

## OFFICIAL RULES

NO PURCHASE IS NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCE OF WINNING. THIS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM IS VOID WHERE PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED BY LAW.

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** The University of Arizona Global Campus-Rio Salado Partnership Scholarship Program – Faculty & Staff Scholarship (the “Scholarship Program”) is open only to the following: Current full-time (residential, non-adjunct) Rio Salado Community College faculty and/or staff members with a minimum of an associate degree earned from a U.S. Department of Education recognized accredited institution and have met UAGC Admission Requirements for the selected program. All federal, state and local rules and regulations apply. Void where prohibited or restricted by law.

2. **HOW TO ENTER:** The Scholarship Program starts on October 11, 2021 and ends at 11:59 pm (Pacific Time) on December 10, 2021 (the “Entry Period”). Winners will be announced by January 31, 2022 (the “Winner Announcement Date”). The Scholarship Program is subject to these official rules (“Official Rules”). By entering, all applicants (“Applicants”) agree to be bound by the terms and conditions set forth in these Official Rules. Certain restrictions may apply. To enter, visit The UAGC – Rio Salado Partnership Scholarships website during the Entry Period and follow the entry instructions. Applicants will be required to submit via The University of Arizona Global Campus-Rio Salado Faculty & Staff Scholarship Application (the “Application”) including the essay for evaluation by the scholarship committee. The University of Arizona Global Campus computer will be the official time clock for the program. Entries will not be acknowledged or returned. In the event of a dispute as to the ownership of an entry, the authorized account holder of the email address used to submit an entry will be deemed to be the Applicant. The “authorized account holder” is the natural person assigned an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted address. The potential winner may be required to show proof of being the authorized account holder. There is a limit of one entry per person and per email address. **APPLICANTS WHO SUBMIT MULTIPLE ENTRIES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 11:59 PM (Pacific Time) ON THE LAST DAY OF THE ENTRY PERIOD TO BE ELIGIBLE.** When you apply for the Scholarship Program, you may be asked to consent to receive promotional emails and reminders for promotions and information about online education. Consenting to receive such emails is optional and is not a requirement for participation in the Scholarship Program and does not improve your chances of winning. Entry must be made by the Applicant only via the Application. Entries made by any other individual or any entity and/or originating at any other Internet website or email address will be void. The use of any device, hardware and/or computer software to automate the entry process is prohibited.

3. **ESSAY GUIDELINES:** Essay entries must be written in English. The essay must comply with the following guidelines: (a) the essay (including the copyright in the essay) must be owned by the Applicant; (b) the essay must not previously have been distributed publicly or won any award; (c) the essay must not contain any material that would violate or infringe upon the rights of any third party, including without limitation copyrights, trademarks or rights of privacy or publicity, or that is defamatory, threatening, indecent, obscene or offensive, or that is unlawful, in violation of or contrary to any applicable laws or regulations, or which requires a license from any third party; (d) the essay must not contain any material that UAGC, in their discretion, deems inappropriate for public viewing; and (e) the essay must be original and have been created solely by the Applicant. In the event of an actual or apparent violation of these guidelines, UAGC reserves the

right in its sole discretion to take such action as it deems appropriate with respect to the essay in question, if any, including without limitation amending and/or altering the essay to make the essay compliant or disqualifying and/or not submitting the essay to the scholarship committee.

4. WINNER SELECTION: A total of up to two (2) winners will be selected by the UAGC-Rio Salado Scholarship Committee (the "Judges"), by January 31, 2022. The Judges' decisions are final and binding in all respects.

5. WINNER VERIFICATION AND NOTIFICATION: Potential winners are subject to verification. The potential winners will be notified by the UAGC-Rio Salado Scholarship Committee by phone and email, by January 31, 2022. If a potential winner is unreachable by phone after reasonable attempts have been made to contact such potential winner during a period of seven (7) business days, or if a notification is returned as undeliverable, the potential winner may be disqualified. The potential winner will be required to complete and return an Affidavit of Eligibility and Release within ten (10) days of receipt. Failure to sign and return all required documents within the specified time period will result in forfeiture and disqualification of the potential winner and an alternate winner may be selected.

