Department of Finance Scholarships

Florida Bankers Education Foundation Scholarship/Loan Program
The Florida Bankers Association, through its education foundation, has established a scholarship/loan program for juniors and seniors majoring in business or economics. The objective of the program is to encourage college graduates to consider a career in banking in the State of Florida and consequently provides for the forgiveness of the indebtedness of the recipient provided he/she completes a year of full-time employment in a commercial bank in Florida.

The program provides a stipend of $750 per semester, for each semester remaining to graduation. The maximum award is $3,000. Application forms and instruction sheets are available in the Department of Finance (RBA 311).

Eligibility requirements include:

1. Junior or senior enrolled at Florida State University
2. Resident of Florida
3. Major in business (excluding hospitality management) or economics
4. GPA of 2.5 or higher
5. Must have at least two semesters remaining to graduation

J. Edwin White Memorial Scholarship

- **Amount:** $500 per semester. Available fall and spring semesters during the academic year. May be awarded for one or both semesters. One or two scholarships are awarded per year.
- **Criteria:** The student must have a declared major in finance and indicate they will continue to pursue a degree in finance. The student must be an undergraduate and classified at the junior-level or higher at the time of receiving the scholarship. An overall grade point average of 2.75 or higher is required. Academic performance, overall and in finance courses, is the major factor in selecting recipients; however, extracurricular activities, career objectives and availability of other sources of financial assistance are considered. Preference is given to graduates of high schools in Leon and Wakulla counties (Florida).
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John Philip Pomeroy Presidential Scholarship

- **Amount:** $500 per semester. Available fall and spring semesters during the academic year. May be awarded for one or both semesters. One or two scholarships are awarded per year.
- **Criteria:** The student must have a declared major in finance and indicate that they will continue to pursue a degree in finance. The student must be classified at the junior-level or higher at the time of receiving the scholarship. An overall grade point average of 2.75 or higher is required. Academic performance, overall and in finance courses, is the major factor in selecting recipients; however, extracurricular activities, career objectives and availability of other sources of financial assistance are considered.

Karl and Sophie Schweizer Scholarship

- **Amount:** $500 per semester. Available fall and spring semesters during academic year. May be awarded for one or both semesters. Six to nine scholarships are awarded per year.
- **Criteria:** The student must have a declared major in finance and indicate that they will continue to pursue a degree in finance. The student must be classified at the junior-level or higher at the time of receiving the scholarship. An overall grade point average of 2.75 or higher is required. Academic performance, overall and in finance courses, is the major factor in selecting recipients; however, extracurricular activities, career objectives and availability of other sources of financial assistance are considered.

Nancy Casper Hillis and Mark Hillis Endowed Fund for Finance

- **Amount:** $500 per semester. Available fall and spring semesters during the academic year. May be awarded for one or both semesters. One scholarship is awarded per year.
- **Criteria:** This endowment provides scholarship support for undergraduate and graduate students in the College of Business. Recipients shall be finance majors and have demonstrated financial need as well as have maintained a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher. Once a qualified applicant meeting the donor's stated eligibility criteria is identified, that student shall have priority for future scholarship awards.