Bill Bishop Graduate Scholarship

Scholarship Description
The Baltimore Chapter of the Institute of Internal Auditors’ (IIA) Bill Bishop Graduate Scholarship is awarded in memory of the late Bill Bishop, who served as president of the IIA for 13 years. In his memory, the Baltimore Chapter of the IIA has established one $3,000 scholarship to be awarded to a student in the University Of Maryland Robert H. Smith School Of Business, Masters of Science in Accounting Program who upholds the key qualities cherished by Mr. Bishop and by our profession. Scholarship winners will also be awarded a one-year complimentary student membership to the Baltimore Chapter of the IIA, providing you with the opportunity to attend a number of IIA sponsored training and networking events.

Eligibility Requirements
Candidates have to be accepted into the Smith School of Business – Master of Science in Accounting Program. Current members of the Baltimore Chapter of the IIA and employed in the practice of Internal Auditing will be given additional consideration in the selection process.

Application Must Include
Each applicant must complete the Baltimore Chapter of the IIA’s Bill Bishop Graduate Scholarship Application (available for download at http://www.baltimoreiia.org/education). Also, applicants must provide an essay that includes the following: 1) your career goals, and how internal auditing fits into these goals; 2) a description of the key qualities you share with our profession; and 3) a description of why you have chosen to pursue a graduate degree in internal auditing. Also please attach a copy of your acceptance letter into University of Maryland, Smith School of Business, Master of Science in Accounting Program.

Scholarship Criteria:
Each application will be reviewed and judged based on a number of factors including; current employment in the internal auditing profession, membership in the Baltimore Chapter of the IIA, public/community service, and the essay. The Chapter may independently confirm participation in the Smith School of Business, Master of Science in Accounting Program.

The application and essay should be e-mailed to academic.relations@baltimoreiia.org or the entire packet can be mailed to:

Crystal Corley, Committee Chairperson
IIA Academic Relations
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621 E. Pratt Street
Baltimore, MD  21202

Please contact Crystal with any questions at academic.relations@baltimoreiia.org. We look forward to receiving your application soon. All applications must be received no later than April 3, 2020.

Institute of Internal Auditors, Baltimore Chapter
Baltimore Chapter of the IIA
Bill Bishop Graduate Scholarship Application

Personal
Name: __________________________ Phone number: ____________________________
Home address: _________________________________________________________________
Email address: _________________________________________________________________
Institute of Internal Auditors Membership Number ___________________________

Employer
Name: ___________________________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________
Employment period: _____________________________________________________________
Current job description (please highlight any internal auditing duties):
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Education
Undergraduate at __________________________________________________ College/University
Major/Concentration: _____________________________________________________________
Graduation date: _________________________________________________________________

Public Service/Community Activities
Describe any activities in which you are actively involved or positions you hold in the community, job or school, and the corresponding dates. Examples of these activities/positions include community recreation groups, community associations, student organizations, church groups, or any other service-related activity. (Though not required, you may attach additional information or a letter of recommendation from someone attesting to your involvement.)
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Institute of Internal Auditors, Baltimore Chapter
Scholarship Intentions
Why are you interested in obtaining this scholarship?
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Acceptance into University of Maryland, Smith School of Business, Master of Science in Accounting Program
Date of acceptance: ________________________________ (please attach copy of acceptance letter)

**Remember to attach your essay and mail your application before April 3, 2020.