



College of Agricultural, Consumer
& Environmental Sciences

2022–2023 ACES Scholarship Application

Due Date: February 15, 2022. No late applications will be accepted.

Who should fill out this application?

Students who will enroll full-time in the College of ACES in the fall of 2022. This includes continuing students and transfer students from within or outside of the University of Illinois.

Who is not eligible to fill out this application?

- Incoming freshman
- Students who are not enrolled in the College of ACES
- Students who will graduate in May 2022 or August 2022
- Parkland Pathways students who will not enter the College of ACES as full time students until fall 2023

When will students be notified of scholarship decisions?

Scholarship decisions will be emailed to students using their Illinois email address in mid-July 2022.

Questions can be directed to aces-scholarships@illinois.edu.

Name and Contact Information:

First Name: \$ {e://Field/RecipientFirstName}

Last Name: \$ {e://Field/RecipientLastName}

UIN: \${e://Field/ExternalDataReference}

Email: \${e://Field/RecipientEmail}

Additional Email

Other Email Address (optional)

In order to evaluate scholarship applicants, the College of ACES will obtain the following information from your student record: major, GPA, hours completed, and financial need. The College may also consult with members of your department including the department head, advising staff, and professors. This information is confidential and will not be shared outside of the University of Illinois. This information will not be shared with scholarship donors. Please acknowledge below that you are aware of this process by clicking the statement below.

- I am aware that the College will obtain information from my student record and may communicate with people from my department.

Many College of ACES Scholarships are made possible by alumni, former faculty, or friends of the University. They are pleased to be able to support College of ACES students and often want to know more about the students who win their particular scholarship. In order to facilitate this type of communication with donors, please compose a brief biography about yourself. Elements to include are your name and hometown, year in school, major and career goals and college activities.

Typically students write between 150-300 words for their biography.



Do you consent to have the above biography, career plans essay, as well as your name, address city, major and high school/community college shared with scholarship donors?

- Yes, the College of ACES may share this biography and items noted with scholarship donors.
- No, do not share this biography or the items noted with scholarship donors.

Which semester are you planning to graduate?

- Spring 2022
- Summer 2022
- Fall 2022
- Spring 2023
- Summer 2023
- Fall 2023
- Spring 2024
- Summer 2024
- Fall 2024
- Spring 2025
- Summer 2025

- Fall 2025
- Spring 2026
- Summer 2026

You have answered that you are currently planning to graduate this spring or summer term and are therefore not eligible for the College of ACES scholarships.

Are you currently enrolled as a Parkland Pathways student?

- Yes
- No

You have answered that you are currently enrolled as a Parkland Pathways student. When do you plan on enrolling full time in the College of ACES?

- Fall 2022
- Fall 2023

Parkland Pathways students are not eligible for College of ACES scholarships until they are enrolled full-time in the College of ACES. Because you will not be enrolled full-time until the Fall of 2023, you are not currently eligible to complete this form. Please check back next year to fill out this scholarship form.

What is your current year in school (as of Spring 2022)?

- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior

Please select your home department within the College of ACES

- Agricultural and Biological Engineering (including TSM and ETMAS majors)
- Agricultural and Consumer Economics
- Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communications
- Animal Sciences (including CS+ANSC majors)
- Crop Sciences (including CS+CPSC & Plant Biotech majors)
- Food Science and Human Nutrition
- Human Development and Family Studies
- Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences
- ACES Undeclared
- Metropolitan Food and Environmental Systems

Please select your NRES concentration

- Ecosystem Stewardship and Restoration Ecology
- Environmental Science and Management
- Fish, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology
- Human Dimensions of the Environment

What semester did you start at the University of Illinois?

Prior to enrolling at the University of Illinois, did you attend another college or university?

- Yes, I transferred to Illinois from a community college (please list):
- Yes, I transferred to Illinois from another 4-year institution (please list):
- No, I enrolled as a freshman at Illinois after high school.

Which of the following best describes you?

- I am a student originally from the state of Illinois.
- I am a student originally from another state or territory in the United States.
- I am a student originally from a country other than the United States.

You have selected that you are a student originally from the state of Illinois. Please fill in below the name of your hometown, the county of your hometown, and the name of your high school.

Name of Hometown

Name of High School

Please select your home county:

What are your career plans, at this time? How has your current major helped you move toward those goals?

