



Christian Counselors of Texas, Inc.
Don Smith Scholarship
(2023 Application for 2024 Conference)

About the Scholarship:

Applicants can receive one of several \$5,000 scholarships and free CCT Annual Conference Registration (February 22-24, 2024). This funding is available to members of Christian Counselors of Texas, Inc. (CCT) who are Master's or Doctoral students working towards licensure in a counseling or related program (i.e. psychology or social work). Applications will be accepted through December 31, 2023. The recipients will be announced no later than February 1, 2024.

Applicant Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Contact information (applicants must be a resident of Texas):

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Email: _____

Phone number / Cell _____

University or College: _____

Program type: _____

Anticipated graduation date: _____

Program level: Master's / Doctoral

Semesters completed to date (minimum 1 completed semester): _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Please attach:

- **500-word** essay that:
 - Describes your walk with the Lord
 - Addresses why you are pursuing your degree and how you intend to serve as a helping professional (i.e. what brought you into the field, populations of interest, etc.) **or**
 - Describe your research project and whom it will benefit.
- **2 reference letters:** (1) church leader to address student's character and spirituality (2) any relevant professional reference (non-family member) **or** a professor in the student's program
- **Transcript** of all graduate work completed

Please list any areas of community involvement: _____

By completing and signing this application, I am providing Christian Counselors of Texas, Inc. consent to verify enrollment in a graduate program.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

[Email application and documentation to: Scholarship@CCTX.org](mailto:Scholarship@CCTX.org)