

2023 SCHOLARSHIP

PROGRAM APPLICATION



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

2023 PROGRAM YEAR

Seeking to improve public health by creating a safer aquatic environment and by attracting more people to aquatic exercise through education and research, the Scholarship Program was founded to honor public swimming pool or spa operators who have pursued further education to better protect public health.

The following scholarship awards are available. Recipients of specific awards will be determined after reviewing all applications.

- Board Scholarship (2) \$2,000
- Foundation Scholarship (up to 12) \$1,000

To be considered for a scholarship, the applicant must hold a CURRENT Pool & Hot Tub Alliance certification (CPO, CMS, CST, CSP, CHTT, CPI, CRP, CBP), be an ACTIVE instructor, or be an immediate family member of any of the above, and submit a completed application package.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKAGE REQUIREMENTS

Consideration will not be given to incomplete application packages.

- 1. A completed Scholarship Program Application.
- 2. A biographical sketch of the applicant (less than 300 words).
- 3. A complete resume or curriculum vitae of the applicant, including extracurricular activities, awards, etc.
- 4. A high-resolution digital photo of the applicant.
- 5. An essay of between three and five double-spaced, 12 pt. font, typed pages covering the following topic:
One of the most important ways of ensuring safe water environments for children is by developing projects on the community level. These community-based projects play a vital role in creating awareness, familiarity, learning, and education. If you had \$100,000 to develop a water safety program in your community, what program would you develop? How would the program give children the ability to feel confident, inspired, and empowered in and around the water?
- 6. Official academic transcript(s) from current academic institution and previous academic transcripts if applicant has been enrolled for less than two years.
- 7. For high school seniors or recent graduates, a copy of the applicant's most recent SAT or ACT scores.
- 8. Two letters of recommendation from teachers or college professors.

Deadline: Scholarships are awarded for the fall semester of each year. To be considered for the fall 2023 semester, the complete application package must be received no later than July 14, 2023.

Award Notification: Award recipients will be notified on or before August 1, 2023. Upon award, payment will be submitted directly to the college or university. Awards cannot be paid directly to students. Only one scholarship per applicant will be awarded. Previous award recipients are ineligible for consideration.

Application Package Submission: Submit the entire application package in one (1) correspondence via post or email to the following:

PHTA Scholarship Program | 2111 Eisenhower Avenue, Suite 500 | Alexandria, VA 22314 | rgaines@phta.org

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PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM



Please review Scholarship Program Application Instructions for Complete Information on Application Requirements

Please type all information

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name of Applicant _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone _____

E-Mail Address (Home) _____ E-Mail Address (School) _____

Name of School _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

To which address should correspondence be sent? Home School

Applicant's Relationship to Certification Holder/Instructor _____

Intended Career Path _____

PARENTAL INFORMATION (for applicants under the age of 18)

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION (applicants enrolled in a college or university do not need to complete high school information)

Name of High School _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Year of Graduation _____

Rank in Class _____ of _____ SAT / ACT _____ GPA (Weighted) _____

Name of College or University (Undergraduate) _____

Date of Entrance GPA _____

Complete Address of College or University Financial Office Where Award Should be Sent¹

Declared Major/Minor (if applicable) _____

Anticipated Graduation Date and Degree _____

Applicant Signature² _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature³ _____ Date _____

1 Award payment will be submitted directly to the college or university. Student assumes responsibility for obtaining accurate and complete information. Failure to do so may result in a delay or cancellation of funding.

2 By signing, the applicant attests to the accuracy of the information, agrees to the terms and conditions of the program, and authorizes use of applicant's name, photograph, biographical information, and/or research information in publications and/or promotional information.

3 Parent/Guardian Signature is required for applicants under the age of 18.

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