2014-2015 Scholarship Guidelines
Professional Development in Gerontology Certificate (PDGC)

SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS
Presently there are three types of scholarships available. The Cobb Senior Citizen Council Scholarships are available to those who work or reside in Cobb County. The other scholarships are not restricted in terms of county residency. In addition to the three scholarships below, we have a limited number of scholarships available for $325.

- The Rosalie Andrews Memorial Scholarship - Donated by Cheryll Schramm – Two for $325 available each year
- Jeanne A. Cook Memorial Scholarship – Donated by the YMCA Kickers – One full scholarship each year.
- Senior Citizen Council of Cobb County Scholarship – Some scholarships available each year for Cobb County Residents and those who work in Cobb County

*For the 2014-15 class- we have a limited number of scholarships available for $325.

Awarded scholarships will be applied to the tuition and all course materials. Textbooks are to be purchased separately through KSU Center Bookstore.

SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS
- Possess a high school diploma or equivalent
- Demonstrate a commitment to the field of gerontology and work with older adults
- Show a commitment to completing the 9 month program
- Demonstrate leadership skills through participation in community service, extracurricular, and/or other activities related to aging.

STUDENT STATEMENT AND TWO RECOMMENDATIONS
- Write a short essay (200-300 words) that addresses your unique qualifications for receiving this award including experience in and dedication to the field of gerontology Send statement with two recommendations from individuals who know you and who work in the field of aging. They can be your supervisor and others who work with you.

DEADLINES
- Applications for the PDGC 2014-15 program must be received by August 13, 2014. Send scholarship application and essay to: Kennesaw State University, College of Continuing and Professional Education, 3333 Busbee Drive, #3301, Kennesaw, GA 30144
- You may send by e-mail to cgree101@kennesaw.edu and attach the required materials.

For questions or additional information, call 470-578-3340
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Professional Development in Gerontology Certificate (PDGC)
2014--2015

Name: ________________________________________________________________________

Home Address: ________________________________________________________________
County _____________________________________________________________
City          State       Zip

Employing Organization: _______________________________________________________

Job Title _____________________________________________________________

Organization’s Address: _________________________________________________________
City          State       Zip

Phone: W:__________________H:____________________   Cell:______________________

E-mail: _________________________________________________________________

Supervisor’s Name and E-mail address: _______________________________________

Scholarship for Which You Are Applying:     Rosalie Andrews Memorial Scholarship
                                           Jeanne A. Cook Memorial Scholarship
                                           Cobb Senior Citizen Council Scholarship
                                           other (limited CAREing Center Scholarship)

If I am awarded this scholarship, I understand and affirm the following:
I will attend every class and follow through in a timely manner with all class requirements. I understand if I am awarded the scholarship, I will be asked to send a thank you note to the donor. All information will be treated confidentially and used only for consideration by the Scholarship Committee.

Student’s Signature       Date