



The O'Bannon M. Cook FSDA Investment in the Future Scholarship Program

Print out the application and letters of recommendation forms. Once all completed, return with official SEALED transcripts to address found at the bottom of this instruction sheet.

Eligibility Requirements

The following criteria will serve as a guide for the Committee when determining eligibility for those individuals applying for the award:

1. A U.S. citizen and resident of Florida.
2. Enrolled full-time (at least 9 hours) or planning on attending an **undergraduate college program**.
3. Either:
 - employed by a FSDA member firm in good standing (including full time interns); or
 - an immediate family member of an individual employed by a FSDA member firm in goodstanding.
4. Express an interest in pursuing a career in the securities industry specifically or in business in general. ("Business" is to be interpreted broadly by the Committee).
5. Demonstrated academic accomplishment, as evidenced
 - by a minimum cumulative B average at the academic institution currently being attended, or most recently attended.
 - Leadership or active participation in a civic, community, charitable organization.

The Application Process

1. Applications are due by **June 15th** and the Committee's decision shall be made no later than the **July 31st**.
2. Once an award is granted and accepted, the FSDA reserves the right to publicize (either on its website, newsletter, or other form of communication) the award with your photo and information.
3. To be eligible for the award, you must include by June 15th **official transcripts** from your most current institution, attach a complete and current **official transcript** from the Applicant's academic institution, and completed items requested on the application.

Application packet must be mailed to and received by June 15th (no exceptions): Jacqueline Farina, Administrator, Florida Securities Dealers Association (FSDA), 6671 W. Indiantown Road, #50-194, Jupiter, FL 33458. Phone: 561-714-2360, email: jacqueline.farina@fsda.org