

WWDC Scholarship Guidelines and Terms

Overview

To be considered for a WWDC 2015 Scholarship, create an app that showcases your creativity and skills. Here's some information to help you prepare for your scholarship application.

1. Creating an App

Use your creativity and coding skills to build an app that tells us about you. Your app should highlight development projects you've worked on, your educational and professional background, technical skills, and interests.

App Requirements

- Create a Mac or iOS app that highlights your accomplishments and interests.
- Write your app with Objective-C and Swift, or entirely with Swift, using Xcode 6.3 from the Mac App Store.
- Use your first and last name as the app name.
- Your app must build without errors.
- All app content must be in English.

Submission Requirements

- Upload three screenshots of your app as .png files (20 MB max per file).
- Package your Xcode project in a .zip file (100 MB max). Make sure to include all of the files that your Xcode project needs.

2. Confirming Your Enrollment or Membership

If you're a student, you will need to provide a PDF copy of your current class schedule or other current proof of enrollment, and your dean or principal's contact information to verify enrollment at your school. If you're a member or alumni of a listed STEM organization, you will need to provide a PDF copy of your membership information or information that we can use to verify your membership, such as the location of your local branch and the branch leader's name.

3. Uploading Your Résumé or CV (optional)

If you're 18 years of age or older and wish to share your résumé or CV with other groups at Apple, you will have the opportunity to upload a PDF copy. Providing your résumé or CV will not affect the WWDC 2015 Scholarship selection process.

Important Notes

You can submit your scholarship application Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. PDT until Sunday, April 26, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. PDT. All applicants will be notified of their status by Friday, May 8, 2015.

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Deadlines

Scholarship applications are due by Sunday, April 26, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. PDT. Apple is not responsible for lost or late applications, or for electronic transmission errors, regardless of cause. All applicants will be notified of their status by Friday, May 8, 2015.

Submission Requirements

You must complete all required fields on the scholarship application form, create and upload an iOS app or a Mac app with the related Xcode project file and screenshots. Your app should highlight development projects you've worked on, your educational background, technical skills and interests, and any other information you might include as part of your resume or CV. Your app must be written with Objective-C and Swift, or entirely with Swift. The content of your app must be in English. If you are a student, you will need to provide a PDF copy of your current class schedule or other current proof of enrollment, and your dean or principal's contact information to verify enrollment at your school. If you are a member or alumni of a listed STEM organization, you will need to provide a PDF copy of your membership information or information that we can use to verify your membership, such as the location of your local branch and the branch leader's name.

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible to apply for a WWDC 2015 Scholarship, you must be either 18 years of age or older and registered for free as an Apple developer, or you must have permission to be sharing a Registered Apple Developer account with your parent or guardian if you are between the ages of 13 and 17.

You must also be enrolled part-time or full-time in a course of study, or be a member or alumni of one of the listed STEM organizations.

Void where prohibited by law. Eligibility is subject to verification by Apple and you agree to cooperate with Apple to provide information about your educational status and membership status. Employees of Apple Inc., their affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotion agencies, and their immediate family members and/or those living in same household of each are not eligible.

Scholarships

Each developer selected for a WWDC 2015 Scholarship will receive a WWDC 2015 ticket free of charge that entitles the developer to attend WWDC 2015, held between June 8 and June 12, 2015 in San Francisco, California USA. Up to three hundred and fifty (350) scholarships will be awarded at Apple's sole discretion. Only one ticket will be awarded per applicant. Tickets are non-transferable and may not be sold, resold, bartered, auctioned or exchanged for other goods, services or benefits. Attendees must agree to the WWDC Registration and Attendance Policy to attend WWDC. There will be no substitution of awards and no cash awarded in lieu of the WWDC 2015 ticket. All applicable taxes are the sole responsibility of the scholarship recipient. Travel and accommodation expenses may be covered by Apple at Apple's sole discretion. All other expenses are not reimbursable by Apple and are the sole responsibility of the recipient. No other transportation will be provided to attend WWDC. Scholarship

recipients who are between the ages of 13 and 17 and who receive coverage for travel and accommodation by Apple (if provided in Apple's sole discretion) will be required to have a parent or guardian accompany them to WWDC, unless otherwise permitted by Apple in writing. Attendance at certain WWDC events may be limited for attendees under 18 years of age.

Judging

Submissions will be judged on technical accomplishment, creativity of ideas, and technical/work experience displayed in the app. If there is a tie between applicants in the final judging process, Apple will base its final decision on the creativity of ideas expressed in the app.

General Terms

All federal, state, and local laws and regulations apply. By applying for a WWDC 2015 Scholarship, you agree to hold Apple and its directors, officers, employees and assigns, harmless against any and all claims and liability arising out of your application and/or acceptance of the WWDC 2015 Scholarship. You assume all liability for any injury or damage caused, or claimed to be caused, by participation in this program or use/redemption of the WWDC 2015 Scholarship. You agree to be bound by these terms and conditions and the decisions of the judges, which are final in all respects. You agree that Apple shall not be responsible for any typographical or other errors in the administration of the WWDC 2015 Scholarship program. By accepting the scholarship and attending WWDC, you grant permission to Apple and its agents to use your name, voice, image and/or likeness for any purpose without further compensation to you (unless prohibited by law).

App Submission Requirements

All apps submitted must comply with the applicable iOS or Mac Program Requirements available at: https://developer.apple.com/programs/ios/information/index.html and https://developer.apple.com/programs/mac/information/index.html, respectively.

Information Submitted to Apple Not Deemed Confidential

Apple works with many application and software developers and some of their products may be similar to or compete with the app you submit. Apple may also be developing its own similar or competing apps, products or services or may decide to do so in the future. To avoid potential misunderstandings, Apple cannot agree, and expressly disclaims, any confidentiality obligations or use restrictions, express or implied, with respect to your app or any information that you provide in connection with your scholarship application ("Applicant Disclosures"). You agree that all such Applicant Disclosures will be non-confidential. Submitting an app as part of this scholarship application does not grant Apple any ownership interest in your app, and you retain your rights in your app.

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