

**DUE: March 1 for consideration of the next academic year (Sept through Aug). Mid-year awards not available.**

## College of Business – University of Cincinnati

### *Scholarship / Emergency Loan Application – for Academic Year (September through August - mid year awards are unavailable)*

Qualified incoming freshmen, transfers, and continuing students may explore the **extremely limited scholarship** (12 awards of 300 applications) and loan opportunities at the University of Cincinnati's College of Business. Awards are made annually for the whole academic year – autumn through summer quarters. Mid-year awards are not available.

CoB funds are available to **qualified incoming and current students** (returning or transfer) whose major/concentration is in business. (*Students in CoB traditional only – Lindner Honors-PLUS and Kolodzik Business Scholar Students scholarships are coordinated within their respective programs.*) Consideration is relevant to differing areas depending on the fund – financial or academic need, home high school, co-op and/or others.

For other scholarship options, we recommend checking with other organizations - high school teachers / counselors, places of worship, civic groups, parents' employers, reference section of libraries, and organizations in your hometown as well as the Internet (using the key word "scholarship"). It takes some research to find scholarship opportunities, but it can be worth the effort and time required. *For non-business funds, please contact the awarding organization directly for an application and information.*

Students must thoroughly complete the College of Business Scholarship Application to be considered for any scholarship or loan. **For simplicity, just one application is needed for a student to apply for any or all Business Scholarship(s) aside from Lindner Honors-PLUS and Kolodzik Business Scholars.** Students may need to reapply for scholarships annually during winter term for the next academic year since each fund dictates length of use. Please provide all required & relevant information upon submission of application. Incomplete applications cannot be processed. Additional details and information are available via the College of Business Bulletin or Undergraduate Office at 105 Lindner Hall - Scott B. Gregory – 513/556-7037 or [scott.gregory@uc.edu](mailto:scott.gregory@uc.edu).

**NOTIFICATION of DECISION by EMAIL after MAY 15 - INCOMING FRESHMEN or JULY 15 - Return/Transfer Students.**

### REQUIREMENTS

*Minimum requirements of applicants for College of Business Scholarship award consideration include:*

1. **GPA** must be at least **3.50 of 4.00** for consideration → Returning, transfer, or current students – cumulative GPA of all college/university work to date.  
→ Entering freshmen – cumulative high school GPA.  
→ For LOANS, a minimum GPA of 2.0 or higher is required.
2. Must be **officially in / admitted** to the UC College of Business at time of scholarship application submission and use, if awarded. (January 1<sup>st</sup> through March 1<sup>st</sup>)
3. Students in ***the Lindner Honors-PLUS or the Kolodzik Business Scholars Program*** do not use this application. Scholarships within the respective programs are **managed independently** of the general CoB scholarships.
4. Preference will be given to **students academically qualified and involved** in the College of Business and/or with proven financial need via the UC Financial Aid Office.
5. Preference will be given to **applicants who will not receive other University of Cincinnati / College scholarships** during academic award year.
6. **Emergency loans** are available to ANY College of Business qualified student with proven financial need via this application (105 Lindner).
7. The University of Cincinnati and College of Business **reserves** the right to change scholarship requirements/awards to meet donor and/or UC Board of Trustee guidelines.

\*\*\* PLEASE REVIEW MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO APPLYING \*\*\*  
(Please type or print in Ink)

Please check the following items of interest and complete respective category of questions below:

- (A) \_\_\_\_\_ I will be an entering CoB **freshman** for the next academic year.
- (B) \_\_\_\_\_ I am a **returning** CoB student for the next academic year, currently am a CoB student this academic year.
- (C) \_\_\_\_\_ I will be a **transfer** student in the CoB beginning during the next academic year.
- (D) \_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in exploring a **loan option** for the next academic quarter as a current CoB student.

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All applicants must answer all of the following profile information as well as the related section on the reverse side.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ UC M#: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(required)

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip) (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Are you / have you received any non-UC and/or non-CoB scholarship funds? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If so, scholarships, approximate amounts, and year: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you / have you received scholarship funds from a UC source previously? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If so, scholarships, approximate amounts, and year: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you receiving any other financial assistance? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If so, type, approximate amounts, and year: \_\_\_\_\_

Which, if any, are the above listed scholarships and/or financial aid expressly committed to you on a continuing basis? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you qualified for federal/ state school loans? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If so, did you use them? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**Freshman Scholarship** - Complete this portion if you checked **Item A** at the beginning.

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank / Class Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Cummulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ This GPA is \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted or \_\_\_\_\_ unweighted.

SCORES ACTcomp: \_\_\_\_\_ ACTenglish: \_\_\_\_\_ ACTmath: \_\_\_\_\_

SATtotal: \_\_\_\_\_ SATverbal: \_\_\_\_\_ SATmath: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please submit (2 pages maximum) your answers to the following questions for evaluation of your application.*

- 1 List of Scholarships, Honors, awards earned in high school
- 2 List of extracurricular activities in high school and community.
- 3 Additional info regarding your activities & yourself that will be helpful in evaluating your application.
- 4 A short (50 words maximum) biography of yourself in paragraph format.

**Non-Freshman (returning) Scholarship** - Complete this portion if you checked **Item B** at the beginning.

Focus / Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Integral: \_\_\_\_\_

Cummulative **GPA** at end of most recent Quarter: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected **Graduation Date** (qtr / yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Current **year** in school: 1 2 3 4 5 Do you plan to **Co-Op?** **Yes No** **Residency?** **On-Campus Off-Campus**

*Please submit (2 pages maximum) your answers to the following questions for evaluation of your application.*

- 1 Extracurricular activities and commitments; Service to others, etc.
- 2 How critical is scholarship support relative to the completion of you CoB degree?
- 3 State your career goals? How, if any, do you plan to apply your business skills? Why?
- 4 A short (50 words maximum) biography of yourself in paragraph format.

**Transfer (to CoB) Scholarship** - Complete this portion if you checked **Item C** at the beginning.

Focus / Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Integral: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous College/Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter enter CoB: \_\_\_\_\_

Cummulative **GPA** when entering the College of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected **Graduation Date** (qtr / yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Current **year** in school: 1 2 3 4 5 Do you plan to **Co-Op?** **Yes No** **Residency?** **On-Campus Off-Campus**

*Please submit (2 pages maximum) your answers to the following questions for evaluation of your application.*

- 1 Extracurricular activities and commitments; Service to others, etc.
- 2 How critical is scholarship support relative to the completion of your CoB degree?
- 3 State your career goals? How, if any, do you plan to apply your business skills? Why?
- 4 A short (50 words maximum) biography of yourself in paragraph format.

**Loan Option - College of Business** - Complete this portion if you checked **Item D** at the beginning.

Focus/Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Integral: \_\_\_\_\_

Current cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected **Graduation Date** (qtr / yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Current **year** in school: 1 2 3 4 5 Do you plan to **Co-Op?** **Yes No** Any previous CoB loan(s)? **Yes No**

Are you a current student in the CoB? \_\_\_\_\_ Amount of loan requested? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you need this special loan?

The information provided is current and accurate. If awarded, I agree to complete all forms and give the UC CoB permission to release appropriate information to the donor.

**Signature**

**DATE**

*Please submit completed material to:* Scott B. Gregory, Enrollment Director \* 105 Lindner Hall, Cincinnati OH 45221-0020 \* (fax) 513-556-4891