

**OCEAN COUNTY COLLEGE FOUNDATION**  
**Scholarship Application DEADLINE: October 3, 2019**  
**EXPERIENCE COSTA RICA**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
County: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

Freshman:  GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sophomore:  GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Major/Area of Concentration:  
\_\_\_\_\_

*Ideal applicants must be enrolled full-time OCC students with a GPA of 2.75 or better and must be Ocean County residents.*

**NOTE: Foundation Scholarships require completion of the 2019-20 financial aid form (FAFSA).**

FAFSA Completed:  Yes  No School Year \_\_\_\_\_ FAFSA Filed Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  
Receiving Financial Aid:  Yes  No If yes, amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach:**

- (1) a letter of recommendation**
- (2) a copy of your NJ Driver's License verifying Ocean County residency**
- (3) your original essay outlining your academic goals and career plans, including a statement of how this scholarship and the Experience Costa Rica will benefit you, your academic program, and your future.**

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the information on this application is true and accurate. I authorize Ocean County College to release admission, enrollment, and academic transcripts to the Scholarship Committee or Foundation Office, or designee to determine my eligibility. I authorize release of my name, year in school, and program of study for public dissemination of the award of a scholarship.

I understand that if a scholarship is awarded for the Experience Costa Rica – it is not renewable. I also understand that if I do not receive a passing grade for the Travel Seminar course, I will need to repay my scholarship award.

I understand that the OCC Foundation will not grant a scholarship if I receive financial aid that fully funds my educational expenses (excluding loans).

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

**\*Ideal applicant:** Must be a *currently enrolled full-time* Ocean County College degree-seeking student and a resident of Ocean County and have a 2.75 GPA or better. *Others may submit an application to be considered for the award.*

**Return this application to** Janice Sheridan, Gateway Building, Room 309.  
Ocean County College, P. O. Box 2001, Toms River, NJ 08754  
Scholarship recipients will be notified of the outcome of their applications by email or phone.  
**For additional information, contact your trip advisor.**  
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