

# BANK OF AMERICA



## Supplier Diversity and Responsible Sourcing

## Complimentary Virtual E-Learning

**To:** Select Business Owners and Controlling Executives

**From:** Supplier Diversity and Responsible Sourcing Team

The current environment is impacting many small and diverse businesses and preventing in-person development activities. Bank of America is continuing our 30-year history of supporting companies like yours with an opportunity to continue your development, virtually. As a qualifying businesses you will receive access to online courses designed to prepare you for growth and scalability.

We will be awarding 1,000 one-year licenses allowing access to a wide array of eLearning solutions offered by Knowledge City. Each license will allow a company's users entry to a dedicated Bank of America portal with more than 2,200 business development eLearning classes and online video tutorials.

Please complete a short survey which will indicate that you have expressed interest in the courses for yourself and your company. Bank of America will follow up directly with all businesses that are selected to participate in this free learning. **Please use this [survey link](#) to apply for access to this learning opportunity for you and your company.** If you have any questions, please contact [supplierdiversity\\_questions@bofa.com](mailto:supplierdiversity_questions@bofa.com)

Sincerely Supplier Diversity and Responsible Sourcing Team

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Survey is due by April 24, 2020

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If you have already submitted, thank you. You will receive your business license the week of May 4.



## Small & Diverse Business Education Scholarship Fund



To celebrate the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Supplier Diversity and Responsible Sourcing Program, Bank of America and their vendors will distribute **one million dollars in scholarships** to help with the growth of diverse businesses in their communities.

The **Small & Diverse Business Education Fund Scholarship** is designed to provide targeted training and development support to certified small and diverse business owners. The scholarship is sponsored by Bank of America and managed and administered by Communities Foundation of Texas. Scholarship recipients will be given the opportunity to further enhance the business operations within their companies to position them for capacity building and growth opportunities. You will be able to choose any continuing Executive Education program that will help develop your specific business needs, align with your timeline and be convenient for you company to attend.

### Eligibility

Applicant's business must be currently certified as a small or diverse business by a recognized certifying agency

Business owner must have a minimum of three

- (3) years' experience running their company
- Business must employ at least three (3) full or part-time employees
- Business must have an annual sales volume between \$300,000 and \$50,000,000(USD)

**APPLY NOW**

**The Small and Diverse Business Education Scholarship Fund will open March 1, 2020 and close May 29, 2020 – Recipients will be notified July 13.**

100 scholarships of up to \$10,000 each will be awarded by the Small & Diverse Business Education Scholarship Selection Committee.

Submit your questions, learn about the requirements and process, email [bofabusiness@scholarshipamerica.org](mailto:bofabusiness@scholarshipamerica.org)

Visit the scholarship website: <https://www.scholarsapply.org/bofabusiness/>



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