

VII. Walter R. Young Scholarship Application

Applicant Information

*81st Annual Deming Conference on Applied Statistics –
December, 2026*

Applicant Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Permanent Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

High School Attended: _____

Name of Deming Conference attendee, speaker, or committee member through whom
eligibility is established:

Applicant's relationship to the Deming Conference attendee, speaker, or committee member:

If eligibility is established through sponsorship by a Deming Conference committee member, a
signed letter of sponsorship must accompany this application.

Part 1. Academic Record and Educational Information

Date of High School Graduation: _____

High School GPA: _____

Current or Intended College/University: _____

Major Field of Study: _____

Minor Field of Study (if applicable): _____

Current College GPA (if applicable): _____

Academic Classification

(Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior)

Applicants whose GPA is reported on a scale other than 4.0 must provide sufficient documentation to permit conversion to an equivalent 4.0-scale GPA.

Applicants must submit an official academic transcript reflecting all coursework completed at their current institution and any previously attended institutions, as applicable.

Part 2. Applicant Essay

Submit an essay of not fewer than **two (2) full pages** and not more than **three (3) pages**, single-spaced, using an 11-point or 12-point font.

The essay shall contain numbered sections corresponding to each of the following topics:

1. Understanding of Applied Statistics

Describe your understanding of applied statistics and/or statistical concepts.

2. Educational Objectives

Explain why you selected your current field of study or academic major.

3. Application to Future Career Goals

Discuss how you expect to utilize statistical concepts, applied statistics, and/or statistical analysis in your future profession or career.

4. Scholarship Objectives

Explain why you are applying for the Walter R. Young Scholarship.

5. Additional Information

Provide any additional information that you believe would assist the Scholarship Committee in evaluating your application.

Important: The essay will be evaluated on the applicant's ability to address each topic in a thoughtful, organized, and professional manner.

Part 3. Activities, Leadership, and Service

Use only the space provided below. Additional pages or supplemental materials for this section will not be considered.

Please list activities in order of significance to you.

Extracurricular Activities

Leadership Positions Held

Honors and Awards

Community Service and Other Non-School Activities

Part 4. References

Applicants must provide two (2) references, each accompanied by a letter of recommendation.

References may not be members of the applicant's immediate family or relatives.

At least one reference must be a professor, teacher, counselor, administrator, or other official affiliated with the applicant's current educational institution.

Reference No. 1

Name: _____

Title/Position: _____

Organization: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Reference No. 2

Name: _____

Title/Position: _____

Organization: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Application Submission Checklist

- ☐ Completed Scholarship Application
- ☐ Applicant Essay
- ☐ Official Academic Transcript
- ☐ Two Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Proof of Enrollment or Acceptance (if applicable)
- ☐ Letter of Sponsorship (if applicable)

Part 5. Certification and Authorization

I hereby certify that all information contained in this application and all supporting documentation is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that this application and accompanying materials will be reviewed by members of the Walter R. Young Scholarship Committee solely for the purpose of evaluating eligibility and selecting scholarship recipients.

I authorize members of the Scholarship Committee to contact my references and verify information submitted in support of this application. I further understand that the Committee may request an interview as part of the evaluation process.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Submission Information

Application Deadline: {TBD}

Submit Applications To:

Joseph Borden

Walter R. Young Scholarship Committee
3246 Pheasant Trl.
Mims, FL 32754

Email: Cajinjoe@gmail.com
