

THE CLYDE T. KODANI SCHOLARSHIP AWARD Via Kapa'a High School Foundation

Clyde T. Kodani ('68) received his Civil Engineering degree from the University of the Pacific, then continued on to the University of California, Berkeley, for his Master of Science degree in Transportation Engineering. Having worked in both government and the private sector in California and on Kaua'i, in 1983 Mr. Kodani formed, Kodani & Associates, Inc., a civil engineering and surveying firm. Mr. Kodani retired in April 2021 and Kodani & Associates Engineers; LLC remains as one of Kauai's top engineering firms.

The Clyde T. Kodani Scholarship, established in 2022, will award up to two (2) scholarship grants valued at \$1,000.00 each to students pursuing a career in one of the engineering fields, with preference given to those who major in the field of Civil Engineering. Kaua'i has seen the continuation of the "Brain Drain" as talented students leave Kaua'i and never return. Mr. Kodani would like to see our students return to Kaua'i to pay-it-forward by contributing to Kauai's STEM education.

Scholarship applications are available at the Kapa'a High School counselors' office or online at the Kapa'a High School Foundation's website <u>http://kapaahighschoolfoundation.org</u> or official Facebook page. All applications must be received by **Monday, April 11, 2022**.

Terms of Application for Scholarship

- 1. Applicant must be a Senior at Kapa'a High School.
- 2. Applicant shall have a grade point average of 2.5 or higher.
- 3. Applicant shall submit a copy of the letter of acceptance from the college or university that applicant will attend, or statement explaining acceptance before scholarship check is issued.
- 4. Applicant shall submit a one-page, double-spaced typewritten personal essay addressing career goals, and how applicant plans to give back to the Kaua'i community upon graduation, including but not limited to seeking employment on Kaua'i.
- 5. Applicant shall include in their essay financial challenges they are facing in obtaining a higher education.
- 6. Applicant shall also submit a typewritten resume, summarizing the applicant's academic achievements, and any extracurricular and/or community activities, as well as any other scholarships received to date.
- 7. Applicant shall apply on the form made available through the Clyde T. Kodani Scholarship via the Kapa'a High School Foundation.
- 8. If awarded, the individual must email a brief write-up and photo describing the scholarship's impact after starting at the higher learning institution. Applicant agrees that this information will be shared on the Kapa'a High School Foundation's website.

Deadline for applications is **Monday April 11, 2022. NO LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED. RESPONSIBILITY FOR TIMELY SUBMISSION RESTS WITH THE APPLICANT.**

Guideline Criteria of Selection Committee

Personal Essay and Resume: 1-40 points Financial Hardship: 1-40 points Academic Achievement and Extracurricular/Community Activities: 1-20 points

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| Applicant's Full Name: |
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| (Last, First, MI): |
| Mailing Address: |
| Email Address: |
| Phone Number: |
| Parent/Guardian: |
| (Last, First, MI): |
| Mailing Address: |
| Phone Number: |

Applicants must include with this application:

- 1. A resume summarizing student's academic achievements, extracurricular activities, and evidence of community service.
- 2. One letter of recommendation from a Kapa'a High School teacher or coach focused on applicant's academic improvement and untapped potential for future success
- 3. One-page, typewritten personal essay addressing career goals and how applicant plans to give back to the Kaua'i community.
- 4. Explain in same essay the financial challenges faced in obtaining a higher education.
- 5. An official grade transcript is not required. In helping to keep with COVID-19 safety protocols, the students' signature below gives consent for the Kapa'a High School Foundation Scholarship committee to obtain the student's transcripts directly from the Kapa'a High School office.

I hereby declare that I have read all statements on the application form and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are correct and complete. I understand that if I am a recipient of this scholarship award, I will make myself available and/or provide photos for publicity purposes for the Kapa'a High School Foundation, which may appear online or in print or digital media.

Applicant's Signature:_____ Date: _____

Completed applications and supporting documents should be scanned and emailed to the Kapa'aHigh School Foundation email address: kapaahighfoundation@gmail.com, or properly sealed and dropped off at the Kapa'a High School Counselors Office: ATTN: Mrs. Joan Kealalio.

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