



# Chaldean Community Foundation

## Academic Scholarship Program

### General Nomination and Guidelines

*Special gratitude to our benefactor*

#### W3R Consulting S.T.E.M. Scholarship

##### Purpose

The aim of Chaldean philanthropy is geared to advance the professional aspirations of Chaldean students across academic and vocational disciplines.

##### Focus

The Chaldean Community Foundation's Academic Scholarship Program is a collaborative of Chaldean philanthropies providing annual scholarship fund opportunities to assist students and learners across vocational disciplines help meet the escalating costs of (higher, trade skills) education.

**W3R CONSULTING** has generously offered **two (2) \$5,000 scholarships** for candidates pursuing S.T.E.M. degrees, focused on the **IT/Computer fields of study**, with a GPA requirement of 3.0 or greater for Michigan-based Chaldean **undergraduate students**. W3R CONSULTING recognizes that the future of technology rests in the ability of our Chaldean youth to pursue higher education. W3R Consulting is awarding scholarships to Chaldean undergraduate students in the fields of **Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)**. This exciting program will assist Chaldean students, who are residents and attending Michigan colleges and universities, to achieve their academic and professional goals.

**General Qualifications and Terms** General policies covering the granting of the Academic Scholarship are:

- Open to Chaldean students and learners
- Status: Must maintain U.S legal status as a U.S.-Chaldean citizen, immigrant, refugee, asylee, permanent resident
- Geographic residency: Must be a resident in the State of Michigan
- Geographic institution: Scholarships aim to support Michigan schools and vocational (trade, skills) certificates program(s)
- Academic Discipline: pursuing S.T.E.M. degrees, focused on the IT/Computer fields of study
- Higher Education: Must be an undergraduate (Sophomore, Junior, Senior) Chaldean academic student, scholar, fellow or learner
- Preference will be given to applicants who are not past recipients
- Scholarship grant money is intended to help subsidize financial burden of education-related costs

##### Submission Materials

- **REQUIRED:**
  - Application Profile
  - Application Essays – Be sure your contact information is reflected on every page
  - Unofficial transcript (or official transcript request) with stated major
  - Proof of U.S. citizenship or status (birth certificate, passport, green card)
  - Proof of Michigan residency (Michigan driver's license or state ID)
- **OPTIONAL:**
  - High Resolution Photo (used for presentation if selected for the scholarship)
  - Awards or Honors received – personal and academic
  - Encouraged to include supporting documents and/or narrative on a "statement of need;" i.e. Parent's Income, FAFSA, SAR
  - Encouraged to submit academic institution recommendation letters from teachers, professors, counselors, etc. and volunteerism-based letters of support
  - Encouraged to include a resume with internships, summer/seasonal jobs and/or study abroad program with extracurricular school or community activism and/or leadership roles held

##### Submission Date Deadline

Friday, October 20, 2017, 5:00 P.M. EST

##### Submission Contact via post office mail or electronic transmission

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