



## Michigan Association Scholarship Application

**Deadline:** Submitted on or before **5 PM ET on February 16, 2024**

Only graduating seniors are eligible for this scholarship. Please submit the following: 1) scholarship application; 2) a transcript of grades (minimum 3.0 GPA); and 3) essay. This application **must** be prepared using a typewriter or computer. Handwritten applications will not be accepted.

### **Student Information**

LAST NAME		FIRST NAME		G.P.A.	
CURRENT ADDRESS			CITY		STATE   ZIP CODE
HOME PHONE NUMBER		E-MAIL ADDRESS (non-school email address)			GRADUATION DATE
NAME(S) OF PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN				BPA CHAPTER SCHOOL NAME	
INTENDED COLLEGE				INTENDED COLLEGE MAJOR	

### **Business Professionals of America Information**

**How did you promote Business Professionals of America in your community?**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Company/Organization Contacted</i>	<i>Method of Contact</i>	<i>Event/Activity for Promotion</i>	<i>Response</i>

**What Business Professionals of America community service projects did you participate in?**

<i>Year</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Project Title</i>	<i>Level of Involvement</i>

**List leadership positions held in your Business Professionals of America Chapter.**

<i>Year</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Position</i>

**List Business Professionals of America Awards/Special Recognition earned at RLC, SLC, or NLC.**

<i>Year</i>	<i>Conference</i>	<i>Award/Special Recognition</i>

**Essay**

**Topic and Scope**

Describe how Artificial Intelligence (AI) is reshaping industries, job roles, and the nature of work, including any implications of its ability to provide inaccurate responses/data to a user.

**Instructions**

In an essay of about 500 words (typically two double-spaced pages), please respond directly to the above prompt. Your essay should clearly answer some or all of the questions in the preceding paragraph via one cohesive paper, and should be aligned with the prompt. Additionally, your essay should meet the following guidelines:

- Between 450 and 600 words
- 1" margins on all sides
- Times New Roman 12 pt typeface
- No title page necessary
- Double-spaced
- Typed; handwritten essays will not be accepted
- Cite at least three sources in making your argument, using APA or MLA style
- The use of Artificial Intelligence resources is strictly prohibited. Use of such resources either with or without citation will result in disqualification of the application.
- No attachments or appendices allowed, with the exception of a reference list as appropriate
- Proofread multiple times, and free of all spelling, grammar, and formatting errors

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- If selected, each scholarship recipient must submit a certified copy of his or her college registration/course schedule to Business Professionals of America-Michigan Association. After receiving this documentation of enrollment, BPA will send the scholarship money directly to the college or university.
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Scholarship recipients may be announced at the Annual Michigan Association Business Professionals of America State Leadership Conference. This scholarship is available to dues-paid

members of Business Professionals of America only. Membership status will be verified prior to review of this application.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

It is the policy of Business Professionals of America, Michigan Association that diversity is a fundamental part of the world of business and industry, and enriches the experiences of our student members as they prepare for successful careers. Therefore, no person shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination during any program or activity, or in employment, on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, marital status, veteran status, religion, sex, pregnancy, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, or disability.

**Submission instructions:**

Email this application along with all required documentation in one PDF to [info@michiganbpa.org](mailto:info@michiganbpa.org). All information must be received on or before **5 PM ET on February 16, 2024**.