



2018 PAPA Scholarship

Pesticide Applicators Professional Association

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Scholarship amounts and eligibility requirements: All applicants must have completed their freshman year of college, be currently enrolled as a full-time student in an accredited college, be returning as a full-time student in Fall 2018, and have a minimum GPA of 2.5. Proof of enrollment in the 2018 Fall Semester is required to receive scholarship funds. The following criteria specific to each scholarship also apply.

\$1500 Legacy Scholarship

- Studies do not need to be agriculturally focused
- Parent/legal guardian must be a current PAPA member

\$1500 Ag/Horticulture Community College Scholarship

- Studies must have an agricultural focus
- Only available to students enrolled at an accredited community college

\$2500 Ag/Horticulture Scholarship

- Studies must have an agricultural focus

Application Procedure: Applicants must submit each of the following.

1. A short resumé that includes:

- Contact information including full name, address, and phone number
- A list of all accredited colleges attended
- Major field of study
- Relevant work experience
- Leadership and extracurricular activities
- Awards or honors received
- If applying for the Legacy Scholarship, parent or legal guardian must be a current PAPA member:
Include their name and QAL/QAC number

2. A 300-500 word one-page essay, clearly describing your career goals.

3. Current official college transcripts.

4. Two letters of recommendation.

- One from an instructor and one from an industry representative.

5. A completed application form (see page 2).

Please note that an incomplete application packet (not completely filled out or missing any of these items) will not be considered.

Time Frame: All application materials are to be emailed to PAPA, info@papaseminars.com, by 11:59 p.m. on April 27, 2018. Only email submissions will be accepted. Scholarship recipients will be notified no later than July 1, 2018. Scholarship recipients will be announced in the third quarter edition of PAPA's newsletter, *Applicators News*.

Disbursement of Scholarship Funds: Scholarship awards will be disbursed upon receipt of proof of registration for the 2018 Fall Semester.

Criteria: Applications will be judged on the following rubric. 35% work experience, activities, and honors, 30% essay content, 20% committee evaluation, and 15% resumé.

Applicants who have previously been awarded a PAPA scholarship are not eligible to apply for future scholarships sponsored by PAPA. Applicants who applied and did not receive a scholarship may apply again.

2018 PAPA Scholarship Application		
APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Name:		
Email:	Phone:	
Current address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
CURRENT COLLEGE INFORMATION		
Current college:		
College address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone:	Email:	Fax:
Year:	Major:	
FALL 2018 COLLEGE INFORMATION		
College you anticipate attending in Fall 2018:		
College Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone:	Email:	Fax:
Major:		
PLEASE SELECT WHICH SCHOLARSHIP YOU ARE APPLYING FOR		
<input type="checkbox"/> \$1500 Legacy Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1500 Ag/Hort Community College Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2500 Ag/Hort Scholarship
IF APPLYING FOR THE LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP		
Name of parent/legal guardian:		
QAL/QAC #:		

PLEASE TELL US HOW YOU HEARD OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

SIGNATURE

I understand that this application will be used for the selection of the PAPA Scholarships I have applied for. All applications will remain property of the Scholarship Committee. All information I have submitted is factual and truthful.

Name of applicant:	Date:
Signature of applicant:	

Application must be emailed to info@papaseminars.com. Deadline for submission is 11:59 p.m. on April 27, 2018. Please call (831) 442-3536 for more information or for any questions.