

# Business Scholars Program

# APPLICATION

FOR FRESHMEN ENTERING THE CRAIG SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

To apply, please mail to the address below (1) this completed application or a photocopy of the application submitted to the Smittcamp Family Honors College; (2) a copy of your high school transcripts; and (3) two letters of recommendation sent directly to the school from your references. Any form of the application must be postmarked by **February 1**. Emphasis in scoring is given to the last three years of scholarship, leadership and service.

Questions may be directed to the Associate Dean at 559.278.2482

*Please Note:* Although this application covers the prestigious Business Scholars Program; dozens of additional scholarships designated for business and economics students are available through the University's Scholarship Office. Information on these opportunities can be found at [www.fresnostate.edu/studentaffairs/scholarships](http://www.fresnostate.edu/studentaffairs/scholarships)

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*PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY*

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME (MR. / MS.) LAST \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

FRESNO STATE STUDENT ID \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

I HAVE APPLIED TO CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FRESNO  
FOR THE FALL SEMESTER AS AN ENTERING FRESHMAN

## ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS OTHER THAN GPA

*Please Note: Athletic Participation and recognition should be shown on the next page*

A. List academic competitions you have participated in such as science fairs, History Day, forensics, music, Model U.N., etc.

COMPETITION/PROGRAM	DATE	LEVEL [CITY, REGIONAL, NATIONAL, ETC.]	AWARD RECEIVED
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B. List honors and recognition you have received, including scholarships, competitively based intern or apprentice programs, and other academic awards.

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

ORGANIZATION & CITY	DATE [FROM:TO]	POSITION	HOURS PER WEEK
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## WRITTEN ESSAY

PLEASE ATTACH DETAILED ANSWERS TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

*Use no more than 500 words combined (approximately 2 pages).*

- A. What in your background is the most important in distinguishing your qualifications as a Business Scholars Scholarship recipient? Why?
- B. Why are you interested in pursuing a degree in business or economics? You may wish to discuss professional contributions you plan to make with the foundation of a business degree.

## LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

PLEASE USE THE RECOMMENDATION FORMS PROVIDED FOR YOUR REFERENCES. THE RECOMMENDATION FORMS ARE TO BE SENT DIRECTLY TO THE CRAIG SCHOOL OF BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. LETTERS SHOULD BE FROM HIGH SCHOOL OFFICIALS, TEACHERS, OR ADULTS WITH WHOM YOU HAVE WORKED OR STUDIED. LETTERS MUST BE ON LETTERHEAD WITH AN ORIGINAL SIGNATURE.

Names of references and their relationship to you:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

## STUDENT CERTIFICATION

WITH MY SIGNATURE BELOW, I:

- A. PLEDGE THE ACCURACY OF INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS APPLICATION, AND
- B. PLEDGE MY INTENT AT THIS TIME TO PURSUE A BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION OR ECONOMICS IF I AM ACCEPTED INTO THE BUSINESS SCHOLARS PROGRAM.
- C. AUTHORIZE MY APPLICATION TO BE REVIEWED BY THE SELECTION COMMITTEE

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF APPLICANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE:

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

# COUNSELOR CERTIFICATION [TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT'S HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR]

- Unweighted GPA through end of the junior year \_\_\_\_\_ /4.0
- Is it possible to earn a cumulative GPA greater than 4.0 at your high school? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, what is the maximum GPA possible? \_\_\_\_\_
- Weighted GPA \_\_\_\_\_
- Student rank in class \_\_\_\_\_
- Number in graduating class \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of AP courses taken \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of AP courses offered \_\_\_\_\_

NEW SAT	
DATE:	_____
READING/WRITING	_____
MATH	_____
TOTAL	_____

ACT	
DATE:	_____
ENGLISH	_____
MATH	_____
READ SCI	_____
COMPOSITE	_____

IF APPLICANT TOOK OLD SAT I (VERBAL, MATH, WRITING), PLEASE CONVERT TO EQUIVALENT SCORES (READING/WRITING, MATH) FOR NEW SAT I

I HAVE READ THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS APPLICATION AND, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IT ACCURATELY REFLECTS THIS APPLICANT'S ACHIEVEMENTS

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PRINTED NAME

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SIGNATURE

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DATE

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EMAIL

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PHONE