



Wisconsin Bankers Foundation Financial Education Scholarship

The Wisconsin Bankers Foundation, a 501(c)3 organization dedicated to empowering consumers through increased financial capability, offers four scholarships in the amount of \$750 each to educators seeking to further develop their skills in the field of financial education by attending one or more courses offered by the National Institute of Financial and Economic Literacy, hosted by Edgewood College in Madison, Wis.

Guidelines

Scholarship applicants must be current educators in the state of Wisconsin and have a desire to create or expand the usage of financial literacy curriculum in their classroom. Scholarships recipients will be selected from the pool of applicants by the Wisconsin Bankers Foundation Financial Literacy Advisory Board. Selection of scholarships shall be at the sole discretion of this separate committee. All applications will be considered without regard to the applicant's age, sex, race, religion, handicap, or other protected categories. All applications and judging records are confidential and are the property of the Wisconsin Bankers Foundation. Information about the award decision process will NOT be made available. Granting of awards is dependent upon receipt of qualified applications. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Deadline

Applications must be received by **June 1, 2018** in order to be eligible for consideration. Please submit completed applications via email to aseitz@wisbank.com or via fax to 608-661-9381.

About the Wisconsin Bankers Foundation

WBF is a Wisconsin non-stock corporation organized for charitable and education purposes dedicated to promoting financial literacy and financial responsibility to the public and to broaden consumer empowerment in the financial services industry primarily through research and education.

About NIFEL

The National Institute of Financial and Economic Literacy (NIFEL) offers three courses each summer (each worth three graduate credits). The sessions aim to dramatically increase educator effectiveness and build educator confidence in teaching a wide array of financial topics. The simple NIFEL system is the most successful training program of its kind in the U.S. Since its inception in 2000, it has given over 1,300 educators from 13 states expertise and a career edge. Learn more at www.edgewood.edu/NIFEL.

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****These applications are pending official approval by the WBF Board of Directors of the scholarship program. ****

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Application

Please fill out the following scholarship application section *completely*. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Applicant Contact Information

Name:

Mailing Address:

City, State, Zip:

Email:

Phone:

Applicant Employment

School/Organization Name:

School/Organization Address:

City, State, Zip:

Phone:

Supervisor/Reference Name:

For which NIFEL course(s) are you registered?

Innovation and Entrepreneurship | June 19-22, 2017

Investor Education Economics and Insurance | June 26-30, 2017

Credit and Money | June 15 (online coursework begins), July 10-12, 2017 (in-person class)

In 250-500 words, please describe your experience (if any) teaching financial literacy and explain how you wish to improve that experience through your completion of NIFEL coursework.

All information contained in this scholarship application will be kept confidential and viewed only by those involved in the scholarship selection process. This form will be destroyed upon completion of the selection process.

By signing this document, I attest that all the information provided, as part of the application process, is complete and accurate. I agree to follow scholarship rules, I understand that awards are granted at the sole discretion of the WBA Retail Banking Section board or its designees, and I acknowledge that all records and the decision process itself are the confidential property of the Wisconsin Bankers Foundation.

Signature of Applicant:

Date: