

# HOUSATONIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION, INC. SUMMER 2012 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Housatonic Community College Foundation offers financial assistance for tuition and fees for academic acknowledgement or financial aid as determined by the Foundation Board of Directors. The Foundation will make scholarship awards to eligible students to provide assistance with tuition and fees for the Summer 2012 academic session. Completed applications are **due on or before March 7, 2012**. Awards will provide for full or partial payment of tuition and fees.

**You are eligible to apply for one of these scholarship awards if:**

- You are a current full or part-time Housatonic student;
- You are in good academic standing. Preference is given to students with a GPA of 3.0 or higher who have completed 9 or more credits;
- You have applied for financial aid for the 2011/2012 academic year. Students receiving Federal and/or State grants that cover all tuition and fees are not eligible.

**Please Note: All scholarship applicants must complete a financial aid application for the 2011/2012 academic year. A copy of the financial aid determination must be submitted before a final decision can be made as to scholarship eligibility.**

**Your completed application must include the following:**

- Completed and signed Financial Need form
- A copy of your 2011 or 2010 Federal Income Tax return, including all Schedules and Attachments (If you are claimed as a dependent by your parents or someone else, you must attach a copy of that person's tax return.)
- A letter of reference from a Housatonic faculty member or advisor
- A copy of your financial aid eligibility form for the 2011/2012 academic year

**Please note: No application will be considered until all items on the checklist have been submitted and an application for financial aid has been filed in the HCC Financial Aid Office. Also, all document copies should be made prior to remittance.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ Banner ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High School from which you graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

Current program of study at Housatonic: \_\_\_\_\_

When do you expect to graduate? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a current or past HCC Foundation Scholarship recipient? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Are you receiving any scholarship benefits from outside sources? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please list the name of the organization that has assisted you and the amount of the award.

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Part I – Career/Education Goals

1. How many credits are you planning to register for during the Summer Session? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What courses do you plan to take?

3. Why do you think you deserve scholarship funds?

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\_\_\_ Application completed

\_\_\_ Financial Need Form

\_\_\_ Tax Return

\_\_\_ Letter of Recommendation

\_\_\_ Financial Aid Determination

**Part II – Financial Aid Information**

Have you applied for Financial Aid through the HCC Financial Aid Office (Room A102) Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Are you receiving Financial Aid? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**Part III - College/Community Activities**

**College Activities:** Please list all of your extra-curricular activities and the years of your participation. Indicate any leadership positions you've held in them.

**Community Activities:** Please list any community activities in which you have participated while attending Housatonic.

List any honors or awards you have received. (Indicate the honor/award and the source.)

**Part IV - Employment**

List any jobs you now hold or have held in the last two years.

Dates	Employer	Position	# of hours/week	Weekly Salary
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**Part V – References**

Attach one letter of reference from a Housatonic faculty member or advisor. Select someone who knows you well. **Your application will not be considered without this letter.**

**This information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the Financial Aid Office and the Registrar to release my financial and academic records.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return all applications to:**

Director of Institutional Advancement, Room B127  
Housatonic Community College Foundation, Inc.  
900 Lafayette Boulevard  
Bridgeport, CT 06604

**Applications are due in our office by March 7, 2012.  
Letters of notification will be mailed by April 10, 2012.**

**HOUSATONIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION, INC.  
2011/2012 SCHOLARSHIP  
FINANCIAL NEED FORM**

Please complete and sign the form and attach any additional information, explanations, etc. that you believe will help the committee understand your financial need. Please **attach a copy of your 2011 or 2010 tax return** and a copy of the 2011 or 2010 tax form of anyone claiming you as a dependent for tax purposes. **If you did not file a return, please provide other verification of any and all income.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a current or past scholarship recipient? \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a veteran of the US Armed Forces? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be claimed as a dependent (for income tax exemption) by your parents in 2011? \_\_\_\_\_

By anyone else? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please give relationship to you. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have dependents other than your spouse? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, indicate how many. \_\_\_\_\_

List amounts (monthly or yearly) of any untaxed income you receive – social security, workman's compensation, child support, AFDC, unemployment, etc. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

List any special expenses that will be incurred (or anticipated) in the 2011/2012 academic year – for example, unusual medical care, child care, children's tuition.

How do you support yourself?

If you are in default of a student financial aid loan, please provide complete details about the circumstances and what steps you are taking to repay the loan.

How has your financial situation changed since April 2011? Why do you need scholarship assistance?

**This information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the financial aid office and registrar's office to release my financial and academic records.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# FINANCIAL AID ELIGIBILITY

- FALL 2011
- SPRING 2012
- SUMMER 2012

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

BANNER ID: \_\_\_\_\_

THIS STUDENT'S FINANCIAL AID AWARD IS \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**(Must be filled in by Financial Aid Office)**

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Financial Aid Office Representative**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS:

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