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# IMA<sup>®</sup> Century Scholarship 2022-2023 Award Call for Submissions

## Century Scholarship

IMA<sup>®</sup> (Institute of Management Accountants) Century Scholarship recognizes an active IMA student member where volunteerism has been part of their journey and who is passionate not only about his/her business career, but also about being a leader in the management accounting profession. This scholarship is available to undergraduate junior and senior students. The recipient will receive an award of **\$7,500**. In addition to the monetary award, this recipient will be offered a [CMA Scholarship](#).

## Eligibility

- IMA student member
- IMA Endorsed College or University or schools with IMA Student Chapters
- Full-time or part-time student taking at least six credits with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 is required among all institutions attended throughout the applicant's academic career
- Current student who will be continuing as a junior or senior in an undergraduate program in accounting or related field in the upcoming academic year.
- Have demonstrated leadership experience
- Have an expressed intent of pursuing a career in management accounting, financial management, or information technology.
- Commit to sitting for at least one part of the CMA exam before the completion of their degree
- Previous winners are **NOT** eligible for this award.

## Submission Process

- All documents must be submitted in English.
- The applicant will provide the following:
  - Complete online Scholarship application form by clicking [HERE](#).
  - Submit a one-page résumé, including (as appropriate) a summary of the applicant's leadership activities, extracurricular activities (sports, clubs, and volunteer participation), and other information pertinent to the application.
  - Submit full academic transcript(s); unofficial copies are accepted.
  - One professor recommendation required: up to two accepted.
    - Recommendation should include applicant's personal integrity, leadership skills, innovations, and principal strengths.
  - Applicant must answer two 300-500-word essay questions.



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**Application submission by March 10 - Complete online Scholarship application form by [clicking HERE](#).**

**If you having trouble accessing the application form, please use this link:**

<https://www.imaonlinestore.com/PersonifyEbusiness/Application-Details?awardId=93490610>

**Questions** about the scholarship program can be emailed to Tara Barker, CAE, Senior Manager, Volunteer Relations, [tara.barker@imanet.org](mailto:tara.barker@imanet.org).

### **Selection of Award Winners**

All candidates will be considered equally with no bias to race, creed, or background and will be judged independently based on the applicant's ability to meet the criteria as outlined in this document. If, for some reason, a selected individual declines his/her award or becomes ineligible, an alternate candidate will be selected to receive the award. Two alternates will be selected if this circumstance takes place.

Decisions for the awarding of scholarships are based on:

1. Academic merit
2. Demonstrated leadership skills
3. Quality of applicant's application
4. Strength of recommendations

### **Disbursement/Post-Acceptance Requirements**

The **Century Scholarship** winner will receive their award in two installments of \$3,750, and payment is contingent upon receipt of:

- First payment: Proof of registration for fall **2023** semester
- Second payment: Proof of registration for spring **2024** semester and a copy of the recipient's fall **2022** transcript
- **REMINDER:** Winner will be requested to sit for at least one part of the CMA exam before the completion of their degree.

**Announcement of winners: On or before May 15**