



**SERBIAN SINGING FEDERATION OF AMERICA
PAUL S. BIELICH SCHOLARSHIP
AWARD: \$1000**

CRITERIA OF APPLICANT

- Application limited to high school seniors
- Applicant must be an active member of their local active SSF member choir prior to the start of their Senior year of high school
- Baptized in the Eastern Orthodox Faith of Serbian descent
- Acceptance letter at an accredited junior college or university
- Evidence of academic performance with a minimum 3.0 grade point average
- Official sealed high school transcript
- Biography and aspirations of applicant including extra-curricular activity within choir, church and school. Biography must be written by applicant and a current non-returnable photo of the applicant should be included.
- Signature of applicant, parents, choir president, choir secretary, choir director and parish priest
- **Application MUST be received by May 14, 2011 at the SSF Headquarters
No incomplete/late applications will be accepted**

SELECTION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

Selection of the recipient will be made by the evaluation of the applicant's credentials/application by the Executive Board. All decisions of the Executive Board are final. The SSF Executive Board has the discretion as to the number of scholarships awarded in a given year.

The recipient(s) will be announced at the Choral Festival in Steubenville, OH.



PAUL S. BIELICH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAMES: _____

HOME PARISH: _____

PARISH PRIEST NAME: _____

CHURCH TELEPHONE: _____

S.S.F. CHOIR: _____

YEARS OF MEMBERSHIP: _____

CHOIR PRESIDENT NAME: _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____

GRADUATION DATE: _____

UNIVERSITY SELECTION: _____

Applicant's Signature

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Parish Priest's Signature

Choir President's Signature

Choir Secretary's Signature

Choir Director's Signature

Application **MUST** be submitted with high school transcript, university/college acceptance letter, biography and picture of applicant and all signatures above to be considered. Application **MUST BE RECEIVED AT S.S.F. HEADQUARTERS BY MAY 14, 2011**, P.O. Box 71007, Madison Heights, Michigan 48071. The Executive Board reserves the right to validate any and all of the above information. All decisions of the Executive Board are final.