ERG CALL FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

The Economics Reading Group (ERG) will give away two $1,000.00 scholarships this year. This is a request for applications for these scholarships. In each case, an application will contain a letter, written by the applicant, explaining why the applicant is a good choice for the scholarship.

- **The Charles Koch Foundation Economic Interest Scholarship**
  - For SFA undergraduate students
  - Must have attended the ERG in either the fall of 2019 or the spring of 2020
  - Must have been a sophomore or below at beginning of the fall 2019 semester
    - Juniors and seniors, as of fall 2019, should consider the applying to the Scholarship below.
  - Previous recipients of this scholarship are not eligible for this scholarship.

  Applications should include:
  - Basic student information
  - A letter (maximum two double-spaced pages)
    - Explain your interest in economics.
    - Give specific examples of how this interest has been demonstrated.
    - Explain how this interest may have been encouraged by the ERG.

- **The Charles Koch Foundation Economic Pursuits Scholarship**
  - Must have been either a junior or senior at the beginning of the fall 2019 semester
  - Must have attended the ERG in either the fall of 2019 or the spring of 2020
  - Previous recipients of this scholarship are not eligible for this scholarship.

  Applications should include:
  - Basic student information
  - A letter (maximum two double-spaced pages)
    - Detail your extra-curricular economic pursuit/s and outcomes.
    - You may also include comments related to your interest in the ERG.
  - Documentation of the pursuit/s should be provided if available.

  Economic pursuits include but are not limited to:
  - Presentation of an economics related paper/poster
  - Application to or attendance of an economics related internship
  - Application to or attendance of an economics related seminar
  - Publication of an economics related paper
  - Application to a graduate program with economic content
  - Excellent performance on a standardized test in the area of economics
  - Tutoring or supplemental instruction for economics courses

Timeline:
- Call for applications, 2/25/2020
- **Application deadline, 5:00pm on 3/25/2020**
  - Email to phelpsrt@sfasu.edu
- Recipient notification, 4/11/2020
- Awards banquet, 4/29/2020 at 4:00pm (attendance recommended but not required)