

**2010 CALIFORNIA FRATERNAL CONGRESS  
RON GILL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

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**GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES:**

**AWARD:**

A minimum of two \$500.00 scholarships will be awarded by the California Fraternal Congress to sophomore, junior or senior year students in trade school or college. There is a limit of one scholarship award per society unless all applications received are from the same society.

The scholarship awards will be presented on October 23, 2010 at the annual meeting of the California Fraternal Congress in Ontario, California.

**ELIGIBILITY:**

Applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student in an accredited vocational/technical school or college/university.

Applicant must be a resident of California and a member, or a child of a member of a fraternal benefit society who holds membership in the California Fraternal Congress. (See attachment for eligible societies)

Applicant must have a cumulative grade point average of at least a 2.0. (on a 4.0 system) Transcript of grades from Spring 2010 semester must be submitted with application.

Application/essay for scholarship awards must be completed in its entirety and postmarked by September 1, 2010. Incomplete or late entries will be disqualified.

Scholarship awards are for one year only. Recipients will not be eligible again for the award from the California Fraternal Congress.

**PROCEDURES:**

The Scholarship awards will be made payable jointly to the award recipients and their school. Deadline for submission is September 1, 2010.

**JUDGING CRITERIA:**

Overall merits of applicant, cumulative grade point average, school activities, honors, and essay content. (Fraternalism/Volunteering activities in your respective society).

Entries will be submitted to the Chair of the Ron Gill Scholarship committee. The applications will be referred to a three member panel for final judging.

Recipients of the California Fraternal Congress Ron Gill Scholarship Awards will be notified by October 1, 2010.

**Deadline for submission is September 1, 2010.**

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## Application for Ron Gill Scholarship Award

**DEADLINE: September 1, 2010**

(Please type or print all information)

### PERSONAL DATA:

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male: \_\_\_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you claimed as a dependent by your parents? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, annual family income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If no, your annual income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### FRATERNAL SOCIETY DATA:

Society Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lodge/Council/Branch/Court Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ No. of years as a member: \_\_\_\_\_

### COLLEGE DATA:

Name of College/University or Vocational/Technical School where you are currently enrolled.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Year in school 2010/2011: Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of graduation: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA based on 4.0 scale: \_\_\_\_\_

School Activities/Honors: \_\_\_\_\_

**A TRANSCRIPT OF GRADES FROM SPRING 2010 SEMESTER MUST BE INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION.**

