



**THE AFCEA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION
UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**
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Choose one: (Based on the criteria, please apply for one scholarship only.)

- ROTC SCHOLARSHIP**
- GENERAL JOHN A. WICKHAM SCHOLARSHIP**
- GENERAL EMMETT PAIGE SCHOLARSHIP**

Name of Applicant _____
(first name) (middle initial) (last name)

College Attending _____
(Must be four-year accredited college in U.S.) (school name) (city) (state)

Mailing Address (at school) _____

(Street Address) (City, State & Zip Code)

Home (Permanent) Mailing Address _____

Phone No. At School () _____ - _____ Permanent Home Phone () _____ - _____

U.S. Citizen: Yes _____ No _____ School E-mail: _____ Home E-mail: _____

If a applicant is an ROTC student, please complete this section; if not, please skip this section:	
Branch of Service (CIRCLE ONE) ARMY NAVY MARINE CORPS AIR FORCE	
Applicant's Title (Cadet/Midshipman/O.C.): _____	
ROTC Detachment Point of Contact (POC): _____ (Name and Title/Rank/BOS)	
POC'S NAME OF SCHOOL _____	
POC'S Mailing Address _____	
_____ (City, State and Zip Code)	(_____) _____ - _____ (POC's Telephone Number)
POC's Email: _____	

Current academic status as of 3/1/03: **For ROTC & Wickham Scholarships:** Sophomore Junior
For Gen Paige Scholarships: Sophomore Junior Veteran entering college as Freshman

Intended Year of Graduation: _____

Degree and Major* being pursued: _____
(* NOTE: Distance-learning programs are not eligible)

Grade Point Average _____ (Paige applicants: 3.4 on a 4.0 scale; Wickham applicants: 3.5 on a 4.0 scale)

Please list placement on Dean's List or other recognized honor roll, including total number of semesters earned.

Please provide information on any other relevant achievements/honors which should be considered. (college only)

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AT SCHOOL

Please list student body/class officer positions held: _____

Please list membership in any school organizations/activities such as glee club, drama, debate team, etc.:

Please list cadet/midshipman rank and/or leadership roles in the ROTC (if applicable) _____

Please list community service and/or activities participation along with any offices held or honors received:

Please list any athletic activities participation along with any offices held or special honors received:

WORK EXPERIENCES, PERSONAL TRAITS, CAREER GOALS:

Please provide any additional information that is important and relevant in support of this application.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL NEED: After demonstrated academic achievement and leadership potential, financial need is important to the Foundation's Scholarship Selection Committee. Please provide a brief financial overview and explain any special needs for financial assistance necessary to completing your undergraduate degree program.

TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION - Two are required with each application (ROTC—please see below)

1. At least one Letter of Recommendation *from a current or recent faculty member* **IS REQUIRED** from all applicants. Please attach one Letter of Recommendation from a faculty member having personal knowledge of the applicant's program, achievements and potential. The Letter must be an original document, printed on school stationery, signed by the faculty member and addressed to **Rear Admiral Paul E. Tobin, USN (Ret.), Executive Director, AFCEA Educational Foundation.**
2. One additional Letter of Recommendation **IS REQUIRED** from all applicants and can be from an employer or supervisor in lieu of a second faculty member, if appropriate. (For General Paige Scholarship applicants ONLY, a copy of a service member's Performance Evaluation, Fitness Report or similar document may be submitted in lieu of this second letter.)
2. Applications for the ROTC scholarship **require three (3) Letters of Recommendation as follows: one (1) nomination letter from the ROTC unit Commanding Officer; two (2) separate and additional Letters of Recommendation, preferably from faculty members in the field of study.**

This is to certify that all the information provided in the above application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of applicant **Date**

APPLICATION DEADLINES	
<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL EMMETT PAIGE SCHOLARSHIP:	MARCH 1, 2003
<input type="checkbox"/> ROTC SCHOLARSHIP:	APRIL 1, 2003
<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL JOHN WICKHAM SCHOLARSHIP:	MAY 1, 2003

A complete application must include the following:

- A completed and signed application form.
- An official transcript (can be sent separately, **but must arrive by Deadline Date**).
- If transfer student, all official transcripts from previous college(s) **must be sent by Deadline Date**.
- Two Letters of Recommendation ON OFFICIAL LETTERHEAD (can be sent separately, **but must arrive by Deadline Date**).
- For the ROTC scholarship, three (3) Letters of Recommendation are required: one (1) letter must be from the ROTC unit commanding officer; in addition, two (2) Letters of Recommendation are required, preferably from faculty on official school letterhead (see paragraph above).
- For the General Paige scholarship, all veteran, active-duty, spouse and dependent applicants must attach a copy of Discharge Form DD214, Certificate of Service, or facsimile of current Department of Defense or Coast Guard Identification Card.

Please send applications and supporting documents to:

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