

2013
COLORADO ADVISORY COUNCIL on MILITARY EDUCATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
for
U.S. Military Service Members and Veterans

**Sponsored by: Colorado Advisory Council on Military Education (CO-ACME), in coordination
with the Colorado Springs Chamber of Commerce Military Affairs Council**

APPLICATION DEADLINE September 30, 2013

The CO-ACME Foundation, sponsors scholarships awarded to deserving U.S. Military service members and veterans pursuing a higher education degree. The scholarships are awarded to those who have been accepted to an accredited college or university, or who are current college students seeking support for either a traditional degree-seeking program up to and including Master's degrees or for vocational, career, or technical education. Applicants must be committed to attend during the 2013 – 2014 academic year. Students who have been selected to attend a Military Service Academy are not eligible. **The award for the 2013 – 2014 academic year is \$500.00, and two scholarships will be awarded.**

The Scholarships are awarded based on character, leadership, potential for academic success, the importance of the scholarship to academic pursuits, and financial need. A Scholarship Selection Committee will score all applications and select the scholarship recipients. The scholarship selection process is nondiscriminatory and Scholarship Committee members' immediate family members are not eligible for a scholarship award nor can they benefit financially in any way from this program. The actual amounts and numbers of scholarships awarded may vary depending on the available funding in a given year. There is no specified restriction on the use of scholarship award moneys; however, it is the intent of the committee that they be utilized in the direct support of academic pursuits.

Complete application packages must include the following (only complete packages will be considered):

- Application form (completely filled out). Applicants must use the attached application form.
- An official or unofficial transcript of your high school and/or (as applicable) any colleges / vocational schools attended. Transcripts should be included with the application package and not be mailed separately by the institution.
- Three letters of recommendation from current or past teachers or employers of the applicant.
- A copy of a current LES (Leave and Earnings Statement) or DD214.
- A one to three page essay explaining your educational and career goals, and how this scholarship will help achieve these goals. (Essay guidelines: 1- 3 pages, single-spaced, font size 10 or larger, no less than 1" margins.)

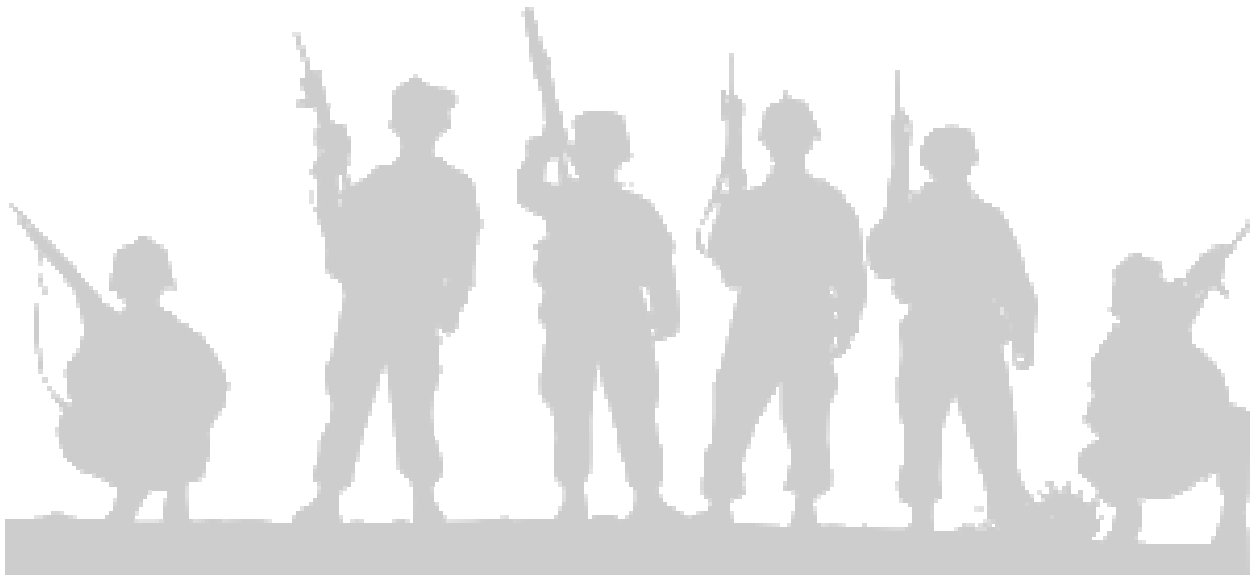
Please review your application to ensure all questions are complete, scan and email the signed/dated application, plus all other requested information, to the selection committee at coloradoacme@gmail.com. Files must be in PDF format.

Applications submitted after midnight MST on September 30, 2013 will not be accepted. Application materials cannot be returned.

Each scholarship recipient will be notified of his/her selection no later than July 31, 2012. It is the intent of the committee that the money be used in direct support of academic pursuits. Scholarship will be sent directly to the institution.

Email complete package to: coloradoacme@gmail.com

For additional information, please contact the committee at coloradoacme@gmail.com.



2013 Scholarship Application Form

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Telephone Numbers: Daytime: _____ Evening: _____

(check all that apply)

I am applying as the legal ____ spouse, ____ member of the U.S. Military service, ____ veteran

Name of service member (if applying as a spouse): _____

Branch of service: _____

Education

Current College Attending: _____

Projected Graduation Date: _____

Desired College/University Course of Study (Provide copy of acceptance letter, if available):

Desired Occupation upon receipt of degree, if known: _____

Extracurricular Activities

List your four most significant activities in the categories listed below:

School Activities

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Athletic Activities

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Community/ Volunteer Activities

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Describe your most recent employment (i.e., where, position, how many hours per week, start and end date): _____

Which of the experiences listed gave you the greatest satisfaction and why?

Certification

Must be signed by the applicant.

The information provided in this application and the attachments are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

