

AATG-Georgia COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE YEAR Application

Please type or print clearly. Retain a copy of the completed application for your records and submit your application electronically no later than **January 10, 2025** to Stephanie Elder, Award and Testing Chair, at stephanie.elder@uga.edu and aatg.georgia@gmail.com

Part I - General Information			
Applicant's First Name		Last Name	
Birth Date (MM/DD/YY)	Age	German Course Currently Enrolled in	
German Classes/Courses Taken in High School and College:			
Home Address		City	State GA
College/University			
College/University Address		City	State GA
German Professor's Name		Department Chair's Name	
Years of German Study (including present year):	Is German spoken in your home? Yes No		
Grade Point Average in German:		Overall Grade Point Average:	
<i>Have you participated in any of the following activities? Give the years you were involved for all that apply.</i>			
		In year(s):	
Governor's Honors Program (GHP) in German		In year(s):	
German Club Activities:		In year(s):	
State German Convention		In year(s):	
FLAG Spoken Language Contest		In year(s):	

Have you ever traveled to Germany or another German-speaking country? If yes, when and for how long were you there?	
List any German-related awards you have won:	
<p>Part II – Essay</p> <p>Write an essay IN GERMAN about your interest in German. Attach your paper to this application. In the essay, comment on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What have you enjoyed most about your study of German, and why would you recommend that other students choose German as their foreign language? ● What are your plans for the future, and how do they involve German? ● How would winning this award help you realize your plans? 	
<p>Part III – Professor Recommendation (must be a full-time member of the AATG)</p> <p>Ask your professor to write a recommendation and mail it with this application. They should address the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● State your reasons for nominating this student (language ability, improvement, motivation, etc.). ● To what extent has the student taken advantage of opportunities available to use German outside the classroom? 	
<p>Part IV – Miscellaneous</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attach a copy of your current transcript. ● Enclose two recent photographs (for publication on our website should you win the award). Print your name clearly on the back of each. 	
<p>I agree to the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> I will be present at the State German Convention for an interview in German. <input type="checkbox"/> If I win the award, I will attend the AATG Award Ceremony in early May. 	
Student Signature	Date (MM/DD/YY)
Email:	Email:
Telephone Number: () -	Telephone Number: () -

I agree to the following:

- I will be present at the State German Convention (January 17-18, 2025) for an interview in German.
- If I win the award, I will attend the AATG-GA Award Ceremony in early May.
- If I win the travel award, I will enroll in a German course offered by the Goethe-Institut in Germany in the summer of 2025, paid for by *The Halle Foundation*.

Signature _____

Date _____