WHY CHOOSE THE INSURANCE & FINANCIAL SERVICES INDUSTRY

- Connecticut ranks #1 in the U.S. for insurance carrier employment as a percentage of total employment
- More than 110,000 Connecticut residents are employed in the IFS industry
- One new job in insurance results in 1.73 additional jobs to the Connecticut economy
- The insurance sector contributes 5.9% (\$14.8 billion) to Connecticut's Gross State Product

Join Connecticut's Insurance industry and be part of the Insurance Capital of the World!

To learn more about the many IFS opportunities right here in Connecticut, visit www.connecticutifs.com

WHY CHOOSE TRAVELERS EDGE

"Because of the EDGE Program, many opportunities have been presented to me.

Because I took advantage of these opportunities EDGE has changed my life.

Without EDGE I would not be the young professional I am today."

- Michael Arroyo, EDGE Alum and Travelers employee

UCONN

Perennially ranked the top public university in New England, the **University of Connecticut** now stands among the best public institutions in the nation. Student diversity continues to increase, as does the number of honors students, valedictorians and salutatorians who consistently make UConn their top choice.



Central Connecticut State
University is, above all else,
a vibrant learning-centered
community dedicated to teaching
and to scholarship. Education at
the undergraduate and graduate
level balances academic challenge
and personal support, leading
students to become thoughtful,
responsible, and successful citizens.





Empowering Dreams for Graduation & Employment

Scholarship Program



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Get *your* edge and become a Travelers EDGE Scholar

Travelers EDGE is an innovative educational opportunity developed by The Travelers Companies, Inc. and is aimed at preparing students for careers in the insurance and financial services industry.

This unique program will provide you with the resources and support needed to enhance your degree and make you more competitive in the business world.

TARGETED MAJORS*

Accounting

Actuarial Science

Business Administration / Management

Business & Technology / Business Data Analytics

Computer or Mechanical Engineering

Computer Science/MIS/CIS/Information Technology

Corporate Communications

Digital Media & Design

Economics

Finance

Human Resources

Industrial Psychology

Management

Marketing

Mathematics

Risk Management/Insurance

Statistics

To learn more or to complete your application, visit: www.hartfordconsortium.org or contact Dr. Martin Estey at mestey@metrohartford.com

Travelers EDGE[™] Scholarship Program

Travelers EDGE Scholarship

Financial award covers up to four years of tuition and fees (excludes room and board)

Travelers EDGE is more than a scholarship! In addition to the financial assistance for tuition and books, **Travelers EDGE** scholars receive:

- Individualized support through mentoring, coaching and on-campus services
- Internship and job shadow opportunities
- Networking opportunities
- Professional development workshops

Application & Selection

Applicants must:

- Be admitted and plan to attend either UConn or Central Connecticut State University
- Receive an Institutional Nomination Letter from a Travelers EDGE Partner
- Be Interested in pursuing a career in the Insurance and Financial Services (IFS) Industry
 *see TARGETED MAJORS
- Submit two (2) recommendation letters
- Complete an online application including an essay
- Participate in a Travelers EDGE Information Meeting
- Submit a resume
- Be eligible to work in the U.S.
- Attend Pathways Academy of Technology and Design, High School Inc., New Britain ConnCAP Program or New Britain High School Academy of Finance

APPLICATION PROCESS: Do you have the winner's edge?

Travelers EDGE Application Opens **Nov. 18, 2015** College decision letters mailed (rolling) Travelers EDGE interview & decisions

Deposit deadline!

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Submit college applications

Travelers EDGE application deadline -

March 18

Important Note: Students should submit their college applications no later than January 1, 2016 to ensure that they receive college acceptance information prior to the Travelers EDGE Application deadline. College applications submitted after January 1, 2016 may not be guaranteed consideration for the Travelers EDGE Scholarship. This scholarship could override other financial aid awards.