International Leadership Scholarship – Information and Application

General Information

The Asian Festival Corporation is pleased to make available a partial tuition scholarship to students whose leadership activities have benefitted the Ohio State campus community and the Columbus Asian Community. The scholarship was established in 2012, by Dr. Liu and the Asian Festival Corporation.

An eligible student must meet all of the following criteria:

- Be a non-immigrant international student (F-1 or J-1 status)
- Be a citizen of an Asian country
- Be currently enrolled full time in a degree granting program – undergraduate or graduate
- Making satisfactory academic progress (GPA 3.0 and above)
- Be involved in leadership
- Have not been previously awarded this scholarship
- Will be able to attend the Columbus Asian Festival on May 23-24, 2020

Please note: Students graduating spring 2020 and those on OPT/STEM/Academic Training are ineligible to apply

Preference will be given to:

- Students who demonstrate involvement in the Columbus Asian community

Please submit the following documentation when applying for the scholarship:

- International Leadership Scholarship Application
- Personal essay that addresses your leadership activities and how these activities have benefitted the Ohio State campus community, the Columbus Asian community, and you. Please note: you will not be interviewed for the scholarship.

Additional Information:

- Applicants will be notified by email regarding the scholarship committee’s decision.
- Scholarship awards will be applied directly to your account at Fees and Deposits.
- Scholarship amount is $500.
- Recipients of the scholarship must attend the Asian Festival to be recognized by the Festival leadership.
- Scholarship applications and documentation are due no later than Friday, February 28, 2020.
Application
Section 1: To be Completed By the Student (Please Print)

Student’s Last Name
First Name
Middle Name

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SEVIS ID Number (Must be Included)
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Section 2: Academic Information

Field of Study: _________________________________ Cumulative GPA: __________________
Expected Semester and Year of Graduation:____________________

Current Degree Level

☑ Bachelor’s ☐ Master’s ☐ PhD ☐ Other

I will be able to attend the Asian Festival on May 23-24, 2020.

☐ Yes ☐ No

I affirm that the information I have provided on this application and any supportive financial materials, is complete, accurate, and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that furnishing false information may result in revocation of my financial assistance or may result in disciplinary action pursuant to The Ohio State University Code of Student Conduct.

Printed Name, Student
Signature, Student
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Please email completed application and personal essay to Erik Gaarder at gaarder.1@osu.edu. You may also drop off to the front desk of The Office of International Affairs.

Attention: International Student Grant Committee
International Leadership Scholarship
The Office of International Affairs
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