



CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM AFROTC/AFJROTC SCHOLARSHIP



AFJROTC/AFROTC Scholarship Application and Selection Procedures for the Civilian Marksmanship Program ROTC Scholarships for the 2010-2011 school year.

General

- a. The Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) will provide scholarship assistance to encourage and reward outstanding and deserving students in AFJROTC/AFROTC programs who also excel in rifle team programs at their schools. The CMP seeks applications from high school seniors who will enroll in a four-year college or university or from college students who are already in pursuit of a four-year degree.
- b. The CMP will award a maximum of 75 \$1000 one-year scholarships to Army, Marine Corps, Navy and Air Force JROTC, and Army, Navy and Air Force ROTC applicants during the current school year for undergraduate college or university study on the basis of merit. Scholarships are one-year awards, but scholarship recipients may reapply for a CMP ROTC Scholarship in subsequent years if they remain enrolled in ROTC, maintain a 2.5 GPA, continue to participate in ROTC or college rifle team activities, and continue to meet other eligibility criteria.
- c. The scholarships are paid to the scholarship recipient through the financial aid office of the college or university where the student is enrolled. Scholarship checks are forwarded to the Professor of Aerospace Science (PAS) of the college or university where the student is enrolled.

Application Eligibility Cadets selected for these scholarships must:

- a. Be a U.S. Citizen.
- b. Be of good moral character.
- c. Have achieved a minimum 2.5 cumulative grade point average.
- d. Be starting or pursuing a four-year degree.
 - 1) Be a high school senior in AFJROTC who will attend a college or university and **enroll** in Air Force, Army or Navy ROTC.
 - 2) Be a college Freshman, Sophomore or Junior enrolled in Air Force ROTC.
- e. Have demonstrated excellence as a current member of a JROTC, high school, ROTC or college club or college varsity rifle team; plan to continue as a member of the ROTC or College Rifle Team.
- f. Have demonstrated the motivation to complete a college education and the potential to serve as an Officer in the Armed Services of the United States.
- g. Scholarships are not awarded to those attending the United States Military Academy, the United States Naval Academy or the United States Air Force Academy.

Application

- a. Applicants must complete the **Civilian Marksmanship Program Undergraduate Scholarship Application Form**. Application forms will be provided annually to Senior and Junior ROTC programs. Copies of the application form can also be obtained from the CMP web site at www.odcmp.com/programs/scholarship.htm.
- b. The ASI/SASI will ensure that application forms are completed and postmarked on or before 05 March 2010. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Final Selection and Acceptance

- a. All applications must be postmarked not later than 5 March 2010 and mailed to the Air Force Service Training Command:
- b. A Selection Board will be convened ASAP after 15 March.
- c. The CMP will Chair the Selection Board. Board members will be officers, non-commissioned officers and two CMP representatives.

Notification

- a. The Holm Center will notify in writing all individuals of the results of their candidacy NLT 1 May 2010. The notification will be made through the ASI/SASI who submitted the application.
- b. Notification of scholarship awardees will be made NLT 1 May 2010.
- c. Selected applicants will receive an "Acceptance Letter and Confirmation Form" from the CMP in May. They must return the confirmation form to affirm that they accept the scholarship and to provide contact information for the College Professor of Aerospace Science in the ROTC Department where they will enroll. The Scholarship Check will be forwarded to the PAS for presentation to the scholarship recipient who may then take it to the financial aid office at the college or university.

Completed Applications

A completed application must include:

- a. A completed application form.
- b. Letter of Nomination from the AFJROTC ASI/SASI or AFROTC PAS.
- c. A certified copy of the applicant's transcript, high school or college, as appropriate. The transcript must include all colleges or universities attended if the applicant is a transfer student.
- d. Letter of Recommendation. The Letter of Recommendation may **not** be the Letter of Nomination as specified in b. above.
- e. Documentation of rifle team activity (copies of results bulletins, etc. confirming participation in competitions).

Submission

The Senior Aerospace Science Instructor or Aerospace Science Instructor will ensure that the application and supporting documents are postmarked NLT 5 March 2010. Mail application packages to:

HQ Air Force JROTC
JRO/ LtCol Williams
551 E. Maxwell Blvd, Bldg. 500
Maxwell AFB, AL 36112