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MILLENNIUM MOMENTUM FOUNDATION, INC. (MMF)

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
For the 2010-2011 Academic Year**

Application Deadline: May 30, 2010

Mailing Address:

MILLENNIUM MOMENTUM FOUNDATION, INC.
c/o SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
5482 Wilshire Boulevard, #115
Los Angeles, CA 90036
(323) 939-9549
www.millennium-momentum.org
info@millennium-momentum.org

INSTRUCTIONS: Please submit the following documents with your completed application: An official transcript of all college coursework completed to date, two letters of recommendation (one must be from civic/community leader, i.e. clergy, elected official, organization administrator, etc., and the other must be from an administrator, professor, advisor, etc. from your school), a current photo, current resume, and your personal statement (see instructions on page 4 of this application). Please respond to **all** questions listed in this application. Use "not applicable" or "don't know" if appropriate. **Each section must be completed.**

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TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT. **PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY.**

1. Name _____ 2. Social Security No. _____
Last First M.I.

3. Permanent Mailing Address _____

4. City _____ 5. State _____ 6. Zip _____

7. Mailing Address for Fall of 2009 _____

8. City _____ 9. State _____ 10. Zip _____

11. Email _____ 12. Phone (____) _____

13. Cell/ Alternate Phone (____) _____ 14. Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) ____/____/____

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Section A: SCHOOL INFORMATION

15. Your class standing/ enrollment status as of Fall 2010 (please check one):

- Applying to School Already Enrolled In School
 Full Time Student Part Time Student

of Units Enrolled in or Anticipated for Fall 2010 _____

- High school student Freshman in college Sophomore in college
 Junior in college Senior in college Graduate Student

16. Semester & year of graduation: _____ 17. Approximate number of units needed to graduate _____

18. School attending in Fall 2010 _____

19. Have you been officially accepted to the school listed in question #18? Yes No

20. School address _____

21. Major _____ 22. Minor _____

23. Professional school (if applicable) _____

24. GPA (Current or most recent) _____ 25. As of what date _____ 26. Overall GPA _____

27. List the name of your current or most recent school attended: _____

- High School Community College Vocational School University

Other (Please specify) _____

Section B: STUDENT INFORMATION

28. Gender: Male Female

29. Marital Status:
 Single Married Divorced Separated Partner Other _____

30. Number of Children _____

31. Number of Siblings _____

32. Ethnic Background (check all that apply):

- African-American Asian/Pacific Islander Indian/Native-American Latino/Hispanic

Other _____ (identify)

33. State of legal residence _____

34. Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes No

35. Are you a documented permanent resident? Yes No

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Section C: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

36. Did you (or will you) file separate income taxes from your parents for 2009? Yes No

37. Are you financially independent from your parents? Yes No

38. Annual Income \$ _____

39. Parents' annual income (if applicable) \$ _____

40. Spouse/ significant other annual income (if applicable) \$ _____

41. Total household income \$ _____

Please include a copy of all relevant 2009 Federal Income Tax Returns.

42. Have you: Applied for financial aid Yes No
 Submitted your FAFSA Yes No
 Applied for other grants/scholarships Yes No
 Received other grants/ scholarships Yes No

43. Are you presently receiving assistance from your office of Financial Aid or outside agencies? Yes No

If yes, please check the types and amounts of aid awarded (do not leave any blanks). Note: All fields must have an entry or your application will be considered incomplete. List 0 or N/A if applicable. In addition, you may also address your financial circumstances in your personal statement.

Cal Grant \$ _____ University scholarship/grant \$ _____

Pell Grant \$ _____ Departmental scholarship \$ _____

Graduate fellowship \$ _____ Other (please list) \$ _____

Tuition remission \$ _____ **Total amount of aid awarded \$ _____**

Section D. VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

44. Volunteer information (If necessary, attach a separate sheet, resumes acceptable)

ORGANIZATION _____ ADDRESS _____

SUPERVISOR _____ POSITION HELD _____

HRS/WEEK _____ DATES: FROM _____ TO _____

DUTIES _____

45. If none, what type of volunteer work would you like to do? _____

46. Please list any extracurricular activities (including academic, social, and community involvement)

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Section E: EMPLOYMENT/ INTERNSHIP INFORMATION

47. Employment information (If necessary, attach a separate sheet)

COMPANY _____ SUPERVISOR _____

ADDRESS _____

POSITION HELD _____ DATES: FROM _____ TO _____

DUTIES _____

Full time Part time # Hours per week: _____ Is this an internship? Yes No

Please list any additional professional experience, community or campus leadership roles, awards, and/or extracurricular activities in your resume and/or personal statement.

