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# **Illini Esports now offering Scholarships!**

Illini Esports is officially working in partnership with [Simplified Computers](https://www.google.com/url?q=https://simplifiedcomputers.com/&sa=D&source=editors&ust=1648047296517188&usg=AOvVaw32UqSqxsSyrXsqonLlKSan) and the University of Illinois Foundation to offer annual non-renewable scholarships to members and players within the Illini Esports student community. We, as an organizational board, are aiming to encourage members to apply, and spread awareness about the organization.

**About the Scholarships:**

As a member of Illini Esports, you are eligible for applying to the Simplified Community Scholarship, valued at $250. Event attendance, server activity, and leadership/volunteer opportunities may be used as an additional consideration for this scholarship.

As a competitive player, you are eligible for applying to the Simplified Competitive Scholarship, valued at $500. Your Competitive Coordinator may be utilized as a reference witness to attest to your team involvement, leadership, dedication, and overall reputation to Illini Esports!

Scholarship Application: <https://tinyurl.com/IESP22SA>

Scholarship Guidelines: <https://tinyurl.com/IESP22SG>

**About Illini Esports**

Illini Esports is a registered nonprofit 501(c)(3), and is the premier student organization for Esports at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, catering to both the competitive and casual gamer. Our focus is on seven major facets: Inclusiveness, Empowerment, Community-Driven, Passion, Performance, Career Development, and Academics. Led and driven by students, Illini Esports provides a space for competitive and community to thrive within gaming at a collegiate level.

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