

The Southpointe CEO Association Jack B. Piatt Scholarship Guidelines

Celebrating and encouraging leadership development in business, community, and school, the Southpointe CEO Association (SPCEOA) will award \$10,000 in scholarships to individuals who have demonstrated excellence in leadership. The program is open to individuals who are employees, or dependents of employees, of SPCEOA (or any Washington County Chamber of Commerce member that conducts business in Southpointe) and must reside in Washington County. The scholarships are awarded in honor and memory of Jack B. Piatt, Founder and Chairman of The Piatt Companies and a founder of the Southpointe CEO Association.

This program aims to provide support to those who seek to make a positive impact in the Washington County community through the completion of a college, post-graduate, or technical degree. By recognizing persons who strive to improve their leadership skills and achieve higher levels of education, these scholarships will help to make those dreams a reality.

Eligibility Criteria:

- The SPCEO Jack B. Piatt Scholarship Program is open to anyone attending a post-secondary, college, post-graduate, or technical school in the 2023-24 academic year.
- Applicants must be a current employee (or dependent of an employee) of a member organization of the Southpointe CEO Association. All members of the Washington Chamber of Commerce who have a business located in Southpointe or conduct business in Southpointe are also considered members of the Southpointe CEO Association and are eligible to apply.
- Applicants <u>must reside</u> in Washington County.

Application Criteria:

- Submit an essay (500 words or less) on the following topic:

What do you plan to study and what is the importance of your chosen field in today's workforce? How do you plan to be a leader in your field?

Required Information

Contact – Home Address, phone, and email address Eligibility – Employee or Employee dependent of an eligible organization Proof of Enrollment from institution you attend/plan to attend in 2023-24 academic year.

Two professional letters of reference that demonstrate your academic achievement and/or leadership.

Incoming college/graduate/technical students: Submit a copy of your high school academic transcript and a copy of proof of enrollment.

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Current college/graduate/technical students: Submit a copy of your academic transcript or most recent report card and proof of enrollment.

Deadline:

- Friday, June 30, 2023, at 5:00pm (no exceptions). Applications submitted after the deadline will not be considered. Scholarship awards will be announced in July.

To submit application, please visit: https://www.washcochamber.com/southpointe-ceo or https://bit.ly/SouthpointeCEOScholarship to submit application. If you are unable to complete an application online, please contact Will Thomeier (will@washcochamber.com or 724-225-3010) for accommodations.