

LAHIDAN FNCE® Student Scholarship Application 2022

Purpose: To enable two LAHIDAN undergraduate/graduate student member in the field of Dietetics/Nutrition or a Dietetic Intern to attend the Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo™ (FNCE®). The goal of the scholarship is to foster the mentoring of future nutrition leaders.

Award: Each scholarship recipient will receive \$800 USD to cover registration, travel and lodging expenses to attend FNCE®, and will be recognized at the LAHIDAN member networking event held during the dates of FNCE®. Each award recipient is required to submit an article for the LAHIDAN newsletter in collaboration with the editor, within 30 days after attending FNCE®. Payment by check will be mailed to the recipient upon receipt of their newsletter article.

Eligibility: All active LAHIDAN student members are eligible. Current members of the Nominating/Awards Committee and the LAHIDAN Executive Committee are not eligible for the award.

Selection Criteria: The Nominating Committee will select the best candidate based on the following:

1. The application is typed and submitted electronically by **July 1st, 2022**
2. The applicant must be able to attend FNCE® in-person and assist in any LAHIDAN events, as specified by a LAHIDAN Executive Committee member, up to 1 hour of volunteer time. FNCE® will be held in-person on October 8th – 11th, 2022 in Orlando, FL.
3. The applicant provides a verification of college/internship attendance (by having program director sign their application form) and current or last GPA (in the case of those enrolled in an internship).
 - a. The applicant provides his/her resume.
4. The applicant provides a personal statement (max. 2 pages, double spaced) which:
 - a. Describes his/her career goals
 - b. Specifies how the attendance to FNCE® will assist in developing these goals
 - c. Describes his/her interest in the field of Nutrition
 - d. Specifies ability and willingness to volunteer 1 hour during FNCE®

Application Process and Entry Deadline: Application for the LAHIDAN FNCE® student scholarship must be submitted electronically to Nominating Chair at LAHIDAN@eatright.org by **July 1st, 2022**. The LAHIDAN Nominating Chair will notify applicants of the results via email. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.

A complete nomination application package will include the following:

1. Application form (see below)
2. Resume
3. Personal statement explaining how he/she meets the selection criteria as indicated above (including a brief description of financial situation or special circumstances as applicable)

Scholarship Recipient's Duties:

- Recipient must attend FNCE® 2022 and be available to provide 1 hour of volunteer time during any LAHIDAN function during FNCE® (such as assist at the LAHIDAN exhibit booth during the DPG/MIG Showcase, or assist at the LAHIDAN member networking event).
- Recipient must write a one-page, double-spaced summary of a FNCE® session attended, including how they might apply this information in their training/career. It must be suitable for printing in LAHIDAN's *Adelante* newsletter.

APPLICATION BELOW

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Name of Applicant:
Select Appropriate Option: <input type="checkbox"/> College/University <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's degree: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Coordinated Program: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Master's degree: _____ GPA: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Dietetic Internship: _____ GPA: _____
College/University/Internship Address:
Program Director/Dietetic Internship Director: (signature provides verification of applicant's student/intern status) Director's Printed Name: _____ Office Phone Number: _____ Email: _____ Director's Signature: _____
Applicant Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Member ID #:
Applicant Mailing Address:
Applicant Phone number:
Applicant E-mail address:
Application Checklist: <input type="checkbox"/> Application with Director Signature <input type="checkbox"/> Resume <input type="checkbox"/> Personal statement
Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Send all application forms to LAHIDAN@eatright.org.