2025-26 CSUSB Economics Department Scholarship Application Form

# Introduction and important information

Please complete this form and submit it to Jeffrey Hutchison, Administrative Support Coordinator ([Jeffrey.Hutchison@csusb.edu](mailto:Jeffrey.Hutchison@csusb.edu)), by Thursday, March 27, end of day.

In addition to this form, you must:

* Submit a 250-word typewritten statement of purpose describing your educational/career plans for the first few years after graduation from CSUSB. If you are applying for the John and June Kennedy or Thomas Pierce scholarship, your statement also must address financial need.
* Arrange for one letter of recommendation from a faculty member to be sent to Jeff Hutchison at the email above

A Department Scholarship Committee will evaluate applicants based on the quality of submitted materials, clarity and content of the statement of purpose, and strength of the letter of recommendation. The committee will rank applicants and forward the names of the winners of each scholarship to the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships, who will distribute the funds into students’ accounts prior to the Fall 2025 term.

*Notes*:

1. The statement of purpose is an important part of your application. Please prepare it carefully. Help is available at the CSBS Writing Lab. Appointments should be made early so that you have sufficient time to revise your initial draft statement prior to the application deadline
2. GPA and Economics coursework will be collected by the ASC; it is not your responsibility to do this
3. Letter of recommendation: please request your letter early so your professor has an adequate amount of time to prepare it. The first few weeks of the Spring 2025 semester are the best time to do this
4. If you have questions about the application process, contact Professor Yasemin Dildar ([YDildar@csusb.edu](mailto:YDildar@csusb.edu))

# Scholarship Application

1. For which scholarships do you wish to be considered? Check all that apply.

* Economics Alumni [ ]
* Sean Brunske [ ]
* John and June Kennedy [ ]
* Professor Thomas Pierce [ ]

2. Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

3. Major + Concentration: Click or tap here to enter text.

4. I have attached or copy/pasted my typewritten statement of purpose to this application and certify that I wrote it myself [ ]

5. I have arranged for 1 letter of recommendation to be sent to Jeffrey Hutchison, Economics Department ASC ([Jeffrey.Hutchison@csusb.edu](mailto:Jeffrey.Hutchison@csusb.edu)) Check here when complete: [ ]

6. I understand that alumni of the Economics Department may serve on the Department Scholarship Committee. I authorize those individuals to access my information. [ ]

7. In lieu of signature agreeing to the above statement and certifying the truth and originality of all information in this application, type your full name here: Click or tap here to enter text.