



CalCPA STATE ACCOUNTING EDUCATION MASTERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION

REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY:

Candidates must:

- Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.3 or higher and a 3.3 or higher grade point average in upper division or graduate accounting courses
- Have completed at least six semester units or 9 quarter units of upper division or graduate accounting
- Must show proof of admission to a Master's program in tax or accounting, or admission to a blended program conferring a Master's degree
- Applicants are not eligible if they are already licensed as a CPA in any state OR have completed all the educational requirements for Pathway 2 licensure in California
- Proof of enrollment for at least 6 semester units or 9 quarter units for the winter quarter/spring semester following application will be required prior to scholarship funding

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name (last/first/initial) _____

Home address (street/apt/city/zip) _____

Telephone () _____ E-mail _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

College or University Attended or Enrolled In	From/To	Semesters	Units	GPA

Bachelors Degree: date awarded (or expected in blended program) _____ Major _____

Overall GPA _____ Upper Division Accounting GPA _____

Masters Degree: date to be awarded _____ Major Emphasis _____

Masters GPA _____ Masters Accounting GPA Beyond Core _____

NOTE: *Upper Division Accounting GPA should include all undergraduate accounting courses (i.e. intermediate accounting, taxation, auditing) beyond the introductory financial and managerial courses; Masters Accounting GPA should include all graduate accounting courses beyond the introductory financial and managerial courses.*

APPLICATION SUBMITTAL MUST INCLUDE ALL OF THE BELOW LISTED ITEMS. PLEASE CHECK OFF EACH ITEM INCLUDED. IF ANY ITEMS ARE NOT INCLUDED, THE APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Included	Required Item
√	Application form
	Resume
	One letter of reference from an accounting professor
	Personal statement addressing at least the following: applicant's plan for entrance to the profession and licensure; a discussion of why the applicant chose accounting; and a discussion of activities or experience that have influenced the applicant's commitment to the profession.
	Transcripts (may be unofficial) should be submitted from any and all schools where more than 6 semester (9 quarter) units were completed, or where any accounting classes were taken. This includes transcripts from international universities or an evaluation report in English. If your transcript does not show the courses currently enrolled in, please provide an explanation as to why.
	Letter of reference, personal statement and transcripts must be sent with application form and not as a separate submittal.

The completed application, including all required materials, must be postmarked no later than October 31, 2012.

CalCPA – Strategic Relations Division
 State Accounting Education Masters Scholarship Program
 Attention: Patti Sustin
 330 North Brand Blvd., Suite 710
 Glendale, CA 91203

I attest that all statements and information provided in this application are complete and accurate.

Signature _____ Date _____