GFOA is making available (4) scholarships through the Association’s Collegiate and CMFO Track Scholarship programs. Please review the criteria below before completing the application and make sure to submit all requested materials.

NAME: __________________________________________________________

ADDRESS: ________________________________________________________________________________________________

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TELEPHONE: ____________________________ EMAIL: ____________________________

COLLEGE: ____________________________ MAJOR: ____________________________

DEGREE: ____________________________ GRADUATION DATE: ____________

Please select one scholarship program below.

GFOA COLLEGIATE SCHOLARSHIP ________
AWARD: GFOA will award a $1,500.00 academic scholarship and the cost of registration for (2) attendees at GFOA’s Fall Conference in 2022; and (1) room for a (2) night stay at GFOA’s Fall Conference in 2022.

CRITERIA: Applicants must be residents of New Jersey and must be full or part time students with a declared major in a field of study related to accounting, finance, or an equivalent subject. Applicants must include unofficial transcripts, a minimum of (2) sealed letters of recommendation, and a (1) page statement regarding their public sector career plans and why they deserve this scholarship.

GFOA CMFO TRACK SCHOLARSHIP ________
AWARD: GFOA will award a scholarship to cover the tuition for (1) of following eligible programs: Municipal Finance Administration $821.00; Municipal Budget Process $944.00 Municipal Current Fund Accounting 1 $760.00; Municipal Current Fund Accounting 2 $1,037.00; Municipal Capital and Trust Fund Accounting $1,222.00; Municipal Utility Fund Accounting $1,037.00; Principles of Financial Management $883.00; Preparation of Annual Financial Statements $1,222.00; or, CMFO Exam Review Statutes/Accounting $904. This scholarship will also include the cost of registration for (2) attendees at GFOA’s Fall Conference in 2022 and (1) room for a (2) night stay at GFOA’s Fall Conference in 2022.
CRITERIA: Applicants must be residents of New Jersey. Applicants must have graduated from a (4) year course of study at a recognized college or university with a major course study in business administration, accounting, or an equivalent subject. Applicants must possess (6) credits in Introduction to financial accounting or managerial accounting (accounting 101 and 102) at the college level; or, must have (4) years of full-time experience as a municipal director of finance, assistant director of finance, fiscal officer, municipal comptroller, assistant comptroller, municipal treasurer, assistant municipal treasurer or deputy treasurer in any local unit. Applicants who do not possess (4) years of full-time experience in such a position may substitute (1) year of college education for (1) year of experience, up to a maximum of (2) years of college education. (1) full year of college education is equal to 30 college credits. Applicants must produce a certification of “Years of Service” needs if qualifying under full-time experience and must not be eligible for reimbursement by their employer for CMFO Curriculum.

Applicants must also submit a minimum of (2) sealed letters of recommendations and a (1) page statement regarding their public sector career plans and why they deserve this scholarship. This scholarship is a (1) time, non-recurring award payable directly to Rutgers Center for Local Government Studies. Should the scholarship recipient be enrolled in more than one course concurrently, the GFOA will pay for the most expensive course.

*The deadline to submit all materials is January 14, 2022!*

All materials may be submitted as follows:

- By email to Info@gfoanj.org with the subject heading "GFOA Scholarship Committee."
- By regular mail to "GFOA Scholarship Committee" 150 West State Street, Suite 200, Trenton, NJ 08608.