



Maui Hotel & Lodging
ASSOCIATION

2017 AOHT Alumni Scholarship Information

The Maui Hotel & Lodging Association's scholarship program is designed to promote the Visitor Industry as a career and profession in Hawaii; and to provide financial assistance to students whose chosen career path is within the Visitor Industry. The Scholarship Selection Committee grants preference to scholarship applicants who are alumni of the Academy of Hospitality & Tourism program and whose major post-secondary educational objective is within the Hospitality and Tourism Industry.

Scholarships Available:

- \$500 - \$1,000

Eligibility Requirements:

Applicants must be enrolled in college/university and completed the Academy of Hospitality & Tourism 2-year program at Baldwin, Lahainaluna or Maui High School.

Application Procedure - *Applicants must submit each of the following documents in one complete packet – incomplete packets will not be accepted:*

- Part I: A completed Maui Hotel & Lodging Association Scholarship **Application Form**
- Part II: A **Personal Statement** that addresses the applicant's educational and career goals, co-curricular activities, commitment to serve Hawaii and its people, and work experience
- Part III: **Two Letters of Recommendation** attesting to applicant's character and potential. Letters from family members will not be accepted.
 1. Instructor, *Required*
 2. Employer or an individual who made an impact on applicant's life
- Part IV: A **Resume**
- Part V: An official academic **transcript**

Scholarship Selection Committee:

The Selection Committee is comprised of industry and community representatives – all of whom have a vested interest in workforce development. The identity of the committee members will NOT be made public.

Application Deadline:

Completed applications must be delivered no later than 4 pm on **Friday, March 31, 2017** or post-marked no later than **Wednesday, March 29, 2017** to:

Maui Hotel & Lodging Association
1727 Wili Pa Loop, Suite B. Wailuku, HI 96793

- Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted
- The Selection Committee reserves the right to award or deny any application and may request modifications or additions to the application at any time.
- All materials submitted will **NOT** be returned.

*MHLA is **not** responsible for gathering pieces of the application and ensure that they are included with the correct application.*

Notification:

Recipients will be notified of the award via mail. Scholarships may be redeemed through the MHLA office. Receipts may be submitted to:

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Scholarship funds must be used to pay for tuition, books and school supplies by **July 1, 2018**. Proof of enrollment is needed. Scholarship monies must be returned to the Maui Hotel & Lodging Association if the recipient is not enrolled in the **Fall 2017/Spring 2018** college semesters.



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**MAUI HOTEL & LODGING ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP
2017 AOHT ALUMNI APPLICATION**

Part I.

Name _____ Major _____

Present Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell number _____ Email _____

Grade Point Average (Overall) _____ Expected graduation date _____

Objective/Educational Degree _____

Career Objectives/Goals _____

Specify other financial assistance you are receiving _____

Are you an alumnus of the Academy of Hospitality and Tourism Program (AOHT)? Yes No

Years completed in AOHT Program _____ Certificate awarded? Yes No School _____

THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE YOUR APPLICATION:

(Applicants must submit each of the following documents in one complete packet – incomplete packets will not be accepted)

Part II. Personal Statement

Provide a written statement that addresses the following areas: educational and career goals, co-curricular activities, commitment to serve Hawaii and its people, and relevant work experience.

Part III. Two Letters of Recommendation

Attach two letters of recommendation attesting to applicant's character and potential. Letters from family members will not be accepted.

1. Instructor, *Required*
2. Employer or an individual who made an impact on applicant's life

Part IV. Resume

Attach a resume outlining employment, education, and extracurricular activities.

Part V. Transcript

Attach an official transcript.

CERTIFICATION

*I certify that all statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I understand that scholarship monies must be returned to the Maui Hotel & Lodging Association if I am not enrolled in the **Fall 2017/Spring 2018** college semesters.*

Signature _____ Date _____

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