

NACADA Graduate Student Regional Conference Scholarship

Selection and Eligibility Criteria:

1. The applicant must:
 - o be a current NACADA student member at the time of scholarship application or be willing to join if receiving the scholarship. (**Note:** Student membership requires certification that the student is currently enrolled and is **not** fully employed in an advising position is required.) Please see the [NACADA Student Membership Application Form](#).
 - o demonstrate an interest in advising as a profession.
 - o provide a description of goals to be accomplished through participation in the NACADA Regional Conferences.
2. Previous Graduate Student Regional Conference scholarship recipients and Regional Conference scholarship recipients are **not** eligible.

Because NACADA believes that there is considerable strength in diversity, the selection committee strongly encourages applications from groups under-represented in the Association and its leadership.

Application Components:

1. **Completed [Application Form](#)** - this form should be saved to your PC, completed and then submitted via e-mail attachment, along with item 2.
2. **Advising Resume/Vita.** Please limit entries to material that pertains directly to academic advising, presenting relevant information from the nominee's overall resume/vita.
3. **Current area of study and career goals**
4. **Regional Conference Participation**
 - o List and describe the goals you hope to accomplish by attending the Regional Conference.
 - o In what ways would you like to extend your involvement in NACADA?
 - o Describe your interest in advising as a profession and your decision to pursue this career path
5. **Letters of recommendation**
 - o A required component of the application materials submitted for this award is two letters of recommendation from your institution's officials, at least one of which must be an instructor in your field of study. These letters **must** be on **institutional letterhead**. Please email these letters along with the additional requirements to nacada@ksu.edu no later than:
February 22nd for Regions 1, 4, 7, 9, 10
March 15th for Regions 2, 3, 5, 6
6. **Official Graduate Transcript**
 - o Please email copies of Official Graduate Transcripts or mail to NACADA at 2323 Anderson Ave, Suite 225 Manhattan, KS 66502
7. **Reflection Statement**
 - o Scholarship winners will be required to submit a short reflection statement regarding his/her experience at the regional conference. This paper should not exceed one page in length and will be due within one month following the regional conference attended. The reflection statement will be posted to the Awards website.