



# 2010-2011 Austin Area Chapter, ACFE Scholarship Application

Please accept my application for a scholarship for the 2010-2011 academic year to be awarded by the Austin Area Chapter, ACFE. I understand the scholarship will be awarded by the Austin Area Chapter, ACFE on the basis of overall academic achievement, letters of recommendation and a completed Ritchie –Jennings Memorial Scholarship Questionnaire.

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

College or University \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship (10 scholarships are reserved for citizens of countries outside North America, regardless of where they attend college)

### Scholarship Checklist

- Official transcript(s)** showing all completed courses from any college or university attended. If Fall 2010 grades are not available in time to make the deadline, grades through Spring 2010 and proof of Fall 2010 enrollment must be provided.
- Three letters of recommendation**, one of which must be from a Certified Fraud Examiner or a local ACFE chapter representative (required for U.S. and Canadian citizens only). You may go online to [www.ACFE.com/community/chapters.asp](http://www.ACFE.com/community/chapters.asp) or contact the ACFE to receive the name of a local ACFE chapter representative. It is your responsibility to meet with a CFE or ACFE chapter representative for a possible recommendation. The remaining letters may be from faculty members, advisors, or employment supervisors.
- A 250-500 word essay** explaining why you deserve the award, and how fraud awareness will affect your professional development.
- (Optional)** A completed application and questionnaire for the 2011-2012 Richie Jennings Memorial Scholarship for amounts awarded: one \$10,000 scholarship, two \$5,000 scholarships, four \$2,500 scholarships and twenty-three \$1,000 scholarships  
(see: <http://www.acfe.com/documents/ScholarshipApp.pdf>)

**Completed application packets must be received no later than December 3, 2010.** This deadline is non-negotiable and will be strictly enforced for all applicants. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the complete application packet is delivered to the address below by the deadline.

### I hereby certify that:

- I am a full-time undergraduate taking at least 9 semester hours, or graduate student taking at least 6 semester hours, per term at an accredited four-year college or university (or equivalent) with a declared major or minor in accounting, business administration, finance or criminal justice (high school students — including graduating seniors — are not eligible to apply).
- all of the information on this application and on my enclosures is true and correct.

Signature /Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Scholarship awards will be announced and awarded on December 8, 2010.** Applications and additional questions should be addressed to:

**Ms. Glyn M. Rogers  
University of Texas at Austin  
PO Box 7399  
Austin Tx. 78713-7399**



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In order for us to gain an understanding of the person you are, the activities in which you participate, how those areas of interest relate to your future professional goals and career path, and how fraud awareness and education will affect your professional development, please answer the following questions.

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Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. In the space provided please completed the following:

A. How would a friend describe you?

B. How would a student peer describe you?

C. What would a professor say about your character and work ethic?

2. Do you participate in any community or charitable activities? If so, please describe.

3. Describe your strengths and weaknesses using only three words for each.

A. Strengths

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Weaknesses

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

