



Nebraska Chapter of  
**ACACIA FRATERNITY**

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L. "Ron" Letson Acacia Leadership Scholarship Application

Dear Esteemed Counselor,

Acacia Fraternity is pleased to announce a scholarship opportunity for young men at your school who display motivation for personal success, an interest in developing and applying leadership skills, and who plan to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln (UNL) for the upcoming academic year. Please make copies of the first page for distribution to your students.

Acacia Fraternity is an organization founded on the pursuit of knowledge and leadership. In that spirit, the Nebraska Chapter of Acacia is awarding one (1) leadership scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.00 and two (2) in the amount of \$500.00 each to incoming male freshmen at UNL. Scholarship winners will be selected on the basis of merit as displayed on the attached application as well as in an interview, which will be scheduled later in the Spring.

Acacia encourages and assists young men in developing themselves as leaders and balanced men during their college career. We would be most appreciative of your help in distributing this information and a copy of the attached application form to potential male UNL students. Please feel free to distribute applications to multiple candidates.

We encourage the submission of an application even if a final decision on university attendance has not yet been made. These scholarship awards are not dependent on membership. Applications must be submitted online no later than **January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023**. The scholarship committee will contact qualified applicants within six weeks after the deadline to schedule interviews.

If you have any questions, or require further assistance, please feel free to contact me. As a previous recipient of this scholarship, I sincerely appreciate your time and assistance that will benefit your students.

Sincerely,

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The Acacia Leadership Scholarship is a single-year scholarship awarded to 3 (1-\$1,000 and 2-\$500) incoming male freshmen at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln who display excellence in academics, motivation for personal success with an interest in developing and applying leadership skills.

*Below is an example of the information requested. Please submit your application online at:*

**<http://acaciaunl.org/als/>**

**Contact Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian Email(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Information**

*All information will be kept confidential to the Nebraska Chapter of Acacia*

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Counselor's email \_\_\_\_\_  
ACT \_\_\_\_\_ and/or SAT \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Expected College (w/in UNL) \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Major \_\_\_\_\_

**Activities Information**

Extracurricular Activities \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Honors and Awards \_\_\_\_\_  
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**References and Essay**

On separate sheets of paper, please provide

- 1) Reference contact information for two people who are not related to you—one not connected to your high school and one currently on the staff of your high school.
- 2) A brief essay (400 words or less) describing an inspirational and educational event in your life.

Note: In order to receive the scholarship payment, recipients must provide proof of enrollment at University of Nebraska–Lincoln by September 1, 2023.

Application must be completed by **January 31st, 2023** at:

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