

2018 DC FLY-IN

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Paducah Area
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

SMALL BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Paducah Chamber is pleased to announce a scholarship available to a small business owner to participate in the 2018 D.C. Fly-In on Wednesday, September 12 – Thursday, September 13. During these annual visits to our Nation's capital, we advocate for our community and our region for projects and public policies that will have a positive impact on our citizens and our businesses.

During this trip we will meet with Kentucky's Congressional delegation and federal agencies that are important to our community's future, including the Department of Energy, Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Agency and national arts organizations. In addition, participants have an "inside look" into what is happening in D. C., build valuable relationships with Washington decision-makers, spend time with other community leaders from our area and, most importantly, BE OUR COMMUNITY'S VOICE.

The scholarship will include the trip registration, two nights in the Hyatt Regency Hotel, airfare from Barkley Regional Airport, and many of your meals. Incidental expenses are not included, such as ground transportation. A Selection Committee will review each application. All applications will be kept confidential. In addition to this application, an in-person or phone interview may be requested.

Application Deadline: Friday, June 8, 2018

Scholarship Application Guidelines:

- Small business of 15 or less employees.
- Applicant must submit the following:
 - An essay of no more than 300 words or less as to why you would like to participate.
 - Briefly explain how you plan to use your experience as a participant in the trip.
- Be prepared for a possible phone or in person interview.

Applicant Information

Name _____ Title _____

Business _____ Number of Employees _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Cell _____ Email _____

This form is downloadable and it is recommended to be completed typed. To complete the pdf application, use the fill and sign option, scroll to each page (located at bottom of page), save and print a copy for your submission.

ESSAYS

A. Why would you like to participate in the 2018 D.C. Fly-In? (300 words or less, a separate page may be attached)

B. How do you plan to use your experience as a participant in the D.C. Trip? (300 words or less, a separate page may be attached)

Submit your completed application to the Paducah Chamber, P.O. Box 810, Paducah, KY 42002-0810 or email to swilson@paducahchamber.org. For more information, contact Sandra Wilson at 270-443-1746 or swilson@paducahchamber.org.