



PGA

Illinois Section

Foundation

2010 OSCAR MILES SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION

This packet contains information on the 2010 Oscar Miles Award program. Students and parents should read the entire document thoroughly, including the program description and general instructions for filling out the application.

Here are a few reminders:

- Only applications made on this official Application Form will be accepted
- Additional applications are available through the Illinois PGA Foundation office or on-line at www.ipga.com/foundation
 - Completed applications should be addressed to:
Illinois PGA Foundation
Attn: Scholarship Committee
2901 W. Lake Avenue, Suite A
Glenview, Illinois 60025
- The deadline for applications is June 1, 2010

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PURPOSE

The Oscar Miles / Illinois PGA Foundation Scholarship Award seeks to encourage and promote the attainment of higher education goals for Illinois youth pursuing a degree in Turfgrass Management/ Agronomy.

The 2010 Oscar Miles Award is generously funded through the Oscar Miles Endowment Fund held at the Illinois PGA Foundation.

SCHOLARSHIP COMPOSITION

- The Illinois PGA Foundation will award up to three \$1,000 scholarships for the 2010-2011 academic year.
- Applicants will be evaluated on academic achievement as well as extracurricular and community involvement.
- All scholarship award checks will be made payable to the applicant and his/her educational institution.

ELIGIBILITY

- Any individual who resides within Illinois and is currently enrolled in a Turfgrass Management Program at an accredited college or university offering such a program, shall be eligible for a Foundation Scholarship Award.
- Applicants must be enrolled full-time at an accredited institution of higher learning or, in the case of high school seniors, be accepted at such an institution for the next academic year (verification required).
- Scholarships are not automatically renewed. Past Scholarship recipients must reapply the following year.

HOW TO APPLY

Students must complete and submit the attached application form and supply the following under one cover:

- Transcripts from all high schools or colleges attended
- Graduating high school seniors must attach a collegiate letter of acceptance to their application
- Letters of recommendation from 1) a Golf Course Superintendent or Illinois PGA Professional and 2) a high school or college official
- All applications must be received by June 1, 2010
- Completed applications should be addressed to: **ILLINOIS PGA FOUNDATION**, ATTN: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE, 2901 W. LAKE AVENUE, SUITE A, GLENVIEW, ILLINOIS 60025

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Section 1 - Applicant Information

Name _____ Date _____

Permanent Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone () _____ E-mail _____

Section 2 - Academic Information

List in chronological order high schools attended, then colleges. It is very important that this information is complete. (Note: the information provided must be documented by a school transcript.)

Name/Location of Institution	Dates Attended	GPA (4.0 Scale)	Date of Graduation*

*If pending, please indicate the date you expect to graduate.

Are you now attending college? YES / NO

If so, which college? _____

If not, have you been accepted for the fall semester? _____

Which school? _____

What is/will be your major? _____

List any academic distinctions and honors you have received during high school or college:

List school or college activities in which you have participated (athletics, clubs, school paper, fine arts, etc.). Please note any corresponding honors or distinctions you have received:

List your activities outside of school or college (community service, clubs etc.) including any offices held:

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List employment you have held while in school starting with most recent:

Type of Work	Employer	Employment Dates

List any other scholarships awarded:

Scholarship	Sponsor	Date	Amount

Please give the name(s) and address(es) of your local newspapers:

Local newspaper _____

Address _____

City, State and Zip Code _____

Local newspaper _____

Address _____

City, State and Zip Code _____

Section 3 - Certification

I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

(Applicant's Signature)

(Date)