

GUAM WOMEN'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (GWCC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Eligibility Criteria:

- 1. Applicant must be a full-time student currently enrolled and pursuing a Bachelor's Degree at the University of Guam (UOG).
- 2. Applicant must have successfully completed at least two (2) semesters at UOG.
- 3. Applicant must have at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average (GPA).
- 4. Applicant must provide a current official transcript for proof of current GPA.
- 5. Applicant must submit a completed GWCC Scholarship Application Form.
- 6. Applicant must submit two (2) letters of recommendation from two (2) UOG faculty members.
- 7. Applicant must submit a 500-600 word essay (typewritten, double-space) on one of the following topics:
 - a. How can we advocate for a better business environment that pays competitive wages and benefits for women on Guam?
 - b. What, if any, obstacles do you feel women have to overcome to be a successful entrepreneur? How can women overcome these obstacles?
 - c. What gender barriers do women of your generation face in the workplace, and what are some ways to overcome these barriers?

Amount and Number of Awards: Two (2) \$2,000 scholarships for Academic Year 2018 and a one-year individual membership to the Guam Women's Chamber of Commerce.

Application Deadline: Application packet must be submitted to the UOG Financial Aid Office no later than September 7, 2018. Incomplete packets will *not* be reviewed.

Selection Process: The UOG Scholarship Committee will recommend applications to GWCC based on GPA, letters of recommendation, one-page essays, and financial need, as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Final selection will be made by the GWCC Board.

Method of Payment: Selected applicant must show proof of UOG registration for Fall 2018 to GWCC before payment is made. Scholarship recipients are expected to attend a GWCC event when the scholarship awards will be presented. Recipients are also expected to be available for 60 hours of volunteer service and assist at the annual GWCC Golf Tournament on September 29, 2018.

CONTACT OFFICE: Financial Aid Office, University of Guam, Mangilao, GU 96923 Frances Guerrero (didit@uguam.uog.edu), Private Scholarships (671) 735-2293



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Directions: Complete this application form (type or print) and submit along with the other requirements - 2 letters of recommendation, official transcript, 500-600 word essay (typewritten, double-space) to the UOG Financial Aid Office *no later than* **September 7, 2018.**

Name of Applicant Mailing Address	
Current GPA	Major Field of Study
Email Address	Phone Number
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Signature of Applicant	Date Submitted
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Confirmed Receipt Date	Received by UOG Financial Aid Representative/Print & Sign
Documents Received: ☐ Appli	cation □ Essay □ Two Recommendations □ Transcript