



Peru State College and the Peru State College Foundation

present the

SELECTIVE ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (SEED) SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Peru State College currently offers the Master of Science in Organizational Management degree, with an emphasis in Entrepreneurial and Economic Development, in a completely online format to prospective learners. The Peru State College Foundation has generously agreed to fund **2 half-tuition** Selective Entrepreneurship and Economic Development (SEED) Scholarships for students who enroll in the program this fall. It is Peru State College's contribution to a larger effort to revitalize the state's economic landscape.

The PSC Foundation has provided the following guidelines for students interested in the SEED Scholarship Program. The scholarship will fund up to 18 hours of graduate online tuition (a value of nearly \$3,600) for two individuals who have demonstrated leadership skills and a record of success in one of the following areas (listed in order of priority for evaluation by the scholarship committee):

1. Successful individual entrepreneurial activity with a vision for further ventures of consequence to a community in Nebraska. Both for-profit and not-for-profit ventures will be considered.
2. Working to develop a Nebraska community's or region's commercial capacity as a political official or a formal or informal economic development official.
3. Serving as change agent in a corporate or non-profit organization to increase the organization's capacity to employ or serve Nebraskans.

The SEED Scholarship Program Committee will also review scholarship requests from individuals who want to share what they have learned by teaching in community colleges' entrepreneurship and growing business programs.

In order to be considered for the scholarship program, applicants must submit a letter to the Dean of Graduate Programs detailing relevant experiences and communicating their interest in the scholarship program. Applicants are also encouraged to provide resumes and references from current or former community leaders or officials. **The deadline to apply for SEED Scholarships is June 15, 2010.** Students must remain continuously enrolled to retain the scholarship.

For more information regarding the MSOM degree and the **SEED Scholarship**, please contact:

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