The Mark and Linda Hauptman Endowed Scholarship

Mark Hauptman graduated from ISU in 1979 with a Bachelor of Science in Accounting and received his CPA certificate that same year. He was active in Alpha Tau Omega fraternity during his years at ISU. He began his career at a public accounting firm in Bloomington, Illinois. Linda Dean Hauptman graduated from ISU in 1976 with a Bachelor of Science in Sociology. She started work at a community mental health center in Canton, Illinois, then moved to Bloomington and worked at the same accounting firm as Mark. They married in 1981, moved to Oklahoma in 1982, and then to Texas in 1989, where they currently reside in Fort Worth.

Mark worked in public accounting for five years and then transitioned to a career in the Insurance industry. He spent 20 years with HealthMarkets, Inc. where he held several accounting and executive positions, including CFO and Executive VP of Sales and Marketing. He retired from HealthMarkets, Inc. and in October, 2009 became part owner of a plastic injection molding company manufacturing jars, caps, liners, pencils and closures for the cosmetic industry. Linda continued working in human resources until they moved to Texas. She then became a fulltime homemaker and raised their three daughters. Mark and Linda decided to establish this scholarship fund as a continuation of their support of education.

Qualifications:

- Must be a current junior, senior or graduate level business major in good standing at Illinois State University.
- Preference will be given to accounting majors and members of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.
- Financial need will be a consideration when two or more applicants have apparently equal qualifications.

Awards:

One $2000 dollar award will be made on a one-year annual basis. Scholarship funds will be disbursed through the Financial Aid Office after the 10th day of the fall semester.

Instructions:

1. Complete all parts of the application.
2. Write a 250 word essay focused on why he/she is interested in a professional career in business, why they selected their major, and how a scholarship will impact their academic future.
3. Provide a copy of your resume.
4. Provide at least one letter of recommendation.
5. The deadline to apply is July 15th. All materials must be submitted or postmarked by the deadline to be considered.

All application materials and supporting documentation should be mailed to:

Assistant to the Dean for Student Services
Ashley Hicks
Campus Box 5500
College of Business
Illinois State University
Normal, IL 61790-5500
Telephone: 309-438-2251
Fax: 309-438-5510
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Name of Applicant: ___________________________________________ Date: ______________

UID Number: _____________________ Major: ____________________________

ISU GPA: __________ Total Earned Hours: ______

Student organization membership: __________________________________________

Cell Phone Number ______-______-__________

Email Address: __________________________________________________________

Home Address: __________________________________________________________

City: _________________________________________________________________

State: ___________________________ Zip: ___________

Are you a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity? Yes/No

Certification

I have personally completed this application and have read all of the terms and conditions for the Mark and Linda Hauptman Endowed Scholarship. I certify that the information on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and grant my permission for the information contained herein to be shared with the scholarship award committee. If awarded the Mark and Linda Hauptman Endowed Scholarship, I release to Illinois State University and the College of Business the right to use my name and picture for publications, reports, and press releases. By signing this application form I give the University permission to verify my information, which may include obtaining financial need records from Financial Aid.

__________________________________________ University ID Number

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Signature Date