



## The Southpointe CEO Association Leadership Scholarship Program

The Southpointe CEO Association (SPCEOA) is encouraging leadership development in business, community and education by awarding two \$5,000 scholarships to individuals who have demonstrated excellence in leadership. The scholarship program is open to individuals who are employees, or dependents of employees, of SPCEOA member organizations and reside in Washington County. The scholarships are awarded in honor of Jack B. Piatt, Founder and Chairman of Millcraft Investments and Founder of the Southpointe CEO Association.

The SPCEOA aims to provide support to those who seek to make a positive impact in the Washington County community through the completion of a college, post-secondary or technical degree. By recognizing persons who strive to improve their leadership skills and achieve higher levels of education, these scholarships will help to make those dreams a reality.

### Eligibility Criteria

- The SPCEO Scholarship Program is open to anyone attending a college, post-secondary or technical school in the 2019-20 academic year.
- Applicants must be a current employee (or dependent of an employee) of a member organization of the Southpointe CEO Association. All members of the Washington Chamber of Commerce who have a business located in Southpointe or conduct business in Southpointe are also considered members of the Southpointe CEO Association and are eligible to apply.
- Applicants must reside in Washington County.

### Application Criteria

- Submit an essay (1,000 words or less) on the topic below:  
*Explain what you plan to study and the importance of your chosen major in today's workforce. How do you plan to be a leader in your field?*
- Submit a cover letter for your essay and include the following:
  - Contact information
  - How you are connected to a member organization
  - What institution you attend/plan to attend
- Submit two professional letters of reference.
- Prospective students: Submit a copy of your high school academic transcript and copy of acceptance letter to the institution you plan to attend.
- Current College/Graduate/Technical Students: Submit a copy of your academic transcript or most recent report card.

**Deadline:** Tuesday, April 30, 2019 by 4:00 p.m. EST (no exceptions). Applications postmarked or emails after this date/time will not be considered. Awards will be announced mid-May 2019.

**Submit application materials to:** Will Thomeier at [will@washcochamber.com](mailto:will@washcochamber.com) or by mail to Southpointe CEO Association, 375 Southpointe Boulevard, Suite 240, Canonsburg, PA 15317.