MICHIGAN ACCOUNTANCY FOUNDATION

GRANT REQUEST GUIDELINES

The Michigan Accountancy Foundation's (MAF) mission is Attracting, Inspiring and Supporting Future Generations of CPAs. Its vision is to help grow a thriving, diverse accounting profession, enriched by a continuous influx of talented individuals from various backgrounds. We envision a future where the CPA profession is a top career choice for young students, recognized for its critical role in maintaining fiscal responsibility and public trust. Our commitment is to create a pipeline of well-educated, licensed CPAs who are equipped to navigate and lead through the evolving landscape of the accounting profession.

The Michigan Accountancy Foundation (MAF) is accepting proposals for full or partial funding of a project or program designed to attract, inspire or support future generations of CPAs. Up to $10,000 may be awarded per project.

Requestors must complete the Program Funding Request Application and include a one-page budget document that provides a line-item detail of all expenses related to the specific funding request.

Additionally, requestors may also submit any combination of the following to help support the submission. Materials must be formatted to a layout of 8 ½" x 11":

- A Word document not to exceed three pages in length, double spaced
- A PowerPoint presentation not to exceed 10 slides
- An Excel file not to exceed two pages (8 ½ x 11)

The MAF Board of Trustees may contact requestors with questions or for additional information.

Overriding principles that will apply in evaluating the funding of projects:

- Project must be consistent with the MAF mission and vision (see above)
- Project must be specific and measurable
- Projects that demonstrate sustainability beyond the funding year and/or are replicable will be given priority
- Projects could relate to the National Pipeline Advisory Group's recommendations
- Application should not be for capital projects (i.e. funding for software or classroom supplies)

Deadline for submission: January 31, 2027 | Requestors will be notified in April 2027

Return completed applications to: MAF@micpa.org

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For MAF Use Only	
Date Received:	
Date Reviewed:	
Grant Approved:	☐ Y ☐ N
Amount Granted:	

PROGRAM FUNDING REQUEST APPLICATION

Applications are due Friday, January 31, 2027
Email your completed form and budget worksheet, along with any supporting material to maf@micpa.org

All information requested in this funding request form is required to be completed in full prior to the submission to the Michigan Accountancy Foundation (MAF) Board of Trustees for their consideration. Support material may be included with this application but may not exceed the requirements set in the guidelines.
Failure to comply with the guidelines will void this request for consideration by the MAF Board of Trustees.

Program Name:	**Proposed Program Date:**
Requestor Name:	**Requestor Email:**
Requestor Phone #:	**Funding Request: $**
Expected Grant Expenditure Months:	

☐ I understand that all funding requests are reviewed on a cycle and if my request is approved it is only for the term specified in this application. I will need to submit an additional request for funds outside of the specified term.

Term of Request	June 1, 2027 – May 31, 2028
Project Description (5,000 character limit)	

Deliverables (2,500 character limit)

Schedule/Timeline (1,200 character limit)

Success Metrics for Program Evaluation/Assessment (1,500 character limit)

Anticipated Audience Impact (1,000 character limit)

President, MAF	Date	Treasurer, MAF	Date