PACE UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK
Seidenberg School of Computer Science & Information Systems
FIRST Scholarship Application

Description and Criteria
Pace University has established up to two scholarships per year, renewable annually for up to 4 years for students who meet the stated eligibility requirements below.

To be eligible for the Seidenberg FIRST Scholarship, students must:

- Have participated on a team in a FIRST sponsored program (either FIRST Robotics Competition or FIRST Tech Challenge) any time during high school.
- Be accepted into and enroll in Pace University as a full time student.
- Pursue a major offered through the Seidenberg School of Computer Science and Information Systems (CSIS). Current majors include computer science, information systems, and information technology.
- Have earned at least an 87% high school average and a combined SAT score of 1120 (minimum 500 Evidence Based Reading/Writing – ERW and 620 Math) OR minimum composite ACT score of 24.

To remain eligible for the scholarship, students must maintain an overall Pace QPA of 3.0 and major in a discipline offered through the Seidenberg School of CSIS.

Application Deadline and Checklist
Once an applicant has applied to attend Pace University, the FIRST Scholarship application materials listed below must be submitted to the given address no later than April 15. (See page 2 for application form and details)

1. Completed Seidenberg FIRST Scholarship application form.
2. Official high school transcript.
3. 200-300 word essay (printed or typed).
4. Two letters of recommendation:
   a. One recommendation from a high school counselor or teacher.
   b. One recommendation from their FIRST adult mentor or coach.

About Pace University
Founded in 1906, Pace University educates achievers who are engaged with critical issues locally and globally. Known for its outcome-oriented environment that prepares students to succeed in a wide range of professions, Pace is a private metropolitan university with bachelors, masters, and doctoral programs in the Dyson School of Arts and Sciences, Seidenberg School of Computer Science and Information Systems, Law School, College of Health Professions, Lubin School of Business, and School of Education. To learn more, visit us at http://www.pace.edu

About Seidenberg
The Seidenberg School of Computer Science & Information Systems, established in 1983, started as one of the first comprehensive schools of computing in the country and remains at the forefront of the field. Its mission is to prepare students for professional work, research, and lifelong participation in the booming and dynamic information age with the belief that information technologies are tools for the empowerment of people. The school offers a student-centered environment dedicated to creating the best opportunities for engagement, innovation, and exploration within the field of technology. Seidenberg is committed to offering students access to a breadth of resources, including favorable student-teacher ratios; research with professors; international programs, projects, and partnerships; and convenient multi-campus locations in New York City and Westchester as well as online learning. To learn more, visit us at http://www.pace.edu/seidenberg
# Seidenberg FIRST Scholarship Application

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*Application Deadline: April 15*

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**Date of Birth:** mm/dd/yyyy

(Include only applicable scores. If you have only ACT or only SAT, this is fine.)

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On a separate page, please describe your academic interests (in 2-3 sentences), your main extracurricular activities (in 2-3 sentences), and provide a brief overview of why you are interested in computing (200-300 words).

**Signature of Student:** ____________________________  **Date:** ____________________________

**Signature of Guardian:** ____________________________  **Date:** ____________________________

(If student under 18 years old)

Do not forget to obtain two recommendation letters (one from a counselor/teacher, another from your FIRST coach/mentor). These should be mailed to the address below by April 15th. Emailed submissions will also be accepted at selson@pace.edu.

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