



EXCEL STAFFING COMPANIES ENDOWMENT FOR EXCELLENCE IN CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

**2008 STUDENT APPLICATION FORM
DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: July 1, 2008**

Purpose:

The Excel Staffing Companies Endowment for Excellence in Continuing Education Scholarship Program, a fund held within the Albuquerque Community Foundation, was established in 1989 with the express purpose of assisting individuals in pursuit of excellence in a career. This program recognizes the hardships imposed on individuals who are working at least 30 hours per week and attending school to attain an undergraduate or graduate degree, or professional certification. These awards are made to individuals who have taken the initiative to reach for a goal and have demonstrated a commitment to that goal. Awards of up to \$1,000 per semester are made annually beginning with the fall semester. Awards are made for tuition, books and/or actual school expenses.

Applicant must:

- be 21 years of age or older
- be an Albuquerque area resident
- work a minimum of 30 hours per week
- have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- need financial assistance to attain a career goal

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____
Email (if applicable) _____ Date of Birth: _____

EMPLOYER INFORMATION:

Name of Employer _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____ Phone Number _____
Supervisor/Contact Name _____
Your Title or Job Description _____

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION:

Name of University/College _____

Mailing Address _____

Degree or certification program _____ GPA _____

Award is made for tuition and/or actual school expenses only. Award is paid directly to the college/university upon proof of enrollment. Amount of award (up to \$1,000)

requested is \$ _____

If you are currently enrolled, what is your Student ID# _____

ATTACHMENTS:

- Résumé including employment, community service, and awards or honors (maximum 4 pages)
- Statement outlining career goals in relation to academic pursuits and financial need
- Current transcript verifying minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA
- Letter from employer verifying employment of at least 30 hours per week
- Optional – letter of reference verifying community service and/or volunteer commitment

ATTACHED (SEALED) OR SENT UNDER SEPARATE COVER:

- Up to 2 letters of reference from teacher or counselor (1-page, 1-side)

Note: If you have not been in school recently, letter of reference may be obtained from someone in your place of employment.

PRESENT OR PAST EXCEL EMPLOYEES:

- I have worked for an Excel Staffing Company for a minimum of 1,000 hours between the dates of _____ and _____.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Applications must be submitted by the deadline. For the sake of fairness no exceptions will be made. Incomplete or unsigned applications will not be considered.

Postmark Deadline July 1, 2008.

<p>Mail application and all attachments to:</p> <p>Excel Scholarship Program Albuquerque Community Foundation P.O. Box 36960 Albuquerque, NM 87176-6960</p>	<p>Or Hand deliver to:</p> <p>Albuquerque Community Foundation 3301 Meanul NE Suite 2 Albuquerque, NM [NW corner of Carlisle & Menaul]</p>
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Questions? Call 505-883-6240 or e-mail foundation@albuquerquefoundation.org