



**California Society of Certified Public Accountants
East Bay Chapter
Scholarship Award Program**

Scholarship Range: \$3,000—\$6,000

The East Bay Chapter of the California Society of CPAs is proud to announce its Scholarship Award Program. Scholarships will be awarded to students with interest in pursuing professional careers in accounting practice or university faculty positions in accounting. All awards are merit-based.

ELIGIBILITY

- Currently attending one of the following colleges or universities:
 - California State University, East Bay
 - St. Mary's College
 - University of California, Berkeley
 - Mills College
- Maintain a GPA of 3.25 or above.
- U.S. citizens or permanent residents of the United States.
- Awards for the Promising Accounting Scholar are presented to students entering the upper division status in their accounting studies.
- Awards for the Emerging Accounting Scholar are presented to students entering the senior year with accounting major or post-graduate studies with accounting or tax emphasis.
- Prior award recipients are not eligible.
- Award finalists must be able to provide official transcript from their university prior to distribution of awards

Applicants must submit a completed application form, résumé, unofficial transcript(s), and an essay of approximately 500 words answering the following questions:

1. What does accounting mean to you?
2. What are your plans and goals in the accounting profession?
3. Given that the award is intended to foster future excellence in the profession, why should you be awarded this scholarship?

Please visit www.calcpa.org/EB for information about the East Bay Chapter of the CalCPA or the application form of the East Bay Chapter scholarship.

Completed scholarship applications must be **postmarked or e-mailed by Oct. 31, 2011**.

For more information, contact chapter program associate Soco Davenport at soco.davenport@calcpa.org or (925) 926-0189.

CalCPA East Bay Chapter Scholarship Application

Name (print): _____ Phone: _____

Current address(print): _____

Email address(print): _____ Sex: ___ F ___ M

College presently attending: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Present Year in College: _____ Major: _____ Degree: ___ BA ___ MBA/MS

Are you a U.S. Citizen/permanent resident? ___ Yes ___ No

Have you ever received a scholarship from this chapter? ___ Yes ___ No; If Yes, when? _____

Accounting courses completed and grades in each course:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Accounting courses presently taking:

_____	_____
_____	_____

Describe internships, accounting/tax experience and or extracurricular involvements:

List all colleges and universities that you have attended, including GPA earned at each school and the years attended.

Cumulative GPA _____ GPA in Accounting courses _____

Permanent address, if different from current address _____

Permanent telephone, including area code (if different from above) _____

Personal email address, other than your college email address (print) _____

How did you hear about our scholarship _____

Submit your completed application form, résumé, unofficial transcript(s), and your essay to:
Soco Davenport; CalCPA; 1800 Gateway Dr. Ste. 200.; San Mateo, CA 94404 or
soco.davenport@calcpa.org.

Selected applicants will be notified for interviews in November 2011. Awards will be presented in January 2010 at the CalCPA East Bay Chapter Honorees' Night.