6. SCHOLARSHIP: A total of up to two (2) scholarships will be awarded. The award consists of: (a) full program tuition (Bachelor's Master's, or Doctoral), (b) books and CDM credit for the entire program, (c) Technology Fee waiver for the entire program, and (d) Graduation Fee waiver for the pursuit of an online degree from the University of Arizona Global Campus. Additional program-specific fees may be the responsibility of the Winners. Receipt and use of the scholarship is subject to all policies, restrictions and conditions imposed by UAGC as set forth in the UAGC University Catalog, including without limitation all UAGC admission requirements. ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES, AND ANY OTHER COSTS AND EXPENSES, ASSOCIATED WITH THE RECEIPT OR USE OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH WINNER. The scholarships are awarded WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, express or implied, without limitation. If a Winner chooses not to accept his/her scholarship, an alternate winner may be chosen. The approximate retail value of the scholarship will vary depending on the UAGC tuition rate, program level, and specific degree program but is expected to be between \$22,150.00 and \$76,964.00. Any taxes on the scholarship value are the sole responsibility of the winner. Scholarships consist only of items expressly specified in these rules. Any costs or expenses associated with the acceptance or use of any scholarship (including, without limitation, books and all other fees) are the responsibility of the winner. No substitution or transfer of the scholarship or the right to receive the scholarship is permitted, except that UAGC may in its discretion substitute for any scholarship an alternate scholarship of equal or greater value.

7. CONDITIONS OF SCHOLARSHIP: The scholarship award will be granted to the Winners in the form of a non-cash credit to UAGC, and no check or cash payments will be given and/or refunded to any Winner at any time. Alternate recognition may be provided to any Winner with 100% tuition coverage. Winners must enroll in their program of choice within 60 calendar days following the award date or forfeit the scholarship award. Scholarship recipients who do not meet the attendance requirements as defined by the applicable degree program, will forfeit the scholarship award. Scholarship recipients found to be in violation of the Student Community Standards at any time during their enrollment with the University of Arizona Global Campus risk revocation of any scholarship awarded, at the sole discretion of the University of Arizona Global Campus. Receipt and use of the scholarship is subject to all policies, restrictions and conditions imposed by UAGC as set forth in the University of Arizona Global Campus Academic Catalog, including without limitation the University of Arizona Global Campus admission requirements, Satisfactory

Academic Progress, and Attendance. The scholarship recipients must remain continuously enrolled or on an approved academic leave during his/her enrollment to maintain scholarship eligibility. Scholarship recipients who are out of attendance greater than 365 consecutive days will forfeit the scholarship award.

8. GRANT OF RIGHTS: Entry constitutes an irrevocable grant of permission to UAGC and its parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, promotional partners and agents, and those they may designate from time to time, (all of the foregoing, the "Program Entities"), to use the Applicant's name, voice, likeness and city and state of residence, and the essay submitted by the Applicant, including without limitation modifying, altering, excerpting or amending the essay, alone and/or separately and/or in combination with other material of any kind or nature (including without limitation a fictitious name and fictitious biographical material), for purposes of publicity or promotion and any other purpose, in all media and formats whether now known or later developed, throughout the world in perpetuity, without any additional notice or compensation (except where prohibited by law). Without limitation of the foregoing, by entering the program, each Applicant agrees that the University of Arizona Global Campus is permitted to display her/his submitted essay, name and biographical information online for public viewing and comment. Applicants may be required to execute such releases, assignments of rights and other documentation as Sponsor requires with respect to the Applicant's submitted essay.

