

Southern
Police
Institute

Scholarship Application
**Cynthia Jean and
George Nichols, III
AOC Scholarship**

Department of Criminal Justice - College of Arts & Sciences - University of Louisville

**Cynthia Jean and George Nichols, III Administrative
Officers Course (AOC) Scholarship Fund
Application**

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Louisville, Kentucky 40292

Application for the _____ AOC

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Date of application: _____

Name:

_____ *First* *Middle* *Last*

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Social Security Number:

Home Address:

_____ *City* *State* *Zip*

Telephone Number (check primary):

_____ *Work* *Cell* *Home/Other*

Email

Email (*Please re-enter address*):

Employer:

Employer Address:

Employer Phone:

Rank/Title:

Years of Continuous Law Enforcement Experience:

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Agencies

Dates of Employment:

Current Assignment:

Education (check highest completed):

High School/Equivalent	<input type="radio"/>
Some College	<input type="radio"/>
Associate's Degree	<input type="radio"/>
Bachelor's Degree	<input type="radio"/>
Master's Degree	<input type="radio"/>
Ph.D.	<input type="radio"/>
Other (Professional Certificate, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>
Please specify or add additional comments:	

I have submitted my AOC Application: Yes _____ No _____ Submitted: _____
Date

I am applying for the: Fall Semester 20_____ Spring Semester 20_____

Cynthia Jean and George Nichols, III Administrative Officers Course (AOC) Scholarship Fund

Synopsis of why you desire to attend the Administrative Officer's Course. Describe the benefit of the training program for you or your agency and/or the fiscal need for the scholarship funds. (Limited to 3000 characters & spaces.)

George Nichols, III AOC Scholarship Fund for Women in Law Enforcement Application

PURPOSE: Desiring to increase the number of female law enforcement officers in supervisory, command, or administrative roles—and to encourage law enforcement agencies to become more pro-active in identifying and developing more women for command positions—the donors have established the **Cynthia Jean and George Nichols, III Administrative Officers Course (AOC) Scholarship Fund (G2860)**.

DESCRIPTION: An educational scholarship applied to the recipient's costs of attending SPI's Administrative Officers Course (AOC) will be awarded to up to two (2) qualified applicants per semester ("session") who meet the criteria established below.

CRITERIA: Criteria for the use of this scholarship fund will be as follows:

1. Beginning with the Spring 2021 AOC, two scholarships per session may be awarded to applicants who are in supervisory, command, or administrative roles in their agencies and who meet eligibility requirements for the AOC and admission to the University of Louisville.
2. Applicants/recipients must be first-line supervisors or above within their organizational structures (individuals holding command, supervisory, or administrative positions in their agencies).
3. This scholarship will be applied toward each recipient's costs of attending the Administrative Officers Course (AOC). These costs will include tuition, housing (on campus) and application fee not to exceed \$6,500 per scholarship recipient.

SELECTION: Recipients shall be selected through a competitive process coordinated by the Southern Police Institute at the University of Louisville.

- 1) The Donors strongly prefer that two scholarships per session be awarded to women applicants who meet the eligibility requirements for SPI's Administrative Officers Course and who are in supervisory, command, or administrative roles in their agencies.
- 2) The Donors also strongly prefer that SPI make every effort to identify one recipient within each session who is a Black female meeting the eligibility requirements. If two qualified applicants are not identified for a specific AOC session, SPI reserves the right to make one or both awards in a future session
- 3) Preference will be given to women applicants from Kentucky agencies that may not have the financial resources to send officers for this type of training on a regular basis and/or to Kentucky agencies that have never sent a female officer to the AOC course. In the event that no eligible applicants meet the aforementioned criteria, consideration would go to qualified applicants who are from any law enforcement agency within the United States of America.
- 4) The Director of the Southern Police Institute, or the Director's designee, will notify the Donor and the recipient(s) of each scholarship within a reasonable time after the application deadline.

George Nichols, III AOC Scholarship Fund for Women in Law Enforcement Application

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

1. The application must be from the applicant and endorsed under separate cover, on departmental letterhead, by the chief administrator of the applicant's organization demonstrating fiscal need for the scholarship funds and/or the benefit of the training program for the agency and applicant.
2. The applicant must submit a current photograph in JPEG format and agree to have the photo and scholarship award announcement published by SPI.
3. The applicant must attach AOC Application or have already submitted the AOC Application.
- 5) Upon completion of the Administrative Officers Course, the recipient agrees to provide the scholarship donor with a short description of the benefit received from participating in the course. Information on the recipient will be posted on the SPI website.

I certify this application and have read, understood, and agree with these criteria and requirements:

Applicant

Name

Signature

Date

Witness (*Supervisor/Department Head preferred*):

Name

Signature

Date

George Nichols, III AOC Scholarship Fund for Women in Law Enforcement Application

The following documentation must accompany this completed application:

- Completed application for admission to the Administrative Officers Course (AOC) Southern Police Institute, Department of Criminal Justice, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Louisville
- Departmental Letter of Endorsement & Statement of Financial Need (on agency letterhead) by Chief Administrator of applicant's agency
- Professional applicant photograph (can be sent in JPEG or scanned format)

- Applications may be mailed to the attention of the Director of the Southern Police Institute or a *scanned application packet* may be emailed to: Mary.Evans@louisville.edu.

**Director
Southern Police Institute
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Application Deadlines:

Application must be postmarked or sent electronically no later than:

Spring Semester: November 30th

Fall Semester: May 31st