April 1, 2023

Scholarship Representative

RE: AITP Scholarships

Dear Scholarship Representative:

The Omaha chapter of the Association of Information Technology Professionals (AITP), in partnership with AIM and major financial support from the Team Software Chad Nourse Scholarship Fund, is offering several scholarships to help further the education of students who are planning to attend or continuing to attend a college, university, community college, or technical school in Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, North Dakota, or South Dakota, with the goal of achieving an associate's or bachelor's degree in Information Systems, Information Technology, Computer Science, Cybersecurity or a related field.

Please inform students of this scholarship opportunity. The instructions and application forms are available at the www.aitpomaha.org. All applications are due by June 1, 2023. Scholarship recipients will be notified by July 1, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Flannery via email at flannery@bellevue.edu or via telephone at (402) 557-7135.

Sincerely,

Mary K. Dobransky

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Chair, AITP Omaha Scholarship Committee

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AITP Omaha Scholarship, in partnership with AIM
2023 Application Forms and Information

Due date June 1, 2023

Several scholarships are now available for the 2023/2024 academic year.

The Omaha chapter of the Association of Information Technology Professionals (AITP), in partnership with AIM, provides academic scholarships to deserving students who are either planning on attending or continuing to attend a college, university, community college, or technical school in Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, North Dakota, or South Dakota, with the goal of achieving an associate's or bachelor's degree in Information Systems, Information Technology, Computer Science, or a related field.

All students pursuing an associate's or bachelor's degree in Information Systems, Information Technology, Computer Science, or a related field are invited to apply. AITP Omaha or Lincoln chapter professional members and their spouses or children, and students who have actively participated in an AIM youth program, are encouraged to apply. Students are eligible for a maximum of two scholarship awards, and no more than one award per academic year.

Instructions for Applicants
All application materials are due June 1, 2023.

Each applicant must submit the following items:
1. Scholarship Application (Form A)
2. Two Scholarship Recommendations (Form B). Applicants must ensure that the Scholarship Recommendation forms have been submitted by the recommender.
3. Current high school or college transcript

The items may be submitted via email to flannery@bellevue.edu or regular mail to Melissa Flannery, Bellevue University, 1000 Galvin Road South, Bellevue, NE 68005.

Applicants will be notified via the e-mail address provided on the Scholarship Application (Form A) when all of the application materials have been received. Applicants should save or print a copy of the completed application before submission. Scholarship Applications will not be returned to applicants.

Scholarship recipients will be notified by July 1, 2023.

Due Date: June 1, 2023

Association of Information Technology Professionals (AITP) Omaha Chapter
In partnership with AIM

Scholarship Recommendation (FORM B)

Student Name:

Student Email : _____   Student Phone: _____

Recommender Name:

Title: _____   Relationship to Applicant: _____

Please select the ratings for the items below that best describes the applicant.	No Basis	Fair	Good	Excellent
Creativity, Original Thought				
Independence, Initiative				
Effective Communication				
Discipline, Work Habits				
Leadership				
Team Player				
Responsible				

Additional Comments (attach a letter if desired):

Sign or type your signature below:

Recommender: _____   Date: _____

Email Address: _____   Phone: _____

Send the completed application to:	Or e-mail to: flannery@bellevue.edu
AITP Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 583 Omaha, NE 68101	

Scholarship Application (FORM A)

Due Date: June 1, 2023

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Date: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, ZIP Code: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Are you a current AITP member? ____ Yes ____ No

　　If Yes: Member Number _____ Chapter Name _____

Is an immediate family member a current AITP member? ____ Yes ____ No

　　If Yes: Member Number _____ Chapter Name _____

　　　　Member Name _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Have you participated in an AIM Youth program? ____Yes ____No

If Yes: Program Name _____ School Name _____

Education

High School: _____

Address: _____

Academic Class Rank: _____ in a class of (#) _____ Grade Point Average: _____ on a scale of _____

Dates Attended: _____

College or Technical School: _____

Address: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ on a scale of _____

Dates Attended: _____ Major Area of Study: _____

College or Technical School you will attend from Fall 2022– Spring 2023:

_____

Scholarship Application (FORM A)

Address:

Major Area of Study:

Other Scholarships

Please list any scholarships you will be using during the coming year and the percent they pay for your college expenses

(including tuition, books, fees, room and board):

Have you previously received an AITP Omaha scholarship? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, list the date(s): _____ (Note: Applicants are eligible for a maximum of two AITP Omaha scholarship awards.)

Employment

Please list any jobs you held while attending school:

Company: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

Company: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

Company: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

Community Service

Please list any local community organizations in which you have been active:

Organization: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

Organization: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

Organization: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Responsibilities: _____

* NOTE: If additional space is needed for any of your answers, please include as an attachment to this document.

Scholarship Application (FORM A)

Extracurricular Activities

Please list your participation in any high school or collegiate extracurricular activities:

Activity: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Activity: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Activity: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Activity: _____   From: _____ To: _____

Awards

Please list any awards you received in high school or college:

Award: _____   Date: _____

Award: _____   Date: _____

Award: _____   Date: _____

Award: _____   Date: _____

Recommendations

Two Scholarship Recommendation forms are required. Please list the contact information for your two recommenders below. Include the two Scholarship Recommendations with your application, or the recommender may email the form to flannnery@bellevue.edu.

Name: _____   Relationship to Applicant: _____

Phone: _____   Email Address: _____

Name: _____   Relationship to Applicant: _____

Phone: _____   Email Address: _____

* NOTE: If additional space is needed for any of your answers, please include as an attachment to this document.

Scholarship Application (FORM A)

Essay

Please prepare a 250-500 word essay on the following topic. The essay should be well-organized and in your own words. Attach a separate page if desired.

AI technology, as seen in tools like ChatGPT, DALL-E, and Midjourney, is becoming more and more common. Although these tools are great at doing many tasks quickly and accurately, the use of AI tools might cause unintended consequences and worsen existing inequalities. If you could make an AI tool now, what steps would you take to limit negative consequences and ensure that your tool is used ethically and responsibly?

Submitting your Scholarship Application - Checklist

_____1. Complete your Scholarship Application (Form A). If additional space is needed for any of your answers, please attach your response and reference the question number.

_____2. Obtain two Scholarship Recommendations (Form B). These can be submitted with this application or the recommender can email the form to flannnery@bellevue.edu or mail the form to AITP Omaha Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 583, Omaha, NE 68101.

_____3. Submit a current high school or college transcript. This may be a photocopy or unofficial transcript.

_____4. Sign or type your signature below:

Applicant: _____   Date: _____

5. Send your application, recommendations and transcript to:

Mail to: Melissa Flannery Bellevue University 1000 Galvin Road South Bellevue, NE 68005	Or email to: flannery@bellevue.edu