

## John G and Linda Hondros Pre-Licensing Scholarship

John G. & Linda Hondros of Hondros College of Business, have collaborated with the Columbus REALTORS® Foundation, to offer scholarship assistance to students in Central Ohio; who seek to obtain their real estate license through the Hondros real estate pre-licensing program.

Hondros pre-licensing award recipients will receive all or a portion of the following:

### **HONDROS SUPER START CAREER PACKAGE (\$1,399.00 VALUE!)**

- All state-required courses: Principles/Practices, Law, Finance, Appraisal (120 hours)
- All textbooks and classroom materials
- Review Crammer (course with manual)
- Access to Real Estate Career Night
- Compucram® exam preparation program
- 10 hours post-licensing (required by the State of Ohio)

### **REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICANTS:**

- Completed, typed application
- Two letters of recommendation from non-relatives
- One-page typed essay: Why should you be selected for a scholarship?
- Intent of enrollment at Hondros College of Business

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### APPLICATION FAQs:

- Intent of Enrollment: Go to [www.hondros.com](http://www.hondros.com) and contact a Hondros representative for current class dates and request a letter of intent to enroll.
- Important: Once classes are completed, the Foundation is unable to retroactively reimburse funds to your account. If awarded the Foundation will work to get you enrolled in the class dates of your choosing; if you have already completed, or will finish classes during the application process, the Foundation will be unable to grant you an award.
- CR Foundation scholarships have been created for students in central Ohio; applications for persons outside the central Ohio area will not be considered.
- Handwritten or incomplete applications will NOT be considered.
- Full applications must be received by deadline; applications post-marked but not received by deadline, will NOT be considered.
- Applications are accepted via email, mail, fax, or in person.
- Applicants must be present on the day of committee interviews (if selected).
- All scholarships will be paid (on the winner's behalf) directly to the institution; under no circumstances will funds be distributed directly to the individual.
- Recipients have one (1) year from the date of receipt to enroll and use funds; any remaining funds will be returned to the Foundation.
- By applying, you declare your intent to become a future member of the Columbus Association of REALTORS®.
- The Columbus REALTORS Foundation is an equal opportunity organization.

### 2017 AWARD TIMELINE:

*Final award decisions are made 4-6 weeks from the deadline. The Foundation will contact you regarding the status of your application, regardless of award.*

**DEADLINE:** Friday, September 22 (5pm)

**APPLICATION REVIEW:** Thursday, October 12

*Candidates chosen for an interview will be contacted to set up an interview time.*

**INTERVIEWS:** Friday, October 27

*Must be present to be considered.*

### SUBMIT INQUIRIES AND APPLICATIONS:

**Ida Seitter, Development Coordinator**

Columbus REALTORS® Scholarship Committee

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Visit [www.columbusrealtors.com/scholarships](http://www.columbusrealtors.com/scholarships) to apply online or read more information on all Columbus REALTORS® Foundation scholarship opportunities

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Applications must be typed and complete to be considered.

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a citizen of the United States?  Yes  No Do you plan to become a REALTOR®?  Yes  No  Not Sure

Date/session plan to begin classes (if awarded): \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATION	Name of Institution	Dates	Major/Degree	GPA	Program completed? (Y/N*)
Currently Enrolled:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Previous College:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
High School:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

\*If No, please list expected completion date

### EMPLOYMENT *(Attach an additional sheet if needed)*

Current Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Employed: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours Per Week: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Employed: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours Per Week: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Leaving: \_\_\_\_\_

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### ACTIVITIES

Honorary/Professional Societies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Club Memberships: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Elected Offices Held: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Sports or Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Community Involvement: \_\_\_\_\_

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### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

What are your current sources of tuition and living support? (Check all that apply)  Family  Work

Scholarship  Government Student Loans  Private Student Loans  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received prior assistance from the Columbus REALTORS® Scholarship Fund?  Yes  No

If Yes, when, and in what form: \_\_\_\_\_

### REFERENCES

Please list two references, and attach a letter of recommendation from each:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_



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What five (5) words describe you best:

\_\_\_\_\_

If not awarded, how will you continue your real estate education? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Real estate can be a hard and expensive industry to break into. Briefly explain your business plan for the first 2 years:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about the Columbus REALTORS® Foundation Scholarship program? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### **CERTIFICATION**

By signing this application I state that I intend to eventually become a REALTOR® or Affiliate member of the Columbus REALTORS®. I also certify the information included with my application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach your essay and letters of recommendation when submitting.**

Save changes to your computer before submission; if email-submit function is not working, send application to [iseitter@columbusrealtors.com](mailto:iseitter@columbusrealtors.com).