# Coach Vince Dooley
# Student Scholarship Application

**Purpose:** Established in 2023 to honor Coach Vince Dooley of UGA, this scholarship offers students the opportunity to network with IPPS members and explore employment opportunities in the horticulture industry while attending the annual meeting.

**Eligibility:**
- Juniors or Seniors enrolled in 2- or 4-year agriculture science or horticulture programs or graduate students.

**Award Includes:**
- Full registration for the IPPS conference
- Hotel accommodations
- Travel expenses (actual flight costs or mileage reimbursement)
- $250 spending money
- Awardee will share a room with other scholarship winners

**Requirements:**
- Bring a resume to the conference.
- Introduce yourself during the Question Box session.
- Explain why you are a strong candidate for employment in the field.
- Interview with IPPS Communication Director for event promotions.

**Application Deadline:** June 1

**Contact for Application & Information**:
- Donna Shealy Foster
- Secretary/Treasurer IPPS-SRNA
- 4661 Crystal Drive
- Columbia, SC 29206
- Email: scplant@bellsouth.net

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Name  _____

Address _____

Telephone _____     Email _____

**Education:** List the school that you're currently attending _____

Name/Address of Institution: _____


In 400 words or less, explain why it is important that you attend the upcoming IPPS meeting (you may submit as an attachment to the application).
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What do you expect to contribute and gain from attending the upcoming IPPS meeting?
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Please list any internships and extracurricular activities (you may submit as an attachment to the application).
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What are your career goals after graduation? (you may submit as an attachment to the application).
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**Please attach a letter of recommendation from a current professor or advisor.**

I agree to the terms and conditions as described above in the Coach Dooley Scholarship

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit to:
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