

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
The Robert Crowell MBA Endowed Scholarship Application

Name: _____ Student Status: Full-Time ___ Part-Time ___

Local Address: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Daytime Telephone Number: (____) _____ E-mail: _____

I. Academic Record:

New Student (Enrolled for the first time in the current spring semester):

- a. GPA for the last 60 hours of undergraduate course work (on a 4.0 scale): _____
- b. GMAT Score: _____

Continuing Student:

- a. Total number of MBA credit hours completed prior to spring semester (excluding Foundation courses): _____
- b. Cumulative GPA for core and elective MBA courses: _____
- c. Overall cumulative GPA for all MBA courses (including Foundation courses): _____

II. Employment:

Please identify your employer and your present position/title.

Employer: _____

Position/Title: _____

Total Full-Time Work Experience (since college graduation); _____ years and _____ months

III. Essay: Please provide on a separate sheet a 250-word essay describing 1) your background, 2) career goals, and 3) how the scholarship will impact your academic future and career goals. You may include work experience, professional achievements, and community/campus activities.

IV. Letters of Recommendation: Please provide two (2) letters of recommendation.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Send the application materials to: Illinois State University
College of Business MBA Program
Campus Box 5570
Normal, IL 61790-5570

The Robert Crowell MBA Endowed Scholarship Fund

The Robert Crowell MBA Endowed Scholarship Fund was created in 2008 with a generous endowment from Mr. Robert Crowell, a 1995 MBA alum.

The selected recipient of this scholarship will receive an engraved plaque and \$750 which can be used toward future tuition and fees. Additionally, the recipient's name will be engraved on a wall plaque displayed in the MBA Office. The recipient of this scholarship, along with other MBA award winners, will be recognized at the Annual MBA/MBAA Student and Faculty Recognition Ceremony in April.

Qualified students are strongly encouraged to apply for this scholarship.

Candidate Qualifications

- A. Have a 3.5 GPA or above on a 4.0 scale for the last 60 hours of undergraduate course work and a GMAT score of at least 550 **for an incoming student.**
- B. Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or above **for a continuing MBA student.**
- C. Submit a 250-word essay describing:
 - 1. Applicant's background
 - 2. Career goals
 - 3. How the scholarship will impact his/her academic future and career goals
- D. Include two (2) letters of recommendation.
- E. Preference will be given to students with a minimum of three years of full-time post-undergraduate work experience.

Note: Only students in the traditional evening MBA Program who will continue beyond the current semester qualify to be considered for this scholarship. Students, who already have full tuition waiver privileges through a graduate assistantship or other financial assistance programs, do not qualify for this scholarship.