

**2011/12 APPLICATION FOR PRESIDENT'S SCHOLARSHIP  
CROATIAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER**

Information given on this application will be used to consider you for the CACC President's Scholarship, **Please complete the entire application. Failure to complete all sections of this form will jeopardize the status of your application.** Include all required documents as stated on the checklist. Applications should be **typed** or **printed** in ink.

**I. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the name and year of all prior scholarship(s) you have received, including CACC President's Scholarship: \_\_\_\_\_

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**II. CROATIAN LINEAGE**

Are you a member of Croatian American Cultural Center ? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Are you or a family member of yours of Croatian American Cultural Center ? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly explain your Croatian Lineage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**III. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION**

Begin with your last high school attended (or currently attending). List all colleges you have attended, ending with the one you are currently attending: You will need to **include** original High School **transcripts and all** colleges/university attended:

<u>A. Last High School Attended</u>	<u>Graduation Date</u>	<u>GPA</u>
_____	_____	_____

<u>B. All Colleges Attended</u>	<u>Began</u>	<u>Ended</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GPA</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

C. Name/s of all colleges/universities you are applying to:

\_\_\_\_\_

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D. What degree or certificate are you seeking from above colleges/universities?

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**IV. FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

A. How you are financing your college education? \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Monthly Income**

Parents Contribution	\$ _____		
Your Employment	\$ _____	Spouse Employment	\$ _____
Scholarships/Grants	\$ _____	VA/Social Security	\$ _____
Other (List Source)	\$ _____		

Attach a copy of most recent 1040 return for you AND for your parents. BLACK OUT YOUR TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS. If this is not a 2009 or 2010 1040 return, then attach the most recently filed 1040 return, and explain why it was not possible to attach a 2009 or 2010 1040 return for you and your parents:

**V. PERSONAL STATEMENT**

Submit a 1-2 page typed personal statement that:

- (a) explains your Croatian lineage and what this means to you.
- (b) describes what you have done to promote Croatian culture.
- (c) describes any personal obstacles leading to your academic success.
- (d) comments on organizations, volunteerism, community activities in which you have participated, including when and the length of time involved with such activities.
- (e) explains how you will balance your current and future plans regarding school/work/personal demands while enrolled in college?
- (f) will include any unique qualifications or strengths in personality or character as well as any special qualities that may set you apart from other candidates

**APPLICATION CHECKLIST:** To be considered for the CACC President’s Scholarship your application **must** include the following in one envelope:

- Signed and completed application.
- Official transcripts from High School attending or have attended
- Official transcripts from all colleges attended
- Your most recent 1040 tax return
- Your parents’ most recent 1040 tax return
- Personal Statement
- Proof of college acceptance or college attendance – If unable to provide in the application packet, proof of college acceptance **must** to be mailed to CACC Scholarship Chair as soon as it becomes available
- Self-addressed envelope
- The envelope in which the application is sent must be post marked no later than 31 March 2011.

I verify my application is accurate and includes all supporting documents, the personal statement, and items indicated on the application requirement checklist. I understand completing this application is my responsibility and an incomplete application will not be considered.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last , First

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please mail completed application, with all documents to:**

**President's Scholarship  
Croatian American Cultural Center  
P. O. Box 214711  
Sacramento, CA 95821**