

ARIZONA ASSOCIATION OF CERTIFIED FRAUD EXAMINERS CHAPTER GRANT 2017 APPLICATION

The Arizona Chapter of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners is committed to providing financial assistance to our membership for continuing education and professional development efforts. Each year, a certain amount of money will be allocated for use towards these endeavors. The intent of the Grant is to assist our members with their individual out-of-pocket expenses, not to replace entity funding (no reimbursement will be made to any public agency or private company). The chapter grant will assist with conference fees and the member will be responsible for their own air and hotel fees.

Grant funding may be applied towards registration reimbursement to the following event:

The 28th Annual ACFE Global Fraud Conference, June 18-23 2017, Nashville, TN

Applications will be accepted from March 15, 2017 through April 10, 2017.

All applicants applying for an Arizona ACFE Grant must be a current member in good standing with the Chapter and the National Association. The Grant process is competitive and awards will be made at the discretion of the Grant Committee based on justification and merits of each application in accordance with the criteria as stated below:

- Applicant shall submit an original, typed essay of at least 300 words explaining how attending this training is relevant to your professional career development. The essay will be evaluated on the applicant's goals:
 1. Demonstrate a commitment to furthering your education in Fraud Awareness and relevance to your current position
 2. Express a desire to assume increased responsibility and/or participation within the Chapter
 3. Identify how the knowledge & technical expertise gained through this training may be shared with the membership (i.e., through an article, presentation, etc.).
 4. Applicant shall provide the extent of financial support available from employer, or provide certification (below) where no financial support is available.
 5. Applicant shall provide a brief summary of their personal goals and how this grant will help achieve them.
- Applicant shall provide one letter of professional reference which attests to their character and professionalism.
- Applicant shall submit a current resume.
- Recipients of the chapter reimbursement grant will be announced no later than May 15, 2017.
- *Note: Recipient must submit proof of event attendance (i.e. a CPE Certificate). If a recipient fails to attend the event or fails to provide proof of attendance within thirty days, the grant award must be returned to the Arizona Chapter of Certified Fraud Examiners.*

The following persons are ineligible to receive an AZ, ACFE Reimbursement Grant:

- Previous recipients of an AZ ACFE Chapter Scholarship or Grant or the National Ritchie-Jennings Memorial Scholarship.
- Current Officers or Directors of the AZ ACFE or AZ ACFE Scholarship Committee, and members related to any current Officer or Director
- Members related to any current Officer or Director of the National ACFE; the National ACFE Foundation; or to any member of the National ACFE Foundation Scholarship Committee.

Please complete the following fields. Print legibly or type:

Full Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Permanent address: _____

_____ City/State _____ Zip _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

Place of Employment:

Supervisor's Name:

Title:

Telephone:

Do hereby certify that the _____ (applicant name) will not be provided any financial support from (Employer Name) _____ to the ACFE Global Fraud Conference on 6/13/17-6/18/17.

I certify that all of the information on this application and related enclosures is true and correct. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that all required components of my Grant application package are complete and received by the AZ ACFE Grant Committee no later than midnight, April 10, 2017 (Note: any applications received later than April 10, 2017 will be rejected). I understand that the decision of the AZ ACFE Grant Committee is final and not subject to review or challenge.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Questions regarding this Grant and Grant Applications should be e-mailed to

grants@cfe-arizona.com