



**Accounting Doctoral Students Program
Application Packet Cover Sheet
2010-2011 Academic Year**

Application Materials: Complete and eligible applications will include the materials listed below. Documents should be submitted **in one envelope** (no staples, please).

PLEASE INITIAL NEXT TO EACH ITEM TO VERIFY THAT YOU HAVE INCLUDED THE ITEM IN YOUR APPLICATION PACKET OR HAVE SUBMITTED THE ITEM ONLINE.	INITIAL
1. A completed application form (online or hard copy)	
2. A completed eligibility form (may be printed out from ADS Program website)	
3. Official transcripts from each post-secondary school attended	
4. An official copy of GMAT score report	
5. A current resume	
6. A one page typed essay discussing your reasons for and commitment to making a transition to an academic career (online or hard copy)	
7. Three letters of recommendation. At least one should be from a faculty member who can speak knowledgeably of your academic career and at least one must be from a current or former professional supervisor who is a CPA and who can speak knowledgeably of your professional career. Recommendations from faculty members must be written on school letterhead. CPAs must include state of licensure and number. All reference letters must be submitted in envelopes from the preparer.	

Applicant's Statement

In submitting this application, I hereby agree to the terms below and certify that:

- 1) I have met **ALL** eligibility requirements for this program and all information provided on my application and the supporting documents is correct, complete and accurate. I acknowledge that misrepresentation of the information presented may be grounds to rescind the award. I also agree to inform the AICPA Foundation of any significant changes to that information.
- 2) I will work consistently and forthrightly toward completion of my doctoral degree and will not accept responsibilities that will conflict with this objective, such as working in a full-time paid position or accepting overload research or teaching assistantship assignments beyond the norm for the school in which I am enrolled.
- 3) I understand that the AICPA Foundation posts ADS Scholars recipients' names on its Web site and shares information with participating universities, sponsoring organizations, and others, and agree that the submission of this application constitutes permission to do so.
- 4) I further acknowledge and agree that all decisions of the AICPA Foundation with regard to eligibility and/or ADS Scholar awards are final, and I agree to abide by any such decisions.
- 5) I give permission for the participating university I attend while an ADS Scholar to release my doctoral program academic record and status to the AICPA Foundation upon request.

_____ Printed Name

_____ Signature

_____ Date

Please Return Completed Application Packet To:
Accounting Doctoral Scholars Program
American Institute for CPAs Foundation
220 Leigh Farm Road
Durham, NC 27707