

Academic Relations

Scholarship Program



TO: Business School Majors

FROM: Board of Governors, The Institute of Internal Auditors Denver Chapter

SUBJECT: Scholarship Opportunity

The Institute of Internal Auditors (The IIA) Denver Chapter will be offering the following one-time (non-renewable) scholarship in 2018:

The Beverly Cavanaugh Memorial Scholarship for \$2,500

This scholarship is awarded in honor of past Denver Chapter IIA President Bev Cavanaugh. Bev embodied energy, optimism, and determination in the face of challenge and adversity. Her leadership inspired all of us to invest more...in our families, our profession, and in others.

Requirements:

1. Must be a full-time student (enrolled in 12 or more semester credit hours for an undergraduate program or 6 or more semester credit hours for a graduate program in the fall of 2018 semester) in an undergraduate or graduate program at an accredited university in Colorado.
2. Must have completed 60 semester credit hours for an undergraduate program or 9 semester credit hours for a graduate program.
3. Must have at least one semester remaining in degree program after the fall of 2018 semester.
4. Must have maintained a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
5. Must have attended at least one Denver Chapter meeting or event prior to when the Denver Chapter awards the scholarship. A complete meeting schedule can be seen at the chapter website [The IIA Denver Chapter - Upcoming Events](#).
6. Must complete a written essay of 1,000 to 1,500 words describing the value of internal audit and the role the IIA plays in helping internal auditors achieve that value.

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Application Process:

1. Complete and submit the attached application.
2. Submit a certified transcript from each university where you have completed courses toward a business degree.
3. Provide two references attesting to your participation in professional associations, charitable, or community service activities.
4. Attach a cover letter (between 250 and 500 words) introducing yourself, explaining your education objectives, and career goals.
5. Complete and submit a written essay of 1,000 to 1,500 words describing the value of internal audit and the role the IIA plays in helping internal auditors achieve that value.
6. Return the application and required attachments no later than **Friday, December 22, 2017**. Scholarship will be awarded by **Wednesday, January 31, 2018**.
7. The scholarship is awarded based upon the candidate's understanding of Internal Audit activities and how the IIA supports those activities. Financial need is not a consideration. Ideal candidates will have a clear and well thought out career objective and plan.

If you have any questions, please contact Christopher "Topher" Caro, Vice President of Academic Relations at academicrelations@denveriia.org.

Please return completed applications and supporting documents via email to academicrelations@denveriia.org

IIA Student Memberships are available for \$35 per year, and students are encouraged to attend our bi-monthly meetings. Please refer to our website at: [The IIA Denver Chapter](#) and [The IIA Student Membership](#) for membership and meeting information. The IIA Denver Chapter sponsors student attendance at regular meetings; contact Christopher "Topher" Caro, VP of Academic Relations at academicrelations@denveriia.org).

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**THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNAL AUDITORS DENVER CHAPTER
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (2017/2018 Academic Year)**

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| Full Name: | |
| IIA Membership Number (if applicable): | |
| Address: | |
| Phone Number: | |
| University Attending: | |
| Current enrolled semester hours: | |
| Completed semester hours: | |
| Overall GPA: | |
| Graduation Date: | |
| Major: | |
| Expected Degree: | |

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Other Universities or Colleges Attended:

| Dates (From/To): | School: | City/State: | Graduation Date/Degree: |
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List campus clubs, professional associations, community and charitable activity involvement, and extracurricular activities. Indicate offices held and committee work:

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References (non-relatives). List name, address, phone, and occupation of two references. Include letters of recommendation from each attesting to your participation in the above organizations and activities.

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Qualification Criteria

Complete and submit a written essay of 1,000 to 1,500 words describing the value of internal audit and the role the IIA plays in helping internal auditors achieve that value.

By signing below, you represent that all information included in this application and related documents is accurate and complete. You also represent that the essay you submit is created by you and strictly your own work. Your signature below will authorize the verification of any information contained in this application and/or attached to this application by representative(s) of the Institute of Internal Auditors Denver Chapter.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Please include:

1. Application form
2. Official transcripts from each post-secondary school attended
3. Cover letter
4. Written essay

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact:

Christopher “Topher” Caro, VP of Academic Relations at academicrelations@denveriia.org.

Topher can assist you with membership, meeting times, and meeting sponsorships, CIA Exam registration, or committee assignment. There are many opportunities to participate that require a minimal time commitment.

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