



**Coloradans for Nebraska**

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**2018 Scholarship Application**

**For the  
2018-2019 Academic School Year**

**Due by  
5:00 pm Mtn time on Saturday, February 24, 2018**



The Board of Directors and the Scholarship Committee are excited that you are attending or are considering attending a University in the great state of Nebraska! Your application will be considered for one of the eight scholarships of \$2000 each that will be awarded for the 2018 / 2019 school year.

**In order to be eligible for the Co4NU Scholarship, recipients must:**

- Graduate from any Colorado high school and provide proof of such through high school transcript. *This must be submitted with each application each year.*
- Enroll at the University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Kearney, Omaha, or UNMC as a full time student for the entire 2018-2019 academic year (Fall and Spring semesters).
- Currently have a minimum GPA of 2.5.
- Maintain a 2.5 or higher GPA in order to be eligible for the second half of the scholarship money.

**Important items to note for this year's application:**

- Student athletes: If you are a student athlete, only student athletes who attend the University of Nebraska – Kearney can apply. Co4NU is required to complete a NCAA pre-clearance in order for you to receive this scholarship. It is highly recommended that applicants contact Co4NU well in advance of the deadline to ensure you are eligible. Please email [Scholarship@Co4NU.com](mailto:Scholarship@Co4NU.com) with your name, the college you are planning to attend and the sport you play. *Any student athlete who attends UNL and UNO is not eligible for this scholarship due to Division I NCAA Regulations.*
- Signatures are required. Parent's signatures are required for applicants under 19 years of age.
- High School Transcripts are required for all applications to verify graduation from a Colorado high school. *These must be submitted each year with each application.*
- Application Completion: It is the applicant's responsibility to verify all required items have been received by the Scholarship Committee prior to 5:00 p.m. Mtn time on Saturday, February 24, 2018.

**Scoring of Applications**

- The Scholarship Committee has a rubric to assist in the scoring of applications based on the items included in / with this application.
- Coloradans for Nebraska membership is not required but those applicants and / or their families that are Coloradans for Nebraska members receive additional points in the application scoring.
- Volunteering to assist Coloradans for Nebraska is not a requirement for a scholarship, but additional points are added to final scores of applicants who have volunteered or whose families have volunteered with Coloradans for Nebraska during 2017.

### **Important Information about the Co4NU scholarship:**

- \$2,000 total cash scholarship for 2018/2019.
- The scholarship is ONLY valid for one (1) academic school year.
- Recipients and non-Recipients need to re-apply for this scholarship each academic year they are eligible.
- Interviews with members of the Co4NU Scholarship Committee may be held with the finalists for the Scholarships.
- The Co4NU Scholarship Committee reserves the right to revoke the scholarship from any recipient, at any time, for any reason, including but not limited to a GPA below 2.5.

In order to be considered for the scholarship, all applicants must submit the following (it is acceptable to have separate mailings for each item; however, all items must be received by the deadline):

1. Completely filled out application form (pages 4 through 7 of this document)
2. At least three (3) letters of reference as described on page 7
3. A current photo of yourself. This photo must not be a part of any other document and must be in a JPG format if emailed. Faxed photos will not be accepted.
4. Colorado High School Transcripts (Required for verification of GPA and graduation location) and College Transcripts (only if currently attending the University of Nebraska for verification of GPA)
5. The application is signed and dated

Forward the completed application:

1. Via mail to Coloradans for Nebraska (Co4NU), 8200 S. Quebec Street #A3-266, Centennial, CO 80112,
2. Scan and email to [Scholarship@Co4NU.com](mailto:Scholarship@Co4NU.com), or
3. Fax to 720-746-2801
4. Or drop off at the Coloradans for Nebraska mailing address, which is located in the UPS Store at Quebec and County Line Road during their normal business hours.

It is highly recommended to allow for a quicker ability to respond to inquiries of receipt, that applications are scanned and emailed or faxed.

Fully completed applications with all required components must be received by 5:00 p.m. Mtn on Saturday, February 24, 2018. Applications or required components received after 5:00 p.m. Mtn on Saturday, February 24, 2018, will not be considered.

In late July or early August 2018, there will be Big Red Sendoff. This will be a great opportunity for you to meet the Coloradans for Nebraska members who have helped to make your scholarship possible as well as others who will be attending the University of Nebraska.

**Questions? Email: [Scholarship@Co4NU.com](mailto:Scholarship@Co4NU.com)**



Application: Coloradans for Nebraska College  
Scholarship to the University of Nebraska - Lincoln,  
University of Nebraska - Omaha,  
University of Nebraska - Kearney or UNMC

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS 5:00 PM MTN TIME ON  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2018**

DATE APPLIED: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBERS: HOME: \_\_\_\_\_ MOBILE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT / GUARDIAN'S NAMES:** \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBERS: HOME: \_\_\_\_\_ MOBILE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL or COLLEGE CURRENTLY ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_

**COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5:00 PM MTN FEBRUARY 24, 2018**

**UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA TRANSCRIPT (if applicable) MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5:00 PM MTN FEBRUARY 24,  
2018**

CURRENT GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR AREA OF STUDY IN COLLEGE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPLICANT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

HAVE YOU BEEN A RECIPIENT OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP? IF SO, WHEN?: \_\_\_\_\_

IS YOUR FAMILY A CURRENT COLORADANS FOR NEBRASKA MEMBER? YES / NO

IF YES, THE MEMBERSHIP IS UNDER WHAT NAME? \_\_\_\_\_

HAVE YOU OR YOUR FAMILY VOLUNTEERED TO HELP COLORADANS FOR NEBRASKA AT AN  
EVENT IN 2017? YES / NO

IF YES, WHAT EVENTS / LOCATIONS? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ CHECK HERE IF YOU ARE STUDENT ATHELETE ATTENDING UNK

(Please note: Student Athletes attending UNL or UNO are not eligible due to NCAA Regulations)

**APPLICANT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE DESCRIBE ACTIVITIES HERE OR ON ADDITIONAL PAGES:**

**SCHOOL:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**EXTRACURRICULAR:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**CAREER GOALS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please provide a 500 to 1000 word essay or a 3 to 5 minute video. This essay / video should answer both of the below questions.**

- 1. Why you selected the University of Nebraska?**
- 2. Why should you be considered for this scholarship?**

APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE PROVIDE LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION FROM AT LEAST 3 REFERENCES COVERING THE FOLLOWING AREAS. PLEASE MAKE SURE THESE LETTERS ARE LETTERS THAT THE Co4NU SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE HASN'T SEEN PREVIOUSLY AND ARE DATED WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF YOUR APPLICATION SUBMITTAL. PLEASE ENSURE THESE LETTERS INCLUDE CONTACT PHONE NUMBERS FOR THE LETTER'S AUTHOR. **THESE MAY BE FORWARDED SEPERATELY BUT IT IS THE APPLICANTS RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THEY ARE RECEIVED BY 5:00 PM MTN ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2018.**

- SCHOLASTIC FROM \_\_\_\_\_
- PERSONAL FROM \_\_\_\_\_
- GENERAL FROM \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this application, applicants (and parent, if required) understand that the applicant's picture(s), name, and home city / highschool may be used on Facebook, websites, emails, fliers, posters, and other Co4NU or University materials. If pictures were forwarded in a format other than JPG, Co4NU may request a picture in a JPG format.

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Applicant signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature Date  
(Required if applicant is under 19 years old)