

Chicago Police and Fire Departments Tuition Scholarship Program

“This partnership is a perfect example of the higher education community reaching out to work with our residents. Together, we can work to prepare them to succeed in today’s increasingly technologically oriented society.”

— Mayor Richard M. Daley

In honor of the Chicago police and fire departments’ dedicated leadership and service to the City of Chicago, **Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT)** is offering \$15,000 annual scholarships to the children and grandchildren of members of the Chicago Police Department and Chicago Fire Department.

To be considered for a \$15,000 scholarship, candidates must qualify for undergraduate admission to Illinois Institute of Technology as either a first-year or transfer student and be:

- Children/grandchildren of a currently active, sworn member of either department, or former officer, firefighter, or paramedic from either department in good standing
- Children/grandchildren of a fallen officer, firefighter, or paramedic*

Recipients of the scholarship must complete a certification form and have it authorized by the designated official from the Chicago police or fire department.

An eligible student is guaranteed a four-year (or five-year, for the College of Architecture) scholarship in the annual amount of \$15,000 provided he or she is enrolled full-time and makes satisfactory academic progress.

*Where parents have lost their lives in service to the City of Chicago, IIT will provide additional financial assistance to children beyond the \$15,000 scholarship. This includes additional financial support up to full tuition after federal and state grants and loans have been applied, when the family’s adjusted gross income is less than \$40,000.

If you have any questions about the scholarship or application to IIT for Fall 2011, please contact Tanya Cabrera, Associate Director, in the Office of Undergraduate Admission at 312.567.6943 or tcabrera@iit.edu.

For more information about the Chicago Police and Fire Departments Scholarship Program, visit **iit.edu/undergrad_admission**



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