2013-2014 FUDGE FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

The Fudge Family Foundation has established a limited-time scholarship opportunity for Social Ecology students who have a strong academic record and who have established financial need because they are self-supporting or have other personal hardships that would make it difficult for them to complete their studies without this assistance. Fudge Family Scholars will have demonstrated a strong work ethic and self-motivation. Ideally, two students will receive an award of up to \$5,000 for the 2013-2014 academic year.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Full-time enrollment.
- Current UC Irvine junior or senior-level student.
- A major within the School of Social Ecology (at the time of application and must remain an SE major throughout duration of the award).
- Minimum 3.3 cumulative GPA.
- Two 500 word essays that address scholastic achievement, work ethic, and self-motivation.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Financial need as determined by the UCI Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Application deadline:	Friday, November 22, 2013 by 5:00pm
Submit your complete application to:	Office of Student Services, School of Social Ecology SE I, Rm. 102 Irvine, CA 92697
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- □ Submission of a signed scholarship application
- □ Two personal essays
- □ Two letters of recommendation
- □ Filing a 2012-13 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA can be filed at <u>www.fafsa.gov</u>

PLEASE NOTE:

- Finalists will be invited to an interview with the Selection Committee in late November, 2013.
- The award amount for each recipient is \$5,000 and will be evenly applied during the Fall, Winter, and Spring Quarters of 2013-14.
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by mid-December, 2013.
- If you have questions, please email <u>SEAWARDS@uci.edu</u>.

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APPLICANT INFORMATION				
Full Name:	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	UCI ID Number:
Address:	Number/Street	City	State/County	Zip
Campus Pho	one Number:	Cell Phone Numbe	r:	
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E-mail Addı	ress:			

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND			
Major:	School of Enrollment:		
Degree Objective:			
Bachelor of Science (B.S.)	r of Arts (B.A.)		
Year in School:	Year and Term Entered UCI:		
□ Freshman □Sophomore □Junior □Senior	□Fall □Winter □Spring Year:		
Expected Date of Graduation:	Are you currently employed? If yes, how many employers do you currently have?		
□Fall □Winter □Spring Year:	Yes No 1 2 3 or more		

RECENT COLLEGES			
College	Units Completed	Dates of Attendance	GPA

ACTIVITIES, LEADERSHIP, SERVICE AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

Organization	Position	Dates	Description of Activities

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS			
Name	Date	Description	

CURRENT OR PAST EMPLOYMENT		
Position	Dates	Hours per Week

PERSONAL ESSAYS

Applicants are required to submit two essays of a maximum of 500 words each using standard formatting (regular Times New Roman, font size 12, and double-spaced). The committee would like you to address the two topics listed below. Please write your responses on separate sheets of paper and attach them to the application.

- a. What challenges in your life have you overcome and may still be ahead of you?
- b. What have you done to support your education? (e.g., academically, financially, personally, etc.)

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Please provide two letters of recommendation with your application. Each letter should call attention to your academic accomplishments, your financial need and situation, and how the scholarship would help you complete your studies. The letters should be written by individuals who are well-positioned to attest to your financial need, your work ethic academically and as an employee or worker, and to your motivation to complete your education. Each letter should be in a sealed envelope and submitted with this application. {Optional: You may submit more than two letters.}

CERTIFICATION - TO BE SIGNED BY ALL APPLICANTS

I have read and understand the enclosed information. I affirm that the information which I have provided on this application form and any additional material that I submit related to the financial aid process is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (FERPA), I hereby authorize UC Irvine to release the scholarship application information provided by me, as well as other official and unofficial UCI information regarding my academic progress and status, to scholarship donors for the purpose of providing the donors with information on my eligibility as a scholarship recipient. I also understand that furnishing false information may result in revocation of my financial aid or may result in disciplinary action pursuant to the UC Irvine Code of Student Conduct.

Applicant's Signature

Date