MTSU Department of Accounting
2018 Scholarship and Award Criteria

GPA is determined using the “Inclusive MTSU GPA.”

Accounting Alumni Appreciation Day Outstanding Senior Award
Purpose: Awarded to the Accounting major meeting the criterion with Senior standing and the highest GPA
Scholarship Amount: To be determined annually
Class Standing: Senior standing during spring semester 2018
Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible
Major area of concentration: Accounting
GPA minimum: Highest GPA
Scholarship Selection: Scholarship to be awarded to the Accounting major with Senior standing taking 4000-level accounting courses who has the highest GPA and plans to continue their education at MTSU. In case of a tie, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Award Committee will determine the recipient(s) at their discretion and all decisions of the committee are final. **No scholarship application is required to be considered for this award.**

Accounting Alumni Appreciation Day Outstanding Junior Award
Purpose: Awarded to the Accounting major meeting the criterion with Junior standing and the highest GPA
Scholarship Amount: To be determined annually
Class Standing: Junior standing during spring semester 2018
Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible
Major area of concentration: Accounting
GPA minimum: Highest GPA
Scholarship Selection: Scholarship to be awarded to the Accounting major with Junior standing taking 3000-level accounting courses who has the highest GPA and plans to continue their education at MTSU. In case of a tie, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Award Committee will determine the recipient(s) at their discretion and all decisions
of the committee are final. **No scholarship application is required to be considered for this award.**

**Accounting Alumni Appreciation Day Service Award**

**Purpose:** Awarded to the Beta Alpha Psi member who has provided the most significant service to the Beta Alpha Psi organization.

**Scholarship Amount:** To be determined annually

**Class Standing:** Junior, Senior, or MAcc Student

**Residency:** Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

**Major area of concentration:** Accounting

**GPA minimum:** 3.00

**Other requirements:** None

**Scholarship Selection:** The MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee selection based on recommendations from faculty members. **No scholarship application is required to be considered for this award.**

**Accounting Alumni Appreciation Day MAcc Scholarship**

**Purpose:** Provide financial assistance to qualifying MTSU undergraduate students and alumni, of various backgrounds, who wish to pursue a Master of Accountancy degree at MTSU.

**Scholarship amount:** To be determined annually

**Class Standing:** Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

**Residency:** Tennessee students eligible

**Major area of concentration:** Accounting (graduate work)

**GPA minimum:** 3.00 overall

**Other requirements:** Intend to pursue a Master of Accountancy degree at MTSU, enrolling in the MAcc program during the next academic year. Undergraduate degree must have been received from MTSU.

**Scholarship Selection:** After review of all Alumni Day MAcc Scholarship applications, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee will select the scholarship recipient(s).
Accounting Excellence Emerging Professional Award

Purpose: Provide financial assistance to qualifying MTSU Accounting majors.

Scholarship Amount: The number of $500 scholarships will vary based on the applicant pool and the amount of available annual funds.

Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

Major area of concentration: Accounting

Criteria: Must have earned at least a “B” (3.00) in ACTG 2110 at MTSU within the past calendar year. Must be enrolled in ACTG 2125 or an upper-level accounting course and have declared Accounting as major.

Other Requirements: One reference letter from an MTSU Accounting Professor teaching ACTG 2125 or a higher level accounting course. Other leadership and service activities considered. Special consideration for members of the Tennessee Society of CPAs.

Scholarship Selection: After review of all Accounting Excellence Emerging Professional Award applications, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee will select the scholarship recipient(s).

Crowe Horwath Outstanding Junior Scholarship

Purpose: Provide financial assistance to qualifying junior students entering senior year.

Class Standing: Junior entering Senior year

Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

Major area of concentration: Accounting

GPA minimum: Accounting and overall GPA 3.30

Other requirements: Exhibits leadership skills, graduate of U.S. high school
Institute of Internal Auditors (Nashville Chapter) Scholarship

Purpose: Provide financial assistance to qualifying MTSU Accounting majors.

Scholarship Amount: To be determined annually

Class Standing: Undergraduate or Graduate student

Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

Major area of concentration: Accounting

GPA minimum: 2.80 overall

Other requirements: Full-time undergraduate or graduate student, Accounting major, strong interest in Internal Auditing.

Scholarship Selection: After a review of all the Institute of Internal Auditors Scholarship applications, and recommendations from the MTSU Accounting Faculty, the Nashville Chapter of Internal Auditors will select the scholarship recipient.

E.W. (Wink) Midgett Scholarship

Purpose: Provide financial assistance to qualifying students pursuing, or intending to pursue, a BBA degree in Accounting at MTSU who demonstrate financial need.

Scholarship Amount: To be determined annually

Class Standing: Rising Sophomore, Junior or Senior

Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible

Major area of concentration: Accounting

GPA minimum: 3.00 in major and 2.50 overall

Other requirements: Completed ACTG 3110 - Intermediate Accounting I

Application must include a statement of financial need.

Scholarship Selection: After review of all Wink Midgett Scholarship applications, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee will select the scholarship recipient.

Bill and Linda Mooningham Scholarship

Purpose: Recognizes and provides financial assistance to a current or prospective accounting student, who possesses and demonstrates outstanding
leadership qualities with a minimum 2.80 GPA. The $1,000 award is renewable for seven semesters if the recipient makes continuous progress toward his/her Accounting degree.

Class Standing: Rising sophomore, junior or senior
Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible
Major area of concentration: Accounting
GPA minimum: 2.80 overall
Other requirements: Recognized financial need. Application must include a statement of financial need.

Scholarship Selection: After review of all Bill and Linda Mooningham Scholarship applications, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee will select the scholarship recipient.

W. Wallace Robertson Accounting Scholarship
Purpose: Provide financial assistance to qualifying students currently pursuing a BBA degree in Accounting at MTSU.
Scholarship Amount: To be determined annually – multiple scholarships will be awarded
Class Standing: Sophomore entering junior year
Residency: Tennessee and Out-of-state students eligible
Major Area of concentration: Accounting
GPA minimum: 3.25 overall
Other requirements: Recipients must have completed ECON 2410, ECON 2420, BIA 2610 and ACTG 2110 (all with a minimum grade of C). Must be admitted to the College of Business. Considerations include academic performance, non-academic activities, leadership, and financial need.

Scholarship Selection: After review of all W. Wallace Robertson Scholarship applications, the MTSU Accounting Department Scholarship and Awards Committee will select the scholarship recipients and the level of scholarship each will receive.