

**ORDER SONS OF ITALY IN AMERICA-GRAND LODGE OF CALIFORNIA
AND
SONS OF ITALY WESTERN FOUNDATION**

APPLICATION FOR RETURNING STUDENT ACADEMIC 2009 SCHOLARSHIP
MUST BE OUT OF COLLEGE FOR AT LEAST 5 YEARS TO APPLY
(PLEASE COPY AS NEEDED.THE CONTENTS OF THIS APPLICATION ARE CONFIDENTIAL)

To the California Scholarship Committee Chairperson:

I hereby apply for a scholarship to be given in the month of **June 2009**. In support of this application, I submit the following information and certify it to be true and correct. I understand that if any information submitted is determined to be untrue or incorrect, the Committee may reject the application.

I also understand and agree that if I am awarded a scholarship by you, it will be payable only upon proof of completion of First Quarter/Semester at a recognized trade school, junior college, accredited college or university, public or private, offering academic courses leading to an academic degree.

Final Acceptance Date: March 1, 2009 (Postmark)

Date: _____ Signed: _____

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS: No application will be considered unless all questions are answered. (Printing or Typing is recommended).

Name: _____ Birth Date: _____ Home Phone: () _____ - _____

Email Address _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

CA/NV/OR County of : _____ Zip Code: _____

High School attended: (name and city) _____

College attended (if applicable) _____

Your Social Security number: _____

Father's ancestry _____

Mother's ancestry: _____

Maiden Name of Mother: _____

Do you or a living parent or grandparent belong to the Sons of Italy? If so, give member's name, relationship, address and name and location of that lodge: _____

What School do you plan to attend to advance your education?

What major or principal study will you pursue?

Annual income before taxes? (Federal Tax papers not required): _____

How many (including yourself) are dependent on your income for the major part of their financial support?

Please explain how you plan to finance your continued education. Please include any special circumstances or pertinent remarks.

Will you need to work? _____ For what portion of expenses? _____

In addition, please submit the following:

1. Include two (2) Letters of Recommendation.
 2. List the names and addresses of these two persons whom you have asked to recommend you for a scholarship. These recommendation letters should exemplify your character, activities and community involvement.
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3. Please give a brief description of the following:
 - Your Italian origin
 - Your future aspirations, your work experience, extra curricular activities and organizations of which you are a member.

REMINDER: Remember to include Financial Statement
Verify that all questions are answered correctly and honestly
Send all above items in one envelope to the address listed below

Please certify by signing

Applicant

Date

Please comply with all of the above so that your application can be processed.

Mail application and all supporting statements/documents to:

Sons of Italy Western Foundation
Linda Abronzino, Scholarship Committee Chairperson
5051 Mission Street
San Francisco, CA 94112

DUE DATE MARCH 1, 2009 (POSTMARK)