**Thank you for your assistance in marketing the 2019 EACE Diversity & Inclusion Scholarship!**

Included in this toolkit you will find:

• A marketing timeline

• Email templates for faculty, staff and graduate students

• A campus announcement template

• Social media templates

Please also utilize the marketing materials listed below which can be found on the EACE website at: [**http://www.eace.org/scholarships**](http://www.eace.org/scholarships)

• EACE D&I Scholarship 2019 Flyer

• EACE D&I Scholarship Logo

If you have any questions about the EACE Diversity & Inclusion Scholarship or the marketing toolkit please contact JLong@wcupa.edu or ltroland@bridgew.edu.

Thank you again for your help!

2018-2019 EACE Grants and Scholarships Committee Co-Chairs,

Jennifer Rossi and Laurent Troland.

**Suggested Timeline**

**Key Dates**

* Scholarship Application Opens: Monday, August 27th at <https://www.eace.org/scholarships>
* Scholarship Application Closes: Monday, December 31, 2018
* The EACE Conference Takes Place: June 24-26, 2019 – Hartford, CT

**Marketing Plan**

**Week of August 27th, October 15th and November 26th**

* Send out mass communication with the deadline for the scholarship application to all graduate students in relevant majors, career professionals in your office or employers in your database.
* Please remember to attach flyer and/or infographic images when possible
	+ Email (see template)
	+ Campus Announcements (see template)
	+ Social Media (see templates)

**Week of December 10th**

* Send out targeted email communications for the scholarship. Use marketing email and social media templates, and tailor for specific groups.
* Please remember to attach flyer and/or infographic images when possible
	+ Examples of Special Groups for Targeted Emails
		- Graduate students studying Human Resources or Career Counseling
			* Professional Clubs and Organizations – human resources or career
			* Student Affinity Groups
			* Work-study or graduate assistants in your office
			* Consider graduate students you know well and email individually
		- Employers
		- Staff and Career professionals in your office
		- Faculty and Academic Departments, Student Affairs Staff or other Campus Departments – Encourage to share with their colleagues

**Week of December 17th**

* Send out final emails and social media announcements about registration closing on Monday, December 31st, 2018

*Please note that this is a suggested timeline for marketing the EACE Diversity & Inclusion Scholarship to graduate students, professionals and employers. We understand that you have many responsibilities to juggle and appreciate anything you can do to help market this great scholarship.*

**Marketing Email Templates**

**Email to graduate students**

**Subject Line:** Diversity Scholarships for 2019 EACE Conference

 **Hello (insert audience/group/etc.)**

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**Email to Faculty/Staff/Administrators**

**Subject Line:** Spread The Word – 2019 Diversity & Inclusion Scholarships!

**Dear Faculty and Staff,**

**Please encourage your graduate students to apply for the Eastern Association of Colleges & Employers (EACE) Diversity & Inclusion Scholarship**!

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**Email to Career Professionals**

**Subject Line:** Spread The Word – 2019 Diversity & Inclusion Scholarships!

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**Email to Employers**

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**Campus Announcement Template**

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**Social Media Templates**

**Facebook Posts**

**Sample Posts for Week of 12/3:**

* If you are an individual from an underrepresented group either working in career services and/or a graduate student working or planning to work in career services or human resources, feel free to apply for the 2019 EACE Diversity Scholarships. More information can be found at <https://www.eace.org/scholarships>. Deadline Dec. 31, 2018.
* Apply for EACE Diversity & Inclusion Scholarships! Deadline Dec. 31, 2018. More information can be found here; <https://www.eace.org/scholarships>.
* Don’t miss this Diversity & Inclusion scholarship opportunity from EACE for anyone in career services or human resources. This scholarship allots $1,500 per candidate for the next EACE Annual Conference. <https://www.eace.org/scholarships>.

**Quick Tips**

* Be sure to tag EACE in your Facebook posts. Like our page by searching for “[Eastern Association of Colleges and Employers (EACE)](https://www.facebook.com/eacepr/)”.
* Use #EACE in your posts and any relevant hashtags for your school or career center.

**Twitter Posts**

**Sample Tweets for Week of 12/4:**

* Want to go to the EACE Conference? Scholarship opportunities are available! For more information, visit [www.eace.org/scholarships](http://www.eace.org/scholarships).
* Are you a career services or human resources professional looking for scholarships for the EACE Conference? [www.eace.org/scholarships](http://www.eace.org/scholarships).
* Diversity and Inclusion Scholarships opportunities are available for the 2019 EACE conference! [www.eace.org/scholarships](http://www.eace.org/scholarships).

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