



# Degree Programs and Scholarships

## Are you interested in...

- Learning how to start your own business??
- Being your own boss??
- Becoming an entrepreneur??
- Or even becoming a better employee??

If you answered yes to any of these questions, then you need to check out the exciting opportunities the NIACC Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center has to offer. Scholarships and educational programs are waiting for you! The NIACC Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center offers comprehensive entrepreneurial training and support programs for entrepreneurs, small business owners, and students.

## Entrepreneurial Credit Classes

- Introduction to Entrepreneurship (15:171)
- Managing the Entrepreneurial Venture (15:172)
- Seminar in Entrepreneurship (15:173)

*Note: Courses transfer to four-year colleges and universities including The University of Iowa, Iowa State University, University of Northern Iowa, and Buena Vista University.*

## Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Program Options

### **Associate in Science (Business) Entrepreneurship Degree**

The Associate in Science (Business) Entrepreneurship Degree provides students with an understanding of the many facets of entrepreneurship. Upon the completion of the 60 s.h. curriculum with a grade point average of 2.00 (C), the student is awarded an Associate in Science (Business) Entrepreneurship Degree. With a few additional courses, a student can also earn an Associates of Arts Degree, assistance from a NIACC counselor is advised to ensure proper course curricula.

### **Entrepreneurial Certificate Program**

This program is designed for the aspiring student entrepreneur and is ideal for any student that someday would like to own and operate a business of their own. Students will be able to explore a new business idea, conduct market research, prepare marketing and financial plans, and learn the basic skills on how to own, operate, and manage the business. The certificate program requires 18 s.h.

### **Entrepreneurial Classes as Electives**

Entrepreneurial classes are available to all NIACC students as electives.

## Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Scholarship

Full-time NIACC students enrolled in the Associate in Science (Business) Entrepreneurship Degree program are eligible for up to \$2000 in scholarships. This scholarship opportunity is worth \$500 per semester.

Students planning to graduate with an Entrepreneurial Certificate are eligible for up to \$1000 in scholarships. If enrolled full time (12 semester hours or more), the scholarship is worth \$1000 (\$500 per semester). If enrolled part time (minimum of 6 semester hours), the scholarship award is worth \$500 (\$250 per semester).

Full-time students enrolled in entrepreneurial classes as electives are eligible for a \$500 scholarship per semester.

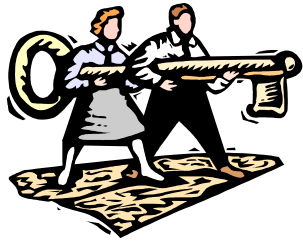
*Note: Special consideration will be given to minority candidates.*



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*The Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center can give you the  
keys to help unlock your educational and career goals.*



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