PACE UNIVERSITY
Lubin School of Business

The Scholarship Fund for Excellence in Accounting Education by KPMG Partners and Professionals

The Scholarship Fund for Excellence in Accounting Education ("Fund") is established by KPMG Partners and professionals to promote educational excellence in accounting at Pace University's Lubin School of Business' Department of Accountancy ("Pace"). The Fund will provide scholarship awards of $5,000 ($2,500 for the spring semester and $2,500 for the fall semester) each to outstanding students who are enrolled in the Lubin School of Business in a qualified accounting program and who maintain a 3.30 GPA Overall and in Accounting at Pace University. Students eligible for these awards must demonstrate involvement and leadership in either co-curricular activities at Pace or service organizations in their local community or high school.

To be eligible for the scholarship, students must belong to any of the following groups at the time of application:

- Undergraduate students in their third year with a declared major of accounting.
- Students in their fourth or fifth year of the BBA/MBA combined program in accounting.
- Students in MBA and MS Accounting programs.
- Students in the MS Accounting Data Analytics and Technology program.
- Students in the combined MBA / JD degree program for Accounting or Taxation.
- Graduate and Undergraduate students with a declared major in Taxation and eligible to sit for the CPA exam or JD degree upon graduation.

Deadline for scholarship applications: November 30, 2026

Applications should be sent to: KPMG_Scholarship@pace.edu

For questions, please contact:

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Students applying for the scholarship must:

1. Complete the Scholarship Fund for Excellence in Accounting Education by KPMG Partners and professionals application;
2. Attach a current resume;
3. Attach a current transcript;
4. Submit TWO recommendation forms;
5. Submit a personal statement (limited to 150 words) stating why you should be granted the Excellence in Accounting Education by KPMG partner and professionals award;
6. Submit a professional statement on how you see your professional career developing at KPMG.

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The Scholarship Fund for Excellence in Accounting Education by KPMG Partners and Professionals Application

Name: _____ U Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone #: _____ Cell phone #:_____

Email address: _____

Currently Enrolled as:

Undergraduate Student

Program Name _____

○ Junior (3rd year) ○ Senior (4th year) ○ Fifth year

Graduate Student

☐ BBA/MBA Accounting Combined Program

☐ MBA/MS Student – Program Name _____

Law School

☐ MBA/JD – Program Name _____

Have you previously applied for the Excellence in Accounting Education Scholarship by KPMG Partners and Professionals? ○ Yes ○ NO

Have you previously received the Excellence in Accounting Education Scholarship by KPMG Partners and Professionals? ○ Yes ○ NO

Are you a U.S. Citizen? ○ Yes ○ NO

Have you completed Intermediate Accounting I? ○ Yes ○ NO

Will you be CPA exam eligible by graduation? ○ Yes ○ NO

Will you be enrolled as a full-time student in both Spring and Fall 2027? ○ Yes ○ NO

(To be eligible for the scholarship you must be enrolled full-time both semesters.)

Are you currently receiving, or have you received scholarships at Pace? ○ Yes ○ NO

If so, which ones? _____

Percentage or amount of scholarship received: _____

OPTIONAL:

Ethnicity:
- African American
- Asian, Asian American or Pacific Islander
- Caucasian
- Hispanic
- American Indian (please indicate tribal affiliation)
- Other (please specify)

PERSONAL STATEMENT:

In your own words, limited to 150 words or less, please state why you should be granted the Excellence in Accounting Education Scholarship award.

PROFESSIONAL STATEMENT:

In your own words, limited to 150 words or less, please state how you see your career developing at KPMG during the first five years starting with how you would convince the KPMG recruiter you're a strong candidate to be hired after graduation.

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:

Please list ALL volunteer activities you have been involved with both within and outside of Pace University within the last THREE YEARS. Please do not list paid jobs; only list volunteer activities. Requirements of courses or scholarships are NOT volunteer activities.

Description Position Held (Member or Officer) Dates
(if you were an officer, please describe title)

I certify that the statements herein are true to the best of my knowledge and grant my permission for the information contained herein to be shared with the scholarship selection committee.

Signature: _____ Date: _____