



Greetings,

Thank you for your interest in the **Education Assistance Program**. The award is \$1,000 per academic year. For students in the M.A. Counseling program, enrolled in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year, the award is \$500. These funds are applied toward tuition in equal installments over each quarter of the academic year for which you are enrolled in full-time coursework (6 units). Please note, this scholarship does not apply during dissertation.

Application materials must be completed and returned with supporting documentation to the Financial Aid Office (post-marked) by the deadline listed below. Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered.

### **Returning Student Deadline: August 15, 2020**

Students must apply each year; Educational Assistance awards are not automatically renewed. Prior recipients, although encouraged to apply, are not guaranteed a continued award. The Board of Trustees Scholarship and Program Scholarships are renewable provided recipients meet the required 3.0 cumulative grade point average. Students enrolled in the dissertation phase of their program are not eligible for scholarship consideration.

**To qualify you must complete the following by the deadline listed above:**

1. Continuing students must be enrolled full-time in coursework (6 units) at Pacifica.
2. Submit a brief essay with your application. Be sure to convey in your essay:
  - any extenuating financial circumstances that you feel should be considered;
  - express your goals and your plans for the future;
  - explain how the scholarship funds will help you realize your goals.
3. Complete the 2020-2021 FAFSA online at <https://fafsa.ed.gov> for U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens. Results must be on file with Pacifica's Financial Aid Office by deadline listed above. **International Students** must complete the International Scholarship Addendum (page 2 of the application) instead of the FAFSA, according to deadline listed above along with application and essay.

**How to Submit:**

- Scan your application materials and email them to: [Financialaid@pacifica.edu](mailto:Financialaid@pacifica.edu).
- Fax to (805) 565-9887 (if faxing, please mail a hard copy as well)
- Mail to: Pacifica Graduate Institute  
Financial Aid Office  
249 Lambert Road  
Carpinteria, CA 93013

A Scholarship Committee will review the application, essay, and FAFSA results (or International Student Addendum). Recipients will be selected based on high financial need, academic merit, and the content of the essay. Applicants will be notified of a decision in writing. Please direct inquiries to the Financial Aid Office at 805-679-6197 or by email at [Financialaid@pacifica.edu](mailto:Financialaid@pacifica.edu).

Best wishes,  
Financial Aid Office



## 2020-2021 Education Assistance Application

### Instructions:

Provide all requested information by required deadline:

1. Submit a brief essay with your application. *See cover letter for essay instructions.*
2. All scholarship materials (application, essay, and 2020-2021 FAFSA results) must be received in the Financial Aid Office by the deadline listed above.

**International Students** must complete and submit the income information (page 2 of this application) instead of the FAFSA, by the deadline listed above along with the application.

### SECTION A. PERSONAL INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
LAST NAME FIRST NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
STREET ADDRESS (NUMBER AND STREET NAME)

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY/STATE/ZIP EMAIL

\_\_\_\_\_  
HOME/CELL PHONE NUMBER

### SECTION B. ACADEMIC INFORMATION

ACADEMIC PROGRAM: \_\_\_\_\_ TRACK: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE ENTERED: \_\_\_\_\_ EXPECTED COMPLETION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION C. OTHER ANTICIPATED FINANCIAL AID:

List all other scholarships or grants you will be applying for or anticipate receiving:

Source	When applying or awarded?	Amount
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

### SECTION D. OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION (OPTIONAL):

Please feel free to provide any additional information that might give a more accurate picture of your current financial situation (include supporting documentation). **DO NOT INCLUDE COPIES OF YOUR TAX RETURN, UNLESS SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED.**

### SECTION E. DECLARATION OF AUTHENTICITY:

I declare that the information presented in this application is true, correct, and complete. **Pacifica Graduate Institute** has my permission to verify the information reported by obtaining supporting documentation and has the authority to change the terms, conditions, and amount of any scholarship I may receive. I understand that any misrepresentation may be cause for denying or revoking any scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed



### 2020-2021 International Student Addendum



#### Are you an International Student?

Yes. Complete this form.

No. STOP HERE. Do not complete this form; only submit the application along with the essay.

#### International Application Instructions:

Provide all requested information below along with the scholarship application.

1. Include a signed, dated copy of your most recent proof of income and, if applicable, a copy of your U.S. IRS tax return.
2. The Financial Aid Office must receive all application materials by deadline listed above.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME

#### INTERNATIONAL SECTION

##### 1. Household Information

Marital Status: (check one)  Not Married  Married  Separated

Number in household in 2020-2021 for which you provide over half of their support: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of college students in household in 2020-2021: \_\_\_\_\_

##### 2. 2018 Income, Earnings, and Benefits: If foreign income - Convert to U.S. dollars

Will you complete a U.S. IRS tax form 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ or 1040TEL?  Yes  No

If yes, please provide a signed copy.

Please provide (in U.S. dollars) the following income information:

2018 Total Income of household: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2018 Income from work (student): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2018 Taxes paid (if any) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

##### 2018 Other Sources of Income and Benefits (yearly totals only):

Total of Other Untaxed Income or Benefit: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

##### 3. 2018 Asset Information -- Convert to U.S. dollars

Cash, savings, and checking accounts: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other real estate and investments value (Do not include your home): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other real estate and investments debt (Do not include your home): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Business value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Business debt \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Other Financial Information** (optional): Please feel free to provide any additional information that might give a more accurate picture of your current financial situation (include supporting documentation).