

**Springfield Technical Community College
Scholarships and Awards Committee**

JOSEPH J. COOLIGAN AWARD

Applicant **must have graduated** in January 2010 **or be graduating** in May 2010 with a minimum 3.0 QPA.

Presented annually to an STCC graduating senior who best emulates Mr. Cooligan's warmth, caring, and community involvement. Mr. Cooligan served as vice chairman of the Advisory Board of STCC from 1967-1981 and as its chairman in 1979. The award is presented to a student excelling in the areas of community involvement, college activities, and academic achievement.

CRITERIA: (1) Minimum academic QPA of 3.0; (2) College and / or community involvement *stressing needs of others*; (3) College and / or local community reference; (4) Employment while at STCC; (5) Faculty member letter of recommendation; (6) A one or two page essay about your most rewarding community/college service experience.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

SSN or Student ID# _____

PHONE _____ (day) _____ (evening)

Did you graduate in January 2010? Yes _____ No _____
Are you going to graduate in May 2010? Yes _____ No _____

DESCRIBE YOUR COLLEGE SERVICE STRESSING NEEDS OF OTHERS: *Do not include activities that are required as part of your academic program.*

PLEASE ATTACH A LETTER OF REFERENCE FROM A FACULTY OR STAFF ADVISOR FOR EACH OF YOUR CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS.

(Please do not leave any blank spaces. If none, write none.)

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DESCRIBE YOUR COMMUNITY SERVICE STRESSING THE NEEDS OF OTHERS: *Do not list contributions that were required as part of your academic program or those for which you received monetary compensation.*

PLEASE ATTACH A LETTER OF REFERENCE FROM A SUPERVISOR AT EACH OF THE ORGANIZATIONS WHERE YOU DO VOLUNTARY COMMUNITY SERVICE.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY DURING YOUR STCC ENROLLMENT (if any):

Dates	Place of Employment	Title/Description	Hours/Week
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION: Attach to this application an additional letter of recommendation from a faculty member.

ESSAY: Attach to this application your one to two page essay as described above.

The committee reserves the right to ask for supporting documentation. Committee chairs will notify applicants of eligibility and will set up interviews with eligible candidates as required. If selected, I agree to attend the Honors Convocation on Wednesday, June 2, 2010, to receive my award in person.

Applicant's Signature

Date

For More Information, Contact Professor Jill Mendez (755-4301) or Professor Patricia McClure (755-4111)

**Return form & attachments to
Student Activities Office, Building 17, first floor
Deadline is *Friday, March 12, 2010, at 4:00 PM***