(Limit your response to 300 words.)

A small number of our College of ACES scholarships specify that the recipient has a specific interest. Please review the following section with this in mind.

Does "Entomology" describes your career goals?

- Yes
- No

Does "Veterinary Medicine" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Sustainable Agriculture" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Soil Building" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Extension Agent or Cooperative Extension Service" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Grain Merchandising" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Farming (crop &/or livestock)" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Plant Pathology" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Environmental Issues of Agriculture" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Advancement in Agricultural Issues" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Water Resources or Conservation" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Textile or Clothing Production or Marketing" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Dairy Industry Involvement" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Horseradish Production" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Research in an Agricultural Discipline" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Production Agriculture" describes your career goals?

- Yes
 No

Does "Human Nutrition" describes your career goals?

- Yes
- No

Please detail your involvement PRIOR to enrolling at the University of Illinois (during high school or community college).

	Length of Involvement	Did you hold a leadership position with this organization? Please describe.
	Years	Leadership Roles
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FFA	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
FBLA	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
FCCLA	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Student Government/Council	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other (1) <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other (2) <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other (3) <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other (4) <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Please list up to 7 clubs, organizations or activities you have been involved in during your time at the University of Illinois. Using the chart below, detail the length of your involvement (semesters of college) and any leadership roles you have held with those organizations.

	Length of involvement	Hours committed per semester	Have you held a leadership role in this organization? If yes, describe.
	Semesters	Hours	Leadership Roles
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From the list of activities above, please describe how your involvement in these activities enhanced your personal development or furthered your career goals. (Response limit is

200 words.)

The following questions are being asked because you indicated you are a student in the Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Sciences. Content from these questions will be used for NRES specific scholarships.

Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic, Latino or Latina?

- Yes
- No

With what racial group(s) do you identify?

We have occasion to notify the scholarship donors of the award winners. Which pronouns do you use?

Describe a challenge that you have had to face in your educational career.

The following questions are being asked because you indicated you are a student in the Department of Human Development and Family Studies. Content from these questions will be used for HDFS specific scholarships.

Please describe a college-level accomplishment that you are most proud of? Why?
(about 600 words)

Please list all of the volunteer opportunities you have participated in while a student at UIUC. Also include the number of hours you have dedicated to this activity.

	Hours Dedicated	Have you held a leadership role in this organization? If yes, describe.
	Semesters	Leadership Roles
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Do you have financial need?

- Yes
- No

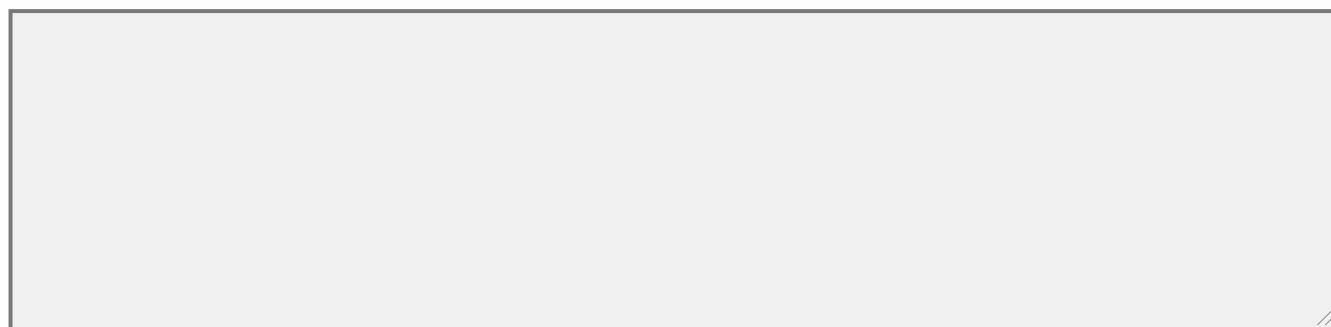
We know students work hard to meet financial needs while at UIUC. What have you done to meet this financial burden?



During your time at Illinois, have you engaged in any of the following?

- Undergraduate research
- Employment or internship during the school year
- Employment or internship during the summer
- Study Abroad

Please describe your undergraduate research experience including the professor and department in which you were engaged. Limit your response to 200 words.



