

Applicant's Name:

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE INITIAL

2017 Scholarship Application, Graduating High School Student

MUST BE EMAILED NO LATER THAN MONDAY, MAY 8, 2017

**Graphic Communications Scholarship, Award
and Career Advancement Foundation, Inc. ("Foundation")**

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Use this form if you are:

- A graduating High School student who has taken Graphic Communications/ Arts courses
- with a demonstrated interest in Graphic Communications/ Graphic Arts and a plan to major in a discipline leading to a career in the field,
- a permanent United States resident from one of the five boroughs of New York City **OR** the New York State counties of Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester or Rockland **OR** the New Jersey State counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson or Union (your "permanent address").

ALL OF THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS ARE REQUIRED FOR CONSIDERATION. PLEASE SUBMIT VIA EMAIL TO scholarships@gcsfny.org:

- A **PDF file** of this **completed** scholarship application.
- A **scanned** copy of your Official Notice of Acceptance into a two or four year college with a Graphic Communications / Design curriculum.
- A **scanned** official copy of your High School transcript showing your grades and grade average.
- A **scanned** copy of your SAT or ACT scores.
- Three letters of support and recommendation **e-mailed directly** from the recommending person(s), as an attachment or in the body of the e-mail:
 - One from a subject-related instructor;
 - the others from your principal, guidance counselor, teacher or community leader.
- The above three recommending persons'/ writers' contact information including company/ school, e-mail address and phone number on a separate **sheet of paper or e-mail**.
- Your **typed**, one-page double-spaced statement (300 to 500 words) discussing your particular interest in Graphic Communications and why you should be considered for a scholarship. **This statement is extremely important.**
- A portfolio in your area of expertise e.g., **design and production, illustration, layout, photography, video, web design, typography, etc.** i.e. demonstrating range and development of graphic skills, different types of work/ mixed media, i.e. posters, digitally altered / formatted photos, drawings, paper creations, packaging, business card design, book design/ layout/ creation, web site design (include web address and jpeg pages from the website).

Please provide a minimum of **five (5) pieces of your art / design work**; showing your range of talent and style(s). Only medium res pdfs, jpegs or short videos will be accepted. All submitted documents and work becomes the property of the Foundation and will not be returned. *By submitting your artwork, original or copy, you agree to permit the Foundation to use your artwork or any other submitted material for the Foundation's promotional purposes in print or on the web, for commercial and non commercial purposes related to the business of the Foundation, and your typed digital signature on this application additionally authorizes your release and permission.*

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS AND SPECIAL RECOGNITION

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

CLUBS, GROUPS, TEAMS, COMMUNITY SERVICE, ETC. – INCLUDE DATES AND OFFICES HELD

OTHER FUNDING

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, ETC. (Amount of each, Giver or Provider of each, Are any renewable?)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Include employer, phone number, contact name and e-mail address, dates, hours per week, position, responsibilities – If available, please provide separate page in MS Word doc or pdf format i.e. **your resume**.

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SCHOLARSHIP SCHOOL DATA

NAME OF SCHOOL YOU HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED TO ATTEND (Attach copy of your Official Notification of Acceptance)

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

CONTACT

TELEPHONE

4 YEAR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY 2 YEAR COMMUNITY OR JUNIOR COLLEGE TECHNICAL SCHOOL

YOUR MAJOR OR COURSE OF STUDY

FALL SEMESTER - I WILL BE A: FRESHMAN SOPH JUNIOR SENIOR OTHER _____

EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE: MONTH: YEAR:

DEGREE SOUGHT: BACHELOR ASSOCIATE CERTIFICATE OTHER _____

STUDENT WILL: LIVE ON CAMPUS LIVE OFF CAMPUS COMMUTE FROM HOME

STUDENT FINANCIAL STATUS IS/ WILL BE:

DEPENDENT OF PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN INDEPENDENT STUDENT STATUS (SCHOOL TO CONFIRM)

WHERE DID YOU LEARN ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP?

WHERE DID YOU GET THIS FORM?

APPLICANT'S DIGITAL AND HAND SIGNED SIGNATURE

DATE

PARENT OR GUARDIAN'S DIGITAL AND HAND SIGNED SIGNATURE

DATE

ALSO PRINT THIS LAST PAGE AND APPLICANT AND PARENT / GUARDIAN ARE TO SIGN (SCRIPT HAND SIGNATURE) NEXT TO THE DIGITAL SIGNATURE/ TYPED NAME, THEN SCAN THE FULLY SIGNED PAGE AND INCLUDE IN THE APPLICATION SUBMISSION AS A SEPARATE ADDITIONAL PAGE.

Email the completed and signed
Application PDF and all Required
Application Materials to:

Jerry Mandelbaum
GC Scholarship Foundation
scholarships@gcsfny.org

For more information:
Call: 212-400-2449
Email: info@GCScholarships.org
Or visit our website:
www.GCScholarships.org

Submitted Applications and support materials can be submitted at the same time **which is preferable, in a zipped file**, or separately if necessary i.e. recommendation letter coming directly from the writer of the recommendation.

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