

May 6, 2014

Subject: Fifteenth Annual Rico Mack Scholarship

Dear Student/Guidance Counselor:

The Rico Mack Scholarship Association is dedicated to the academic and professional success of minority engineering students. The scholarship was developed in memory of Mr. Mack, a graduate of North Carolina A&T University for his contributions in Engineering. The Association awards scholarships annually to students pursuing studies in math, science, or engineering to assist with college tuition. Students and graduates from Jacksonville area high schools have been awarded these scholarships. These students currently attend or have graduated from University of North Florida, University of Central Florida, Florida A&M University, Florida State College, Florida State University, Florida Atlantic University, and Edward Waters College.

The Association's goal is to award two (2) \$750.00 scholarships to a 2014 high school graduates planning to major in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) and one (1) \$500 to college students currently matriculating in a STEM field of study. High School student's criteria are as follows: complete the enclosed application, provide a letter of recommendation, and have a weighted GPA of 2.75. College student criteria are as follows: complete the enclosed application and have an unweighted GPA of 2.5. Completed application must be submitted to: Rico Mack Scholarship Fund, via email to onedayzee@comcast.net by **May 30, 2014**. Selection notifications will be sent by June 6, 2014. Funds will be sent directly to the student immediately after proof of summer or fall enrollment by submitting a copy of their summer/fall semester class schedule and a photo which be sent to the Tournament Sponsors.

Please contact Tony Smith (904) 232-3899 or James Crawford at (904) 232-1816 if you have any questions or require more information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tony Smith", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Tony Smith, Tournament Director

Enclosure