



Afoakom USA Inc

Afoakom Scholarship Announcement - 2024/2025

Deadline – January 31, 2025

Applications must be submitted through the following link

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeg-gaSJotQ-E-Fg3Re4ZLIsXQ_8VRxFa4nVrCz1sM27PZZA/viewform?usp=sf link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeg-gaSJotQ-E-Fg3Re4ZLIsXQ_8VRxFa4nVrCz1sM27PZZA/viewform?usp=sf_link) on or before **Friday, January 31, 2025**

About the Program

The Education Scholarship Program for Afoakom was initiated in 2019, with the primary objective to promote education amongst members and enhance their quality of life.

Scholarship Summary

A minimum of **\$500.00** and a maximum of **\$1,650.00** shall be awarded to qualified candidates to defray some of their educational expenses, considered as follows:

- a. **\$500.00** each (up to 10 candidates).
- b. **\$1,650.00** each (up to 3 candidates) in any IT training program offered by Kiawitech IT Consulting School in Houston, Texas.

Eligible Programs

- a) Candidates pursuing at minimum, associate degrees, or certificate programs beyond high school.
- b) Candidates pursuing careers in IT programs.

Applicant Eligibility:

- All fully registered members of Afoakom USA are eligible to apply.
- Applicants must be enrolled for at least a semester in an accredited USA institution of Higher Education or enrolled into an IT program with verifiable attendance.

Application Requirements & Process

- Applications must be submitted through the link provided above on or before January 31, 2025, at 12 PM Eastern time.

The application package should consist of the following:

- A duly completed and submitted scholarship application – AEUPS-2024/2025 provided in the link [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeg-gaSJotQ-E-Fg3Re4ZLIsXQ_8VRxFa4nVrCz1sM27PZZA/viewform?usp=sf link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeg-gaSJotQ-E-Fg3Re4ZLIsXQ_8VRxFa4nVrCz1sM27PZZA/viewform?usp=sf_link)
- Make sure to answer all questions, as clearly as possible.
- Two References who are Afoakom USA Members in good standing or candidate's Chapter President.
- Make sure to click "Submit" button at the end of the application.



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Application Review & Award Criteria

1. All applications must be submitted on or before the deadline to receive full consideration.
2. Applications will be screened for completeness and compliance with instructions.
3. The Education Committee will make award recommendations to the Afoakom USA National Leadership Team which will make final award decisions and announcement of successful candidates.

Awards & Post-Award Requirements

- Final decision on successful candidates shall be made by Tuesday April 30, 2025, but successful candidates shall be announced, and awards offered at the Afoakom USA annual convention at Dallas, TX in June 2025.
- Awards shall either be disbursed only to the bank accounts of awardees or paid directly to the institution in which they are enrolled for the 2024/2025 academic year.
- Honorees of the Scholarship program for 2024/2025 academic year shall submit an "Acknowledgement Letter" and copies of receipts showing effective use of award for the purpose for which it was awarded. This should be done via email by December 31, 2025, at 12PM Eastern time.

Important Contacts:

For help completing and submitting your application or for any questions regarding the Afoakom Education Scholarship, contact Afoakom USA Education Committee by any of the following options:

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