009. Applications should be sent to:

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Applicant Acknowledgement

I understand and acknowledge that should I be selected as a recipient of a Puget Sound CFMA scholarship, I must attend a CFMA chapter breakfast meeting, at such time I will be presented the scholarship. Should I be unable or unwilling to attend a meeting within three months of receiving notice of the award, the scholarship may be rescinded by the Puget Sound CFMA at their sole discretion, and awarded to another candidate.

My signature below certifies that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that any of this information may be provided to the co-sponsors of this scholarship and they may be contacting me about possible employment and internship possibilities in the future.

Please note that a personal interview may be required.



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CFMA Scholarship Application

Please type or print

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name

Last First M.I.

Name of School or University

Current Address

Street Address

City State Zip

Phone Number

Permanent Address if different

Street Address

City State Zip

Email Address

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Name of High School Attended

City State Country

Other Schools & Universities Attended

City State Country

Final High School GPA _____

Current Degree Program _____

Current Year In School _____

Expected Graduation Date _____

Declared Major _____

Declared Minor _____

Overall GPA _____ GPA in Major _____

PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

List all previous awards, honors, scholastic achievements, volunteer work, etc. Attach additional pages if necessary.

