PURPOSE OF THE AWARD

- To support adult women students who are pursuing their academic goals.
- To reduce the student’s amount of loan, work study, or personal/family contribution, and not reduce any college or university grant. The award will equal the cost of tuition and fees for one or more courses up to a maximum of $4000, depending upon the institution attended.

WHO MAY APPLY? A candidate must be –

- female, age 24 or above.
- a resident of one of the 29 towns served by the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving:
  - Andover
  - Avon
  - Bloomfield
  - Bolton
  - Canton
  - East Granby
  - East Hartford
  - East Windsor
  - Enfield
  - Farmington
  - Glastonbury
  - Granby
  - Hartford
  - Hebron
  - Marlborough
  - Manchester
  - Suffield
  - Simsbury
  - Somers
  - South Windsor
  - Stamford
  - Sunnyside
  - Tolland
  - Tolland
  - Vernon
  - West Hartford
  - Wethersfield
  - Windsor
  - Windsor Locks

- matriculated in 2015-2016 as an undergraduate pursuing an AA or a BA/BS degree at one of the following colleges or universities:
  - Asnuntuck Community College
  - Capital Community College
  - Manchester Community College
  - Tunxis Community College
  - Goodwin College
  - Trinity College
  - University of Hartford
  - University of Saint Joseph
  - University of Connecticut
  - Greater Hartford Branch

- enrolled either on a part-time or full-time basis with a GPA of 2.5 or above, and have completed 15 hours or the equivalent of academic work.
- eligible for financial assistance as determined by the 2015 federal Student Aid Report (SAR) and by submission of your federal tax return for 2015.

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION – Academic record, personal statement, faculty recommendation, and financial need are considered in choosing the recipients. An interview is required.

A COMPLETED APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE TWO COPIES OF –

- your completed Town and County scholarship form;
- your personal statement answering questions given on the application form;
- a reference from a faculty member with whom you have had at least one course.
- unofficial transcripts from ALL colleges attended with the last five years;
- copies of BOTH your 2015 federal Student Aid Report (SAR) and your 2015 federal tax return.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED by February 26, 2016 by the Scholarship Committee at the Town and County Club, 22 Woodland Street, Hartford, CT 06105. Applications are available on the websites of the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving, www.hfpgscholarships.org, and the Town and County Club, www.towncounty.com, or by calling the Town and County Club at 860-522-1109. Applicants will be notified after May 1, 2015.

QUESTIONS – Please call and leave a message for the Scholarship Committee at 860-522-1109.

Deadline for receipt of your application: 3:00 PM on February 26, 2016
APPLICATION FOR THE TOWN AND COUNTY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
Hartford Foundation for Public Giving Scholarship Program
2016-2017

Date_____________ First Application______ Renewal_______ (check one)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name________________________________________________________________

Last name First name Middle Initial

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)_____________________________________________

Primary Mailing Address_______________________________________

Number Street Apt. No.

City State Zip Code

Home Telephone No._______________ Cell Telephone Number ________________

Email Address ____________________________________________

EDUCATIONAL RECORD

Current College or University__________________________________________

Part-time_____ or Full-time_____ Anticipated Graduation Date_______________

Current Grade Point Average (GPA)_____ Total Credits Earned To Date____________

At which college will you be enrolled in the fall of 2016?________________________

At which college will you be enrolled in the spring of 2017?_______________________

Other Institutions Previously Attended and Dates of Attendance:

_____________________________________________________________________

_____________________________________________________________________

_____________________________________________________________________
EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME

Present Position______________________ Where?_____________________________________

Part-time_____ or Full-time_______          Work Telephone Number_________________

What was your total family income for 2015?________________________________________

How much educational debt have you accumulated to date?____________________________

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Write a 1-2 page essay that focuses on the following topics. You may include other information you consider pertinent.

- Describe the importance of your education as it relates to your personal and professional goals, and how these goals will benefit the community.
- Describe the qualities you possess that make you a deserving candidate, and include personal history or financial factors that should be considered.

PUBLICITY

The Town and County Club would like permission to announce names of recipients in its official newsletter, other publications and your local newspaper.

_____ Yes, you may release my name.      _____No, you may not release my name.

If “Yes”, the name of your local newspaper________________________________________

The undersigned hereby certifies that the information provided on this application, including attachments, is true to the best of her knowledge and ability.

Signature__________________________________________ Date________________________

Please complete this application and submit two copies of it along with two copies of the following items.

1. Unofficial transcripts from ALL colleges attended within the last five years, and copies of both your recent federal Student Aid Report (SAR) and your 2015 federal tax return.
2. A personal essay (as indicated above), and a reference from a faculty member with whom you have had at least one course.

THESE MATERIALS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 3:00 PM ON FEBRUARY 26, 2016 BY—

The Town and County Club
Attn.: Scholarship Committee
22 Woodland Street
Hartford, CT 06105

If you have questions, please call 860-522-1109, and leave a message for the Scholarship Committee.