



# CALIFORNIA LODGING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION

## LODGING/HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY SCHOLARSHIPS

AVAILABLE FOR

**2009 - 2010 ACADEMIC YEAR**

### INTRODUCTION

The CLIA Academic Scholarship Fund is an endowment founded in 1998 by CLIA -- the California Lodging Industry Association, with the goal to financially assist college students pursuing coursework and careers in the lodging/hospitality industry. The 2009-2010 academic year will be the 12th year of the award. Eligible recipients must be California residents and must be enrolled in a four-year California college or university.

### AWARDS AND CRITERIA

One scholarship for the academic year, 2009-2010, in the amount of \$1,500.00 will be awarded. Scholarships may be renewed upon re-application. Scholarship recipients will be selected based on a combination of their academic performance, lodging work experience, extra curricular activities, personal attributes and future goals. The CLIA Education & Scholarship Committee oversees the selection process.

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

1. Must be a California resident
2. Must be currently enrolled (2009-2010 academic year) at a four-year California college or university
3. Must be majoring in a lodging or hospitality-related field
4. Must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75

### SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS

Completed applications for the 2009-2010 academic year must be received by **June 19, 2009**. Scholarship recipients will be notified of their awards by **September 10, 2009**, and the award will be acknowledged at CLIA's Annual Membership Meeting to be held in Fall 2009 (date and location to be announced).

Any scholarship recipient who fails to enroll or cancels enrollment must immediately notify CLIA. Failure to meet all requirements for a CLIA Scholarship may cause a scholarship award to be revoked by CLIA or repaid by the recipient.

CLIA encourages applications from women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and other traditionally underrepresented groups.

Please feel free to copy the application for additional submissions. Please direct all questions and completed applications to:

**CLIA Scholarship Fund**  
**California Lodging Industry Association**  
**P.O. Box 15918**  
**Sacramento, CA 95852-0918**  
**(916) 925-2915 / Fax: (916) 925-0785**



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**CLIA SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP - ACADEMIC YEAR 2009-2010**

*Please print or type (complete all sections of application)*

**NAME**

First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**CURRENT ADDRESS**

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ Apartment #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**PERMANENT ADDRESS**

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ Apartment #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

**High School Attended**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**College/University Currently Attending**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester and Year First Enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Transcripts (*Most recent college/university transcript, including grade point average, must be submitted with application*)

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**WORK HISTORY**

Please provide employment history, most recent/current position first. Attach additional page, if necessary.

1. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
2. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
4. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL HISTORY**

Please submit a typed, double-spaced (250 word maximum), history of your background, achievements, activities, and experiences, including your goals with respect to the lodging/hospitality industry and any other information relevant to this application.

**REFERENCES**

Please provide two letters of reference from among the following: employer, college/university instructor, friend of at least five years (no relatives). Also include telephone number for person providing letter of reference.

**PERSONAL INTERVIEW**

Applicants may be required to interview, either by telephone or in person.

**NOTIFICATION**

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**DEADLINE**

Application, including all required attachments, must be received no later than **June 19, 2009**. Send to:

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