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To: Interested Undergraduate and Graduate Students
From: Karen Stewart, Delaware SHRM Student Chapter Liaison
Subject: 2008-2009 Student Scholarships
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The Delaware Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) is pleased to invite students to apply for the **2008-2009 Undergraduate and Graduate Student Scholarship**. Scholarships will be awarded at the annual *Delaware SHRM/ Governor's 3R State Conference* held on November 17-18, 2008.

The Delaware Chapter of SHRM is the premier human resources association for The First State. Since 1974, we have provided members with professional development, relevant HR information, legislative updates, and networking opportunities that stimulate professional growth and enhance workplace contributions. One of our main objectives is to provide a wide range of educational sessions, programs and other activities that allow members to develop and enhance their expertise in the various functional areas that constitute human resource management. Because our emphasis is on education, this year we have chosen to provide up to three \$2,500 scholarships to students majoring in Human Resources or a related program.

Who is eligible?

- Undergraduate students currently enrolled in a Human Resources program or a related program with a 3.0 GPA or above
- Graduate students currently enrolled in a Master's Degree program and clearly pursuing an emphasis area in Human Resources or a related program with a 3.0 GPA or above

And all applicants must:

- **Either** live or work in Delaware **or** be enrolled at a Delaware College or University
- Be enrolled in a degree program and continuing their education during the 2008-2009 academic year

All applicants must complete and submit an application, including letters of recommendation, resume, transcript, and essay to the address above by **September 27th, 2008**.

The Delaware SHRM Scholarship committee will review the packages and provide feedback in late September. We will consider your passion for the HR field, commitment to a career in human resources, and scholastic average and standing. We also will consider the total achievements and need of each applicant. We recognize that strength in one area could outweigh deficiency in another.

If you have any questions, please e-mail Karen Stewart at kstewart@cciconsulting.com. We look forward to hearing from you!



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2008-2009 Undergraduate / Graduate Student Scholarship Application

Deadline - Entries must be postmarked by **September 27, 2008**. Applicants will be notified by November 1, 2008, and awards presented at the annual conference on November 19th.

Please PRINT and complete all items. Incomplete or blank items may void your application.

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Initial _____

E-mail address _____ Phone # (____) _____

Permanent Address _____
Street City State Zip

Local Address _____
Street City State Zip

Which address should we use when communicating with you? _____ Local _____ Permanent

Grade Level '08-'09 ____ Freshman ____ Sophomore ____ Junior ____ Senior ____ Graduate Level

College/University _____

Major and/or Minor _____

Degree (B.A./B.S./Other) _____ Grade Point Average (GPA) _____

Date Enrolled in College/University _____ Anticipated Completion Date _____

What percentage of your tuition is being paid by your employer or other sources (such as grants, scholarships, etc.)? _____

Please attach:

- One letter of recommendation from faculty member (up to 2 letters)
- One letter of recommendation from an HR professional or community leader (up to 2 letters)
- Resume, including your education, employment history, and volunteer activities
- Official transcript (requirement is a GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale)
- Essay** informing the committee what your future objectives are in the Human Resources field, including why you chose this profession. (Attach additional pages as needed, but no more than 2.)

\$2,500 scholarships will be awarded to up to 3 individuals who exhibit a passion for the HR field, commitment to a career in human resources, and scholastic average and standing. The judges will consider the total achievements and need of each applicant and recognize that strength in one area could outweigh deficiency in another.

By signing below, I am indicating that the information included in this application and all attachments is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that misrepresentation would make me ineligible for this scholarship program.

Signature _____ Date _____