Section F: PERSONAL STATEMENT

48. Please attach a personal statement. It must be typed (double spaced) and no longer than two pages. Your statement should include descriptions and explanations of your experiences that will enable us to evaluate your eligibility for this award.

The following are required areas that you MUST include:

- Your goals related to pursuing a career in a public service related field (academic and professional), whether in the nonprofit sector, public sector, or other applicable area of public affairs.
- Extra-curricular activities, leadership roles, and volunteer involvement related to a public service related field
- A summary of your personal background and circumstances
- What impact this scholarship will have on your college experience
- Information about yourself not readily apparent in the application that would help evaluate your commitment to pursuing a career in a public service related field
- Information that demonstrates your anticipated commitment to reinvest your education back into local communities to improve the quality of life for citizens in the future

49. How did you find out about the Millennium Momentum Foundation, Inc. Best & the Brightest Scholarship Program?

50. Were you referred? Yes No 51. Name of referring person/ agency: _____

52. Referral affiliation with Millennium Momentum Foundation: _____

Section G. MILLENNIUM MOMENTUM FOUNDATION, INC. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

53. Please note that students selected as Best & the Brightest Scholars will be automatically enrolled in, receive a full tuition scholarship for, and expected to fully participate in, the MMF Leadership Development Institute. Students not selected as Best & the Brightest Scholars may be eligible for enrollment into the Leadership Development Institute, as well as a partial institute scholarship to cover a portion of the tuition fees. Applications can be found on the MMF website. There are a limited number of partial scholarships available.

Check here if you would like to be considered for the MMF Leadership Development Institute. You do not need to submit a separate application for the Leadership Development Institute once the MMF Best & the Brightest Scholarship Application has been submitted and received by MMF.

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Section H. APPLICANT SIGNATURE AND CERTIFICATION

54. Initial _____ I have read and understand the Eligibility Requirements of the MMF Best & the Brightest Scholarship Program, as listed on the MMF website. Furthermore, I understand that if I do not meet the Eligibility Requirements my application may not be considered for my acceptance into the Best & the Brightest Scholarship Program.

55. I certify that the information in this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that any false statement may result in the disqualification of my application for an MMF Best & the Brightest Scholarship award.

56. STUDENT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

NOTE: Former MMF Best & the Brightest Scholars may apply, but please note that priority consideration will be given to students that have not been previously awarded the Best & the Brightest Scholarship.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Have you:

- Completed the application
- Included the following:
 - ✓ Official Transcripts of all college coursework completed to date
 - ✓ Two letters of recommendation (see instructions on page 1 of this application)
 - ✓ Current photo
 - ✓ Personal statement
 - ✓ All relevant tax returns
 - ✓ Current resume
- Signed & dated the application

All applications, personal statements, transcripts, tax returns, and attached correspondence should be placed in an envelope and sent directly to:

MILLENNIUM MOMENTUM FOUNDATION, INC.
ATTENTION: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
5482 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, #115
LOS ANGELES, CA 90036

DUE BY FRIDAY, MAY 30, 2010 – POSTMARKED OK

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- **ORIGINAL AS WELL AS ONLINE APPLICATIONS PRINTED FROM THE MMF WEBSITE AND MAILED TO THE ADDRESS PROVIDED HEREIN WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
- **FAXED, EMAILED, AND/OR WALK-IN APPLICATIONS WILL *NOT* BE CONSIDERED.**
- **ANY DOCUMENTATION OR MATERIAL SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE RETURNED TO THE APPLICANT.**

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Thank you for applying for the Millennium Momentum Foundation, Inc. Best & the Brightest Scholarship Program for the 2010-2011 academic school year. Applicants will be notified by June 30, 2010.

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