



Scholarship Honoring Alabama Tennis Professionals

This Scholarship was created to honor outstanding tennis professionals in the state of Alabama. Please consider a donation "in honor" or "in memory" of a tennis professional you care about who taught you the love of the game. A minimum of \$1000 – from a single donor or a group of donors – is required for a name to be included on the scholarship.

***The Scholarship Honoring Alabama Tennis Professionals will be awarded to an Alabama high school graduate selected by the Scholarship Committee of the Southern Tennis Foundation.**

Criteria to be Honored in Named Scholarship

- A minimum of 10 years as a tennis professional in Alabama (living, retired, deceased)
- A positive impact on the tennis community
- Supportive of USTA programming and growing tennis

Donation Naming Levels

- 5 Star – \$5000 and above
- 4 Star – \$4000 and above
- 3 Star – \$3000 and above
- 2 Star – \$2000 and above
- 1 Star – \$1000 and above

"The Southern Tennis Foundation Academic Excellence Awards" are annual \$1000 college Scholarships that will be renewed for up to three additional years, provided the recipients remain full-time students in good standing. They are intended for exceptional students rather than star athletes—applicants must have played organized tennis during their high school years, but more emphasis is placed on academic performance and their potential, community and school activities, and displaying commendable sportsmanship and character. These awards are competitive and partially needs-based.

Donations may be made directly on the Southern Tennis Foundation website:

<https://southerntennisfoundation.com/alabamaprofessionals/> Fill out the donation form and indicate the Alabama Tennis Professional for whom you are donating in the Comment box.

If you would prefer, a check may be sent to – Southern Tennis Foundation, 5685 Spalding Drive, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092. Make sure you include the name of the scholarship and the honoree.

For more information on how to support the Southern Tennis Foundation, you may contact us through the chair of our **Alabama Fundraising Task Force**, Eleanora Mauritson at Eleanora.mauritson@gmail.com or 251-599-9008, or through any of its members.

Fundraising Task Force members: Eleanora Mauritson/Fairhope; Rudy Lewis/Birmingham; Kathryn Hornsby/Tuscaloosa; Dan Lucas/Decatur.

For more information, visit the Southern Tennis Foundation website at www.southerntennisfoundation.com

*If there is no viable candidate from Alabama the scholarship committee may choose an applicant from another Southern state.

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