BRONX COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

Amadou Diallo Memorial Scholarship Application – Fall/Spring 2023-2024

Scholarship Criteria:

1. Currently enrolled, full-time BCC student
2. GPA of 3.0 or better with at least 15-degree credits
3. Demonstrated need of financial support
4. Preference may be given to students who are active in BCC's African Students Association or the African Services Project
5. Preference may be given to students who are pursuing STEM or Criminal Justice degrees
6. The recipient will receive support equivalent to full tuition and fees, based on NYC resident rates
7. Support for the Spring semester will be conditional based on the student's performance in Fall 2023
8. Read and answer all questions listed below
9. Submit your completed application via email to **bccfoundation@bcc.cuny.edu** (**Applications sent via email must have your physical signature**)

Last Name: _____   First Name: _____

EMPL ID#: _____   Date of Birth: _____   Phone: _____

Permanent Address: _____
                    No. and Street   City   State   Zip Code

Preferred Email (Print Clearly): _____

Expected Graduation Date: (MM/YYYY) _____   Major: _____   GPA: _____

1. Select your enrollment Status: Entering Freshman   Entering Transfer   Continuing

2. Did you complete the FAFSA application for 2023-2024?   ☐ Yes   ☐ No

3. Did you complete the New York State TAP Application for 2023-2024?   ☐ Yes   ☐ No

4. Are you currently receiving scholarships or tuition assistance from your employer or other agency?
   ☐ Yes   ☐ No

5. Are you a Veteran?   ☐ Yes   ☐ No

6. What is your immigration status?

   ☐ US Citizen   ☐ US Permanent Resident   ☐ International Student

   ☐ Refugee/Asylum   ☐ Undocumented   ☐ Other: _____

7. Bronx Community College is aware of scholarships that request applicants to self-identify his or her race or ethnicity. Applicants who choose not to provide this information will still be considered. Which of the following race/ethnic categories best describes you? Completion of this question is voluntary and will not affect the review of your application by the Scholarship Committee.

☐ Asian/Pacific Islander ☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native

☐ Black/African American ☐ Native American

☐ Hispanic/Latino ☐ Caucasian

☐ Other _____ ☐ Decline to respond

8. **Academic Honors**:
List membership in honorary societies, prizes and awards, Dean's List, scholarships, etc. (Include dates)

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9. **Participation in college extracurricular activities**: List organization and special activities, offices held, committee responsibilities, etc. (Include dates)

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10. **Volunteer Service**: Include all volunteer work, hobbies, special talents, etc. (Include dates)

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11. **Guidelines and Essay: (Application Deadline is ~~October 6~~, 2023)**:

Extended deadline October 27, 2023

a) Maximum of 750 words. Must be Times New Roman, 12 font size, with 1.5 spacing. Please do not write beyond the maximum. If you need help with your writing of this statement, please visit the Writing Center, Saga Hall- rm 101.

b) Submit an essay describing your background, education, career goals and your interest in and commitment to giving back to your community. Also explain why you should be considered for the Amadou Diallo Memorial scholarship and how receiving the scholarship will help you achieve your academic, personal, and professional goals.

***If you are selected to receive a BCC Foundation Scholarship, you will be required to submit: a photo and a "Thank You" letter to your scholarship donor(s), and you may be invited to attend special events and/or meetings. The funds will be deposited to your CUNYfirst account once the thank-you letter is received. ***

I hereby certify that all the information in this scholarship request form is accurate and complete. I understand that all the information contained in this form will be confidential and will be used for institutional purposes only.

Print Student's Name: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____