

NAIOP CFL Intentional Impact Scholarship Program

Scholarship Application

The Central Florida Chapter of NAIOP in conjunction with the Intentional Impact Committee is pursuing candidates for an **Intentional Impact Sponsorship Scholarship.** The format will be an *educational scholarship fund* to be awarded to students entering their sophomore to senior year or actively enrolled in their graduate degree. The student must demonstrate an intention to pursue a career in the commercial real estate industry or related fields through his/her/their course studies, employment or internships in the commercial real estate industry or other notable experience or achievements. The candidate must show significant interest in wanting to remain or relocate to the Central Florida (Orlando MSA) region. Scholarships will be granted in 2023 in the amount of no less than \$1,000, and no more than \$3,000 per semester. A recipient may receive the scholarship up to (4) separate semesters but must apply for renewal each semester. If the recipient resides in the Central Florida area at the time of the application/award, the scholarship will also include a one-year student or graduate student (as applicable) membership to NAIOP Central Florida.

This scholarship is designated for students interested in career fields associated with Commercial Real Estate including careers such as, but not limited to:

- Real Estate Brokers
- Property Managers
- Commercial Lenders
- Land-Use Attorneys
- Real Estate Developers

- Urban Planners
- Engineering (with priority to Civil and Environmental)
- Architects
- Interior Designers

- Construction
 Managers
- Financial Investors
- Surveyors
- CAD Technicians
- Appraisers

Application Criteria:

- The applicant must be a full-time student (minimum 9 credit hours if pursuing a 2-year degree or 12 hours, if pursuing a 4-year degree) and in good standing entering his/her sophomore year to senior year or a graduate program at one of the following colleges or universities: Seminole State College, Valencia Community College, Florida A&M University College of Law, Florida A&M University, Bethune Cookman, University of Florida, Florida State, Rollins College, or University of Central Florida.
- The applicant must demonstrate an intention or interest in pursuing a career in commercial real estate, through course work, work experience and/or other notable achievements.



- The applicant must be willing to have his/her name, photograph and place of residence appear in promotional announcements by NAIOP Central Florida.
- The applicant must participate in a once per month meeting / phone call with their Commercial Real Estate Career Advisor through NAIOP Central Florida. If an Applicant misses three (3) meetings with their Advisor, they will be immediately suspended from the program.

• Application Deadlines:

- Fall Semester:
 - Applications accepted through November 1.
 - Transcripts due by January 1. Please submit via email to <u>lindsay@naiopcfl.org</u>.
- Spring Semester:
 - Applications accepted through April 1.
 - Transcripts due by June 1. Please submit via email to <u>lindsay@naiopcfl.org</u>.

Scholarship recipients will receive payment within thirty days from receipt of the applicant's qualifying transcripts for the semester in which the award was granted.

Applicants are encouraged to apply as early as possible since applications will be evaluated in the order they are received.

The Intentional Impact Sponsorship Committee reserves the right to conduct interviews by phone, Zoom or in-person with any applicant.



Instructions to Applicant:

- Complete pages 4 through 6 of this application.
- Submit with the application:
 - One letter of recommendation from a faculty member at the applicant's school. (Please submit an email and phone number for recommender).
 - One recommendation from another source (please submit an email and phone number for recommender).
 - A copy of the applicant's transcript, through the date of the most recent grading period (which may be delivered directly from the applicable college or university at the request of the applicant).
 - A copy of the applicant's resume.
 - A list of professional extracurricular activities inclusive of volunteering and any other efforts for the advancement of equality and inclusion.; and
 - One Essay addressing the below topics (minimum 400 words)
 - Explain your career goals and your interest in pursuing a career in commercial real estate (and in which field or profession in the industry); Why you want to live in the Orlando MSA area should be included.
 - Describe the greatest challenge or obstacle you have overcome. What did you learn about yourself?
- Submit the foregoing by email to the address below:
 - NAIOP CFL Intentional Impact Scholarship Program

c/o Lindsay Winter to lindsay@naiopcfl.org

*Please ensure contact information (name, phone, current address and e-mail) is provided for all references and individuals that submit letters of recommendation on behalf of the applicant.



PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name Current Address Phone Email Permanent Address (if different from above) **COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY GENERAL INFORMATION** Expected Attending College _____ Graduation Date _____ Degree Current Overall GPA _____ Credit Hours Completed Course Work (related to commercial real estate or related industries) Future Courses (related to commercial real estate or related industries)_____ **IDEA TASK FORCE/NAIOP CENTRAL FLORIDA PARTICIPATION** Have you participated in an event hosted by NAIOP Central Florida?

If yes, please list the year(s) you participated: ______ Have you participated in any other NAIOP event(s)? ______ If yes, please describe the event(s) you participated in and the date(s):



COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL INFORMATION (CURRENT YEAR)

Tuition	\$
Room/Board or Living Expenses	<u>\$</u>
General Fees (include books and any related fees)	<u>\$</u>
Other Misc. Expenses (explain)	<u>\$</u>
	Total: \$

PERSONAL/FAMILY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

What was your gross family income as reported in the most recent income tax year?* (Include income from both of your parents/guardians, if applicable.) *While financial need will be considered, the scholarship should not be considered need based. Other criteria will be considered as well.

under \$10,000	\$10,000 - \$50,000	\$50,000 - \$75,000
\$75,000 - \$100,000	\$100,000 - \$150,000	over \$150,000

How much can your family contribute per year towards your education?

How much income are you earning per month?_____

Are there any unique family financial responsibilities that should be considered with your application? If yes, please specify:

Please indicate any funds/grants/scholarships you have received, or will be receiving, that are not reflected in the above information, including any Florida prepaid tuition or other plans:______

Do you intend on pursuing your career within Central Florida? (Please state "Yes" or "No")



I hereby swear and attest to the truthfulness the above information, and hereby certify all information included with my application is accurate and complete.

By submitting this Application, I further agree to the following:

- If I receive notice that I am a qualified applicant, I will request an official transcript be provided to NAIOP Central Florida, if requested.
- NAIOP Central Florida, through the Scholarship committee, may contact those who submit recommendations on my behalf, as well as any references listed in my resume.
- NAIOP Central Florida may use my name and city of residence in promotional materials and may publish my essay or excerpts therefrom on its website or in its marketing materials, with proper attribution.
- If I am awarded the scholarship, I will reasonably cooperate with NAIOP Central Florida's marketing efforts relating to the scholarship during the academic year for which I receive the scholarship.
- If I am awarded the scholarship, I agree to keep current contact information on file with NAIOP Central Florida for at least two (2) years following the academic year I received the scholarship.

Applicant Signature

Date