



**Greater St. Louis MGMA
James E. Hofer ACMPE Certification
2019 Scholarship Application**

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- PURPOSE:** To support the professional development of healthcare professionals.
- SELECTION:** Greater St. Louis MGMA Scholarship Committee.
- BACKGROUND:** The Greater St. Louis MGMA promotes the professional development of individuals employed in medical practices. To this end the Board of Directors has established the James E. Hofer ACMPE Certification Scholarship to be awarded annually.
- ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible for the James E. Hofer ACMPE Certification Scholarship, applicants must meet the criteria outlined below:
- Must be a member in good standing of the Greater St. Louis MGMA.
 - Must meet the requirements or be working toward National MGMA ACMPE Certification: <http://www.mgma.com/education-certification/medical-practice-management-certification-through>
 - Scholarship Committee members are not eligible. However, employees of their practices are eligible if they meet the other criteria.
- SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS:** The annual scholarship term is for one year, non-renewable and includes:
- One-year membership in Greater St. Louis MGMA.
 - \$500 of scholarship reimbursement to be used for all expenses, study materials, and application fees for ACMPE Board Certification.
 - All benefits and funds must be expended during the calendar year 2019.
- DEADLINE:** **Complete applications must be received by November 16, 2018.**



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After careful review of the eligibility requirements, please complete this form and attach it as the cover sheet to the requested documents. Only those applications with this cover sheet and the supporting documents will be considered.

Applicant Name: _____ Phone: _____

Medical Practice: _____

Current Position/Title: _____ Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Please check any that apply: Applicant is an active member of:

_____ Greater St. Louis MGMA _____ MGMA MO _____ MGMA National

Please include the following items:

- This application form.
- Your resume.
- Current ACMPE Certification application status.
- A letter describing:
 - Why you are applying for the scholarship.
 - Your career goals and how ACMPE Certification will further them.
 - Other information you would like the committee to know about you, your career, etc.
- A letter from a professional reference commenting on your performance, character and potential to succeed.
- Other references or recommendations may be included, but are not required.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

November 16, 2018

Return to: Monte Shields
Scholarship Chairperson
FAX: (314) 966-7797 or monteshields@keanegroup.com

Or by mail to:
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Kirkwood, MO 63122

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