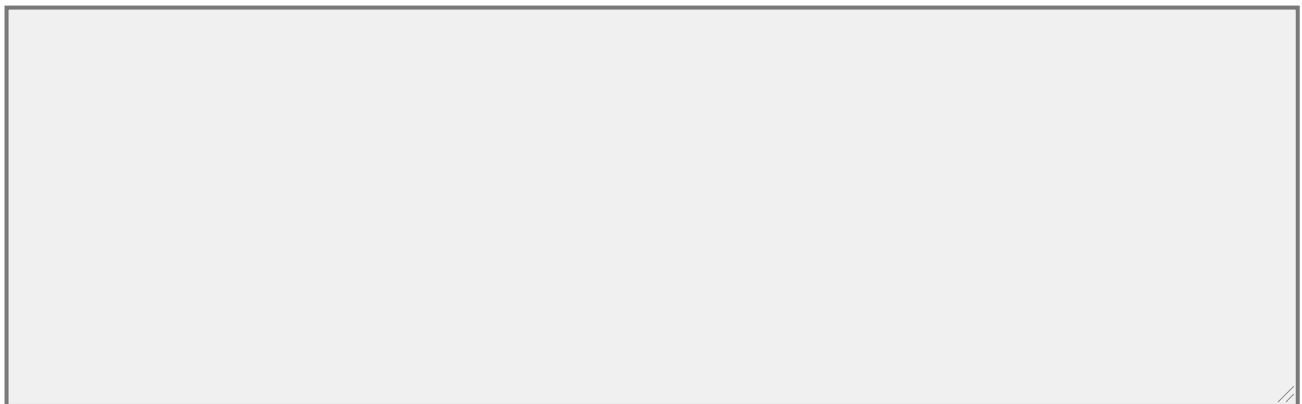
Please describe your employment experience or internship(s) completed during the school year. Indicate average hours per week worked. Limit your response to 200 words.

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Please describe your employment experience or internship(s) completed during the summer. Indicate hours per week worked. Limit your response to 200 words.

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Please describe your study abroad experience(s). Limit your response to 200 words.

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A small number of our College of ACES scholarships specify that the recipient come from a family farm.

Does your immediate family earn 25% or more of their income from farming?

- Yes
- No

Please describe your family's involvement with farming. Include the type of farm your family has, what other employment your family is engaged in and your future plans with regard to the farming operation.

Do any of the following statements apply to you? Check all that apply.

- I am an orphan, have a single parent or am a single parent myself.
- I am a veteran of the US Military, am currently enlisted, or am a member of ROTC.
- I have an immediate family member or grandparent who is a veteran.
- I am a member of a fraternity, sorority or cooperative housing unit.
- I or my family is involved with or connected to a grain cooperative in Illinois.
- I or my family is associated with an electrical cooperative in Illinois.
- I am or have been a member of the Illinois Junior Angus Association.
- None of these statements apply to me.

The Aretta J. Graham Scholarship is earmarked for students who are orphans, from single parent homes or are single parents themselves. Please describe a bit about your background that qualifies you for this scholarship. This information will not be shared outside of the College of ACES and will not be made public.

Please list the veteran family member and relationship to you.

Please describe your past, current and/or planned military service.

Which of these organizations do you belong to?

- 4-H House
- Sigma Alpha
- Alpha Gamma Rho
- Nabor House
- Farmhouse
- Illidel
- Other

If requested, do you give permission for the contents of this scholarship application to be shared with members of your house leadership, alumni boards or other groups in order for scholarship designations to be made? Your GPA and other academic information will not be shared.

Yes

No

Please describe your connection with a grain cooperative in Illinois.

Please describe your connection with an electrical cooperative in Illinois.

Please describe your involvement in the Illinois Junior Angus Association.



Is there any other information that you would like to share about yourself?



Applicant Profiles to our donors often ask for a photo of the recipient. If available, please upload a picture for us to include in the profile if awarded a scholarship. Your willingness to upload a photo will not affect your consideration for a scholarship. Please name the photo file as "FIRSTNAME_LASTNAME". Example: Jane_Erye.jpeg

You have now completed the College of ACES Scholarship application. Please acknowledge that you are ready to submit this application. If you are not, please go back and complete this application before submitting it. You cannot reopen this application once submitted.

Yes, submit my application.

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