



Turkish Coalition of America Scholarship Program

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

PART I. PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please fill in all requested information)

1. Name: Last, First Middle Please attach your recent photo here

2. Address:
Street number and name (with apt. no.):

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Phone number:

Cell phone number:

3(a) Email address:
Primary: ();
Secondary: ()

3(b) Date of birth: Month Day Year

3(c) Place of birth:

3(d) Gender: Male (); Female ()

- 4(a) School name and address - During the Scholarship Year:
 Name and address of the school you will be attending during the scholarship year;
 (Note: if you will be attending a school that is different from your current school during the scholarship year, please submit a proof of admission from the new school (and a copy of your letter to such school officially notifying your decision to attend) or explain the reasons for not submitting to us such proof and letter.):
- School name:
 Address:
- 4(b) Year in school - During the scholarship year:
- High school: senior ();
 College: Freshmen () Sophomore () Junior () Senior ()
 Graduate: Master () Doctorate ()
- 5(a) School name and address - Current:
 Name and address of the school you are currently attending (if different from number 4(a) above):
- School name:
 Address:
- 5(b) Current year in school:
- High school: Junior () Senior ();
 College: Freshmen () Sophomore () Junior () Senior ()
 Graduate: Master () Doctorate ()
- 6(a): Major:
 6(b): Degree:
 6(c): Expected date of graduation:
- 7(a) GPA (on a 4.0 scale): (_____/4.0)
(Note: This GPA must match the GPA stated in your official transcript(s) (if your GPA is not on a 4.0 scale, please convert it into a 4.0 scale) – if the above GPA is different from your transcript GPA, please explain below:
- 7(b) SAT or ACT Score: Total () Date taken: ()
 Math (); Critical Reading (); Writing ()
 (SAT and ACT scores are required only for those students who are currently high school seniors)
8. Your plans upon graduation from college or graduate school:

9. Education history:
List in a chronological order (starting with your current (or most recent) school) all colleges and graduate schools you've attended or are now attending. High school students (current or during the scholarship year) should list all high schools attended.

(Note: You must have each of the below schools send directly to the applicable Regional Chapter office your "official" sealed transcript(s).)

Names of all schools attended	City & State	Dates of attendance	Degree(s) received
		to	
		to	
		to	
		to	

10. List and briefly describe all extracurricular, civic, volunteer and community activities, special skills and hobbies:

11.

11. List and briefly describe all distinctions, honors and awards (including scholarships or grants) you've received: (Indicate the basis of selection for any award that is not well-known and any amount you received this year in scholarship as well as any amount in scholarship you expect to receive during the scholarship year.)

12. Please explain your Turkish heritage or ancestry:

13. Please let us know any other information that you would like us to consider in reviewing your application. This section should be as brief as possible, and no points will be deducted for leaving this section blank.

14. Recommendations:

- (a) List below two faculty members who best know your academic qualifications, including your academic performance, potential, and motivation.
- (b) Request these individuals to send letters of recommendation directly to TCA.
- (c) You may have one non-faculty person who has known you for more than two years to submit to TCA his or her recommendation on your behalf (please limit this to one additional recommendation).

Name	Address	Position and Institution

15. If you wish that special consideration is given to financial need, please fill out the section below.

Father's name: _____ Occupation: _____ Gross annual income: \$_____

Mother's name: _____ Occupation: _____ Gross annual income: \$_____

Spouse's name: _____ Occupation: _____ Gross annual income: \$_____

(Note: If the occupation is "self employed", please provide a job description):

Name(s) and age(s) of persons dependent on your parents/spouse's income:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

PART III. ESSAY

(Word limitation of 500 words or less):

In a well developed essay, please tell us the key ways in which you have been able to achieve success both academically and socially. In your discussion, include a discussion of some of the major obstacles you have faced and how you have been able to overcome these obstacles, as well as how you plan to contribute to the Turkish American community, US-Turkish relations and to Turkey.

PART IV: ACKNOWLEDGMENT, AGREEMENT AND SIGNATURE

I hereby certify, acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided in this application and my supporting documents are true and correct.
2. I have not knowingly withheld any facts or circumstances that could mislead TCA.
3. By submitting this application, I am giving my approval for TCA to verify all information I have provided to TCA and, when requested, I will fully cooperate with TCA in this endeavor.
4. I agree that TCA may, in its sole and absolute discretion, retract at any time my scholarship from TCA in case my application or any of my supporting documents submitted to TCA contains any false or misleading information.
5. I understand it is my responsibility to ensure that my application and all supporting documents are (i) clearly marked with my name (ii) submitted to TCA by the deadline.
6. I understand and agree that (i) the TCA scholarship decision is made its sole and absolute discretion, (ii) such decision shall be deemed final, and (iii) such decision shall not be subject to further review, reconsideration, challenge or appeal.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____