PEORIA AREA ILLINI CLUB

2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

This year, the Peoria Area Illini Club will award at least one $500 scholarship to a deserving student: (1) admitted to and intending to enroll in the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; or (2) already attending the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. To be eligible, the student must be from the Peoria area (Peoria, Woodford, or Tazewell County) and demonstrate financial need, as well as exceptional academic and community leadership. The scholarship recipient(s) will be selected by the Scholarship Committee pursuant to the Peoria Area Illini Club’s Conflict of Interest Policy.

The deadline to submit this Scholarship Application is 5:00 PM on August 23, 2024. To submit the Application, email the completed Application, a copy of your high school transcript, and a copy of your ACT and/or SAT scores (if any) to the Chair of the Scholarship Committee, Jay Scholl at [jay.scholl@icloud.com](mailto:jay.scholl@icloud.com). If you are currently a student at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, please also attach a copy of your college transcript.

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**ESSAY** – PLEASE TELL US WHAT YOUR OBJECTIVES ARE IN PURSUING A HIGHER EDUCATION AND HOW YOU FEEL YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS WILL HELP YOU ACHIEVE THOSE OBJECTIVES. YOU MAY USE THE ESSAY THAT YOU SUBMITTED FOR ADMISSION TO THE UNIVERSITY IF YOU PREFER. OTHERWISE, PLEASE LIMIT YOUR ESSAY TO 300 WORDS OR LESS. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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CERTIFICATION: I certify to the best of my knowledge that I am not a direct dependent or in any way related to any member of the Peoria Area Illini Club Scholarship Committee or Board of Directors and that the above information is correct as of this date and that I will notify the Club if any of the above information becomes inaccurate before the scholarship award is paid. I understand that the accuracy of the above information may be verified by officials of the University and/or the Peoria Area Illini Club Scholarship Committee.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_