

# Mayor Richard T. Crotty Valencia – UCF Alumni Two Plus Two Graduating Scholarship 2009 - 2010



## OVERVIEW:

The Mayor Richard T. Crotty Valencia-UCF Alumni Two Plus Two Graduating Scholarship provides financial assistance to outstanding students who intend to earn an **Associate in Arts degree at Valencia** and subsequently, a **Bachelor's degree at the University of Central Florida**. Students with an **Associate in Science degree** or an **Associate in Applied Science degree** who intend to complete an **Associate of Arts degree** and transfer to the **University of Central Florida** are also encouraged to apply. The student(s) selected is eligible to receive a total of \$4,000 in scholarship funds during his/her four years of college.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- Candidates must graduate from Valencia Community College with an Associate in Arts degree during the academic year in which the scholarship is awarded. This includes Summer '09, Spring '10 and Fall '10 terms.
- Candidates must have applied for admission to the University of Central Florida as of February 3, 2010, for the purpose of earning a bachelor's degree.
- Candidates must have attained a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better at Valencia Community College (including college prep/developmental courses).

## APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. In conjunction with the application form, each candidate must submit a completed application packet which must be received in the Valencia Alumni Relations Office no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 3, 2010.
2. The application packet must include the completed:
  - Application form, pages 1-2, can be typed online at <http://www.valenciacc.edu/alumni/scholarships.cfm>
  - An official\* Valencia transcript
  - An employment/volunteer service résumé (not to exceed two pages). Résumé assistance is at each campus Career Center.
  - Two letters of recommendation (each must be from a member of the Valencia faculty or staff)
  - An essay (minimum of 400 and not to exceed 500 words)

## DEADLINE:

In order for nominees to be considered, the nomination packet with all required attachments must be received by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 3, 2010

**Please note:** Incomplete packets, late packets or those exceeding the guidelines for length will be automatically disqualified.

\*An official transcript is one issued from the Registrar's office in a sealed envelope. A transcript is considered unofficial if the envelope has been opened. Official transcript instructions go to:  
[http://www.valenciacc.edu/records/transcript\\_form.asp](http://www.valenciacc.edu/records/transcript_form.asp)

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name) (First Name) (MI)

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address) (APT) (City) (State) (Zip)

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Valencia Student ID # (required) V \_\_\_\_\_

Valencia Overall GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated/Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Attach an official transcript\*)

## APPLICATION PACKET

- Application Form (pages 1-2)
- An official\* college transcript
- Two signed letters of recommendation (*Each letter must be from a member of the Valencia faculty/ staff*)
- A business/ volunteer service résumé (not to exceed two pages)
- One Essay (minimum of 400 words and not to exceed 500 words) which addresses **all** of the following topics:
  - The significance of a Valencia Community College education to you
  - Your philosophy regarding community service
  - Your future educational, professional and personal goals

The complete application packet with required materials must be received in the Alumni Relations Office by 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 3, 2010.

Valencia Alumni Relations Office  
701 N. Econlockhatchee Trail, MC: 3-12, Orlando, FL 32825  
East Campus, Bldg. 6, Room 101

## SIGNATURE:

As of February 3, 2010, I will have applied at the University of Central Florida to earn my bachelor's degree. I certify that the information above and in the attached documents is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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