



## Application for 2010 W.A.C.E. Conference Scholarship

A scholarship program is offered annually from the W.A.C.E. Education Foundation to individuals who are employed by a chamber of commerce and are currently members of W.A.C.E. The purpose of the scholarship is to improve the overall performance level of chamber of commerce executives and staff and to encourage professionalism in the field of chamber management.

### Eligibility

1. Both staff and chief executive officers are eligible.
2. Scholarship must be used for registration and any other conference-related expenses.
3. Applicant must be a member-in-good-standing of W.A.C.E.
4. Application must be submitted on the standard form provided by W.A.C.E.
5. Applicant selected must attend the 2010 W.A.C.E. Conference.

### Selection

After a thorough review of all applications, the W.A.C.E. Education Foundation Trustees shall select the scholarship recipient. The decision will be final. Announcement will be made no later than December 14, 2009.

### Application

Application is hereby made for a full registration scholarship for the 2010 W.A.C.E. Conference, which will be held February 3–5, 2010, at the San Francisco Airport Marriott in Burlingame, California. **It is understood by the applicant that the scholarship is a reimbursement of his/her pre-paid Conference registration fee, and must be used for conference-related expenses.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Years in present position \_\_\_\_\_

Chamber \_\_\_\_\_ Years in chamber profession \_\_\_\_\_

Current position \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Fax# \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever received a Foundation scholarship in the past five years? \_\_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_\_no

If so, when and for what? \_\_\_\_\_

**Essay** - In three hundred words or less explain why you feel deserving of the scholarship - please describe **two or three significant accomplishments** while in your current position. (Attach essay to this form.)

**References**- Attach reference letters from one chamber executive and one volunteer leader.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline** - Completed application and reference letters must be received by **November 13, 2009**. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Send application/inquiries to:

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