

Food and Resource Economics Department
College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences

Undergraduate Scholarship/Award Application: 2007-2008

It is understood that the recipient of a scholarship will pursue a course of study at the University of Florida leading to a major in Food and Resource Economics and be registered as a full-time student (12 hours minimum). Recipients are selected during the Spring Semester and scholarship/awards are presented at the spring awards ceremony. Your application will not be reviewed until two letters of recommendation are received. **This application must be submitted by March 07, 2008 to Food and Resource Economics Undergraduate Office, 1197 McCarty Hall, PO Box 110240, Gainesville, FL 32611-0240.**

Classification at the start of spring 08 semester, at the University of Florida: _____ Junior _____ Senior

Student Name _____ UFID# _____ - _____

Gainesville (local) address

Permanent (home) address

Phone: Area () _____ E-MAIL _____

What are your career plans after graduation from UF?

A. List up to 4 Achievements, Honors, or Awards that best demonstrate your scholastic abilities and up to 4 extracurricular activities that best demonstrate your leadership and professional potential.

Four (4) Scholastic Achievements, Honors, or Awards, Date

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Four (4) Extracurricular Activities, Position(s) or Responsibility

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

B. Attach a personal letter of introduction and provide specific and supporting information on why you should be considered for an award, how the award funds would be used, career/education goals, as well as any additional information for consideration by the committee.

C. Submit **TWO** letters of recommendation using the attached evaluation form. They may accompany this application or be sent separately. **CALS scholarship letters of recommendation may be used. At least one letter should be from a Food and Resource Economics faculty member.** Scholarship applications are evaluated on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and professional potential. Please specifically request those writing letters of recommendation to comment on your scholastic abilities, leadership skills and professional potential, based on their personal knowledge of you.

I CERTIFY THAT all information given on this application is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. If I am awarded a scholarship, the Food and Resource Economics Department and/or College of Agricultural and Life Sciences can release information regarding my academic performance at the IFAS/CALS Convocation and to the news media.

Your Signature: _____ Date _____

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 Letter of Recommendation (Duplicate as needed)

To the applicant: This form should be given to a teacher, counselor, or a supervisor under whom you have studied (or worked) who is able to comment on your qualifications for a Food and Resource Economics Department scholarship. Please type or print the first lines yourself. **This form must be returned by March 07, 2008.**

Your Name _____ UFID _____

Name of person who will complete this form _____

To the sponsor: Scholarship applications are evaluated on the basis of scholarship, leadership, professional potential, and, in some, on other factors of the same age and academic level. It is important to the applicant that you give a percentage rating here as well as a verbal evaluation below.

Evaluation Criterion	Lower 1/3	Middle 1/3	Upper 1/3	Upper 10%	Upper ____ %	Not able to judge*
Scholastic Ability						
Leadership Skills						
Professional Potential						
Intellectual Ability						
Emotional Maturity						
Dependability						

* If not able to respond, please explain why.

How long have you known the applicant? _____ In what capacity? _____

Please use the rest of this form to evaluate the applicant's suitability as a scholarship recipient.

You may attach a separate sheet if necessary.

Title	Institution	Signature	Date
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