



APPLICATION FOR THE PACIFIC AND ASIAN AFFAIRS COUNCIL'S ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications must be postmarked by April 30, 2010

The Pacific and Asian Affairs Council (PAAC) is pleased to offer the following academic scholarships to public and private high school students who participate in PAAC clubs and/or after-school classes.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 9-11

Applicants must be members of PAAC clubs or after-school classes in grades 9-11 who demonstrate a clear interest in and commitment to international affairs.

Eddie Tangen Award

The legacy of Eddie Tangen, a pioneer in the development of Hawaii's labor movement and past member of PAAC's Board of Governors, is honored with a \$300 award given yearly in his name.

- One \$300 scholarship is available to a PAAC club or class member in grade 9 to 11

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants for the Tangen award must submit one essay (topic listed on application), one letter of recommendation, and a high school transcript.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRADUATING SENIORS

Applicants must have applied to a four year college, with preference given to students who intend to major in a field related to international affairs

Paul S. Honda Scholarship

Mr. Paul S. Honda, a distinguished member of PAAC's Senior Advisory Council, established an endowment for this scholarship fund for the purpose of promoting Asian Studies in higher education.

- Four \$1,000 scholarships are available to graduating public or private high school seniors who are active members of a PAAC club or class
- Extra consideration is given to those planning to study about Asia

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants for the Honda Scholarships must submit two essays (topics listed on the application), two letters of recommendation, and a high school transcript.

Send three complete and collated copies of the application form, transcripts (do not send separately), essays, and one self-addressed stamped envelope to PAAC. Please paperclip each set of documents together (do not staple). One teacher recommendation letter is also required for underclassmen; two letters are required for seniors.

Send all materials to: PAAC Scholarship Committee
1601 East-West Road, 4th Floor
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96848-1601

All applications must be postmarked on or before April 30, 2010. Late applications will not be considered.

Questions? Contact: Natasha Chappel, PAAC High School Program Director, at 944-7759 or hs@paachawaii.org

Extra-Curricular Activities

Please list your extra-curricular and community activities (clubs, sports, student government, volunteer work, part-time jobs). Check the column for the grade-levels that you have been involved in each activity, and indicate any leadership positions that you have held. Use an additional sheet if necessary.

Grade Level

Activity/Organization Name	9	10	11	12	Leadership Positions Held

I certify that all of the information I have provided in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Essays- Please answer the following question(s):

Applicants for the Honda Scholarships must write both essays. Applicants for the Tangen Award can choose either question, and will write one essay. Essays should be no longer than one page, typed and double spaced. You will not be interviewed for this scholarship, so make sure you express yourself well in your essay(s)!

- 1) How has taking part in PAAC activities expanded your understanding of world affairs, and how will receiving a scholarship help you to keep learning about global issues?
- 2) Please describe how one person active in international relations, today or historically, has influenced the way you think about the world and international affairs.

