

Coalition of Black Trade Unionists**Leonard Ball ♦ James R. Bell ♦ Ronald Reliford Undergraduate Scholarship Application
2016-2017**

This application will be used by the CBTU Scholarship Awards Committee to assist in the selection of endowment scholarship recipients. Only Undergraduate Students are eligible to apply. Qualifying students must meet minimum requirements listed below to be eligible. Ten recipients will receive a minimum of \$2,000 each; the recipients will be announced during the CBTU Scholarship Awards Banquet on May 29, 2016.

**FAILURE TO FULLY COMPLETE, INITIAL WHERE INDICATED AND SIGN
THIS APPLICATION WILL AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFY YOU AS A POTENTIAL RECIPIENT**

Please initial each criterion to verify that you understand and have completed each qualification requirements. Failure to do so will disqualify your application.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA*INITIAL ALL*

___ **DEADLINE April 8, 2016.** Please submit a complete Undergraduate Scholarship Application, an official copy of SAT or AC scores, an official school transcript and a photograph. Current College students do not need to submit ACT/SAT scores. In order to ensure a fair process, **NO EXTENSIONS** will be granted. The deadline date is the U.S. Postal date stamp indicated above. Please affix your name and home address to the back of a photograph. **Faxed submissions will not be accepted.**

ENROLLMENT

___ **High School Students** must have written evidence of acceptance to an accredited college/university for 2016 Fall school year.
___ **Current College Students** must have proof of a "C" average;
___ Please attach a copy of your institution's rating system to clarify any numbered grade

RECOMMENDATIONS

___ Must have at least three letters of recommendation from people other than relatives, dated and addressed to the CBTU Scholarship Committee. **(Repeat applicants must send new recommendation each year. You may not use letters from previous year.)**

CBTU SPONSOR

___ Provide the name, relationship, signature and contact number of the CBTU member who is the sponsor of scholarship applicant to the Scholarship Awards Committee. **Sponsor must be a current dues paid member recorded in the International CBTU Office by April 29 of current year.**

ESSAY

___ Must submit a typewritten essay of no less than 300 words.
Entering Freshman year essay subject: Why Should Young People get involved in Politics?
Entering Sophomore year essay subject: Leadership and Services, What does it Mean?
Enter Junior year essay subject: "Valuing our Vote"
Entering Senior year essay subject: A College Education, Provides Me Choices.
Essays will be judged on content, grammar, sentence structure and punctuation. **(Please note, "I", "to", "a" will not be considered words for the purpose of the word count of 300)**

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application and supporting materials is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Coalition of Black Trade Unionists

Scholarship Application for 2016-2017

PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. Legal Name _____
Last First Middle

2. Address where you can be reached for notification of awards in April/May 2014:

Street City State Zip

3. Permanent Address:

Street City State Zip

4. Current Phone Number (____) _____ Alternate Contact (____) _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

1. College/University _____

(Acceptance to an accredited college or university is a qualification requirement)

2. Current Major and/or Pre-Professional Program _____

3. Minor (if applicable) _____

A. Submit a list of significant accomplishments, awards, scholarships and or honors received. (Please attach).

B. Submit a list of significant offices held, and/or involvement in work, volunteer and community services activities. (Please attach).

SPONSOR INFORMATION

1. Name _____

2. Relationship _____

3. Contact Number _____

4. Signature _____

5. Chapter _____ Union _____

In order to receive your award, please mail or fax (202) 293-5308 verification of actual enrollment to the office of Coalition of Black Trade Unionists – ATTN: **Awards Committee, Post Office Box 66268, Washington DC 20035**

BY August 12, 2016