

# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CRITERIA

- A. Scholarship to U.S. Chamber Institute (not to exceed \$1,200)
  - 1. Performance as a CEO of a Chamber of Commerce in Virginia, Senior Executive or graduate of the VACCE Institute.
  - 2. Completion of (any one of the following):
    - a. One year service at current Chamber
    - b. Three years of VACCE Institute
    - c. Five years as a Chamber professional.
  - 3. CEO's must include a letter of support from their Chief Elected Volunteer. Staff members must include a letter from the CEO.
  
- B. Full Scholarship to the VACCE Institute program to include hotel accommodations for one night
  - 1. Performance in any paid position of a Chamber of Commerce in Virginia.
  - 2. Completion of (any one of the following):
    - a. At least one year of service at current Chamber
    - b. One year of U.S. Chamber Institute
    - c. Three years service at any Chamber
  - 3. CEO's must include a letter of support from their Chief Elected Volunteer. Staff members must include a letter from the CEO.
  
- C. Scholarship for Professional Development, i.e. ACCE, ASAE or college or university based professional development program relating to your position at the Chamber (not to exceed \$1,000)
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