



## VIP WITS Program Women in Technology Scholarship

The VIP Women in Technology Scholarship (WITS) Program is sponsored by Visionary Integration Professionals, a global information technology and outsourcing firm. The WITS Program is made available annually to promising women across the nation.

◆ **Eligibility:** To be eligible, a student must be enrolled at, or accepted into, either a two or four year college or university within the United States for the 2010 school year. These individuals must be planning a career in information technology or a related field.

◆ **Awards:** The 2010 WITS program will give multiple scholarship awards that value up to \$2,500 per recipient. Nine total awards were granted in 2009 for college or university study.

◆ **Evaluation Criteria:** The scholarship is based on three important criteria, though other factors may be considered during evaluation. These factors include:

1. Academic Performance- Student must have earned a cumulative 3.0 grade point average (GPA)
2. Essay- The student's thoughtful answer to an essay question
3. Level of participation in community service and/or extra curricular activities

◆ **Application Instructions:** On a separate sheet of paper, students should provide the requested information on the application (see page 2 of this document). Failure to submit all information requested will disqualify a student from further consideration. Prior to mailing your application, please make sure you have included the following information:

Check List:

- Personal Information
- Transcripts (official and sealed)
- Response to essay question
- Community Service and/or Extra Curricular Activities

◆ **Deadline:** All applications must be postmarked by March 15, 2010. Applications postmarked after this deadline will not be accepted. Please mail your application to the following address:

Attention: WITS Program  
Visionary Integration Professionals  
80 Iron Point Circle, Suite 100  
Folsom, CA 95630

◆ **Questions:** Email [WITS@vipconsulting.com](mailto:WITS@vipconsulting.com)



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### 2010 Application

**Personal Information:** Please provide the following information:

Applicant Personal Information	
Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	
College or University Currently or Planning to Attend: *	
Graduation Year:	
Current or Intended Major:	

\*if unknown at this time please provide us with your first choice

**Transcripts:** Please provide a copy of your official high school and/or college transcripts. Official transcripts must be mailed and include a seal.

**Essay Question:** In, 1,000 words or less, please define a specific problem that you see in your community (local or statewide) related to information technology, and recommend a solution that is thoughtful and likely to make an impact on the problem.

**Community Service and/or Extra Curricular Activities:** Please describe your involvement in community service and/or extra-curricular activities. Indicate number of years of participation and whether you were an individual contributor or held leadership positions.

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