9. GENERAL RULES: All Applicants release all of the Program Entities, and all others associated with the development and execution of this Scholarship Program, from any and all claims and liabilities arising from or in connection with participation in this Scholarship Program, the delivery, non-delivery, acceptance or use of any scholarship and/or the use of the Applicant's submitted essay and application as permitted hereunder, including without limitation claims for injury, death, loss or damage of any kind. This Scholarship Program is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations. The University of Arizona Global Campus is not responsible for lost, late, illegible, incomplete, damaged, corrupted, mutilated, misdirected, misdelivered, undelivered, blocked or delayed entries or other communications, or for technical or human errors, delays or failures of any kind in connection with the submission, transmission, processing, storage or judging of entries, including without limitation any malfunctions or failures of computer hardware, computer software, networks or telephone equipment, any data loss or corruption, or any technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any website or any combination thereof. The University of Arizona Global Campus reserves the right to cancel, suspend and/or modify the Scholarship Program, or any part of it, if any fraud, technical failures or any other factor beyond the University of Arizona Global Campus reasonable control impairs the integrity or proper functioning of the Scholarship Program or if for any reason this program may not be conducted as planned, as determined by the University of Arizona Global Campus in its sole discretion. In the event of cancellation, suspension or modification of the Scholarship Program, a notice will be posted online. By participating in the Scholarship Program, each Applicant certifies that the essay submitted by the Applicant is original and was created solely by the Applicant, is owned by the Applicant, has not been previously published or won any award, and does not contain any material that would violate or infringe upon the rights of any third party, including without limitation copyrights, trademarks or rights of privacy or publicity. The University of Arizona Global Campus' failure to enforce any term of these Official Rules shall not constitute a waiver of that provision. The Program Entities will not be liable to any Applicant or any other person for failure to supply any scholarship or any part thereof, by reason of any acts of God, any action(s), regulation(s), order(s), or request(s) by any governmental or quasi-governmental entity (whether or not the action(s), regulation(s), order(s) or request(s) prove(s) to be invalid),

equipment failure, terrorist acts, earthquake, war, fire, flood, explosion, unusually severe weather, hurricane, embargo, labor dispute or strike (whether legal or illegal), labor or material shortage, transportation interruption of any kind, work slow-down, civil disturbance, insurrection, riot, or any other cause beyond the control of the Program Entities. Applicants acknowledge that the Program Entities have neither made nor are in any manner responsible for any warranty, representation or guarantee, expressed or implied, in fact or in law, related to the scholarship award. CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT BY AN APPLICANT TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE ANY WEBSITE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM IS A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND/OR CIVIL LAWS AND SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA GLOBAL CAMPUS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES AND OTHER REMEDIES FROM ANY SUCH PERSON TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW. Without limitation of the foregoing, the University of Arizona Global Campus reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual Applicant who tampers with the entry process. The University of Arizona Global Campus is not responsible for any typographical or other error in the printing or communication of the offer, administration of the Scholarship Program, or in the announcement of the scholarship or the winners. Each Applicant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Program Entities from and against any and all claims, liabilities and damages of any kind or nature, including without limitation any copyright infringement claim or claim of violation of the right of privacy or publicity, based, in whole or in part, on the use by any of them of the Applicant's essay or the Applicant's name, voice, likeness or biographical information as permitted hereunder.

10. PERSONAL INFORMATION: Information collected via the Application shall be subject to the University of Arizona Global Campus' privacy policy, which can be viewed at <https://www.uagc.edu/privacy/>. Applicants acknowledge that representatives of the University of Arizona Global Campus may contact them about enrollment opportunities at the University of Arizona Global Campus and/or may contact Applicants with future communications and offers.

11. WINNER LIST: For an official winner list, (available after the Winner Announcement Date) or a copy of these Official Rules, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to the University of Arizona Global Campus-Rio Salado Partnership Scholarship Program – Faculty & Staff Scholarship, 8620 Spectrum Center Blvd, San Diego, CA 92123. Winner list requests made more than ninety (90) days after the selection date will not be honored.

12. DISPUTES: This program is governed by the laws of the State of Arizona without giving effect to conflict of law doctrines. As a condition of participating in this program, each Applicant agrees that any and all disputes that cannot be resolved between the parties, and causes of action arising out of or in connection with this program, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, exclusively before a court located in the State of Arizona having jurisdiction, unless otherwise provided in agreements between the Applicant and the University of Arizona Global Campus. Further, in any such dispute, under no circumstances will any Applicant be permitted to obtain an award of, and hereby waive all rights to claim punitive, incidental or consequential damages, including attorneys' fees, other than participant's actual out-of-pocket expenses (e.g. costs associated with entering), and each Applicant further waives all rights to have damages multiplied or increased.