



Gene Harder Memorial Scholarship Application For 2010-2011 Academic Year



ELIGIBILITY

The applicant must meet **ALL** of the following requirements:

1. Be an employee or a child, legal ward or spouse of an employee of an IPC-ABC member (renewed by 3/31/10) of the Inland Pacific Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors, **and**
2. Intend to register or be currently attending an accredited college, university, post-secondary vocational school of the applicant's choice, **and**
3. An applicant must be entering into his/her Junior year or higher, including Post Graduate studies at the beginning of the academic year, **and**
4. An applicant must submit their scholarship application and all required materials by the submission deadline (April 19th, 2010), **and**
5. An applicant must be pursuing a career choice that will benefit the construction industry in some way, **and**
6. Each scholarship is awarded on an annual basis and is not perpetual in nature.

Once an application has been submitted based on the above criteria, an applicant becomes a participant when they have been awarded a scholarship and /or receives a distribution from the scholarship fund. Participation in the scholarship is based on an annual application and approval process.

Please note: each scholarship participant can receive this scholarship no more than once in his/her lifetime. An applicant can receive either the Gene Harder Memorial Scholarship or the Inland Pacific Chapter Scholarship during the 2010-11 academic year, although he/she may apply for both scholarships.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Scholarships are awarded on the basis of the following criteria:

- Academic performance (15 points)
- Course of study (15 points)
- Extra-curricular/community service activities (5 points)
- Employment/internship experience (20 points)
- Essay questions (40 points)
- Five (5) points are left to the scorer's discretion

Applications are reviewed by the Inland Pacific Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors' Scholarship Selection Committee.

AWARD

The award is in the amount of \$2,500. Payment of the award will be made only to a college or university where the applicant is registered. Payments will be restricted for application towards tuition, books, room and board or course related materials and supplies. A maximum of one \$2,500 Gene Harder Memorial scholarship will be awarded in 2010. The Award will be announced on June 23rd 2010.

DEADLINE

The application must include **all** of the following: completed application form, all post-secondary transcripts (unofficial accepted, quarterly grade sheets not accepted) and two letters of recommendation. **All application materials must be postmarked by April 19th, 2010.** Applications and inclusions postmarked after this deadline will not receive consideration. Typing is strongly encouraged. Application materials should be sent to:

**Scholarship Selection Committee
Associated Builders and Contractors
12310 E. Mirabeau Parkway, Suite 100
Spokane Valley, WA 99216
Phone: (509)534-0826 Fax: (509)535-9967**

CHECKLIST FOR APPLICATION
(For Office Use Only)

_____ Application

_____ Transcripts (unofficial accepted)

_____ Two Letters of Recommendation

_____ Postmarked by 04/19/10

Application

Applications must be typed or completed in ink. Legibility will be considered in the review process. Typing is strongly encouraged. All spaces must be completed in full. Please Write N/A if not applicable.

A. Personal

1. Name: _____

2. Permanent Address: _____

City

State

Zip

3. Phone Number: _____

4. Relationship to IPC-ABC member firm:

a. Company Name: _____

b. Relationship (check all that apply): I am an employee _____

Child _____ Legal Ward _____ Spouse of Employee _____

If child, ward or spouse please list employee's name: _____

B. Academic

1. List in chronological order all colleges and universities you have attended or are currently attending, together with your major. List most recent first.

College/University

**Inclusive
Dates**

**(Anticipated)
Grad. Date**

a. _____

Major: _____ Degree earned (if any): _____

b. _____

Major: _____ Degree earned (if any): _____

c. _____

Major: _____ Degree earned (if any): _____

2. Highest level of education completed: _____

3. What college or university do you plan on attending next year?

Name: _____

City/State: _____

Field of Interest: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

C. Extra-Curricular/Community Service Activities

In the section below, enter the name(s) of the activity(s) in which you have participated. Indicate your participation, and position held. Please detail the time commitment you expended on each activity. When applicable, indicate whether you received a varsity letter or served in a leadership position. Please attach a separate sheet of paper if needed.

1. Organization/Activity: _____
City/State: _____
Time Commitment: From (month/year):_____To (month/year):_____

Average Hours participated in Activity per week: _____
Participation and Position Held (If applicable): _____

2. Organization/Activity: _____
City/State: _____
Time Commitment: From (month/year):_____To (month/year):_____

Average Hours participated in Activity per week: _____
Participation and Position Held (If applicable): _____

3. Organization/Activity: _____
City/State: _____
Time Commitment: From (month/year):_____To (month/year):_____

Average Hours participated in Activity per week: _____
Participation and Position Held (If applicable): _____

4. Organization/Activity: _____
City/State: _____
Time Commitment: From (month/year):_____To (month/year):_____

Average Hours participated in Activity per week: _____
Participation and Position Held (If applicable): _____

Please add additional sheets if necessary.

D. Employment/Internship

Beginning with the most recent, list full-time, summer and part-time employment and internships, briefly explaining duties and responsibilities. Use an additional sheet with the same format, if necessary.

1. From (month/year):_____ To (month/year):_____

Full Time Part Time

Company name: _____

Type of business (construction, retail, etc.):_____

Hours per week: _____ Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Supervisor's name, position and phone number: _____

2. From (month/year):_____ To (month/year):_____

Full Time Part Time

Company name: _____

Type of business (construction, retail, etc.):_____

Hours per week: _____ Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Supervisor's name, position and phone number: _____

E. Essay Questions

Answer the following on a separate paper. Limit each answer to 150 words or less.

1. How will your career choice benefit the construction industry?
2. In what ways do you intend to better your community?
3. After reviewing the information regarding Gene Harder on the IPC-ABC website why do you think Gene Harder would have given you this scholarship?

If you feel the Scholarship Selection Committee should consider supplementary information not already disclosed on this application please attach an additional document explaining added points the committee should consider when evaluating your application.

I attest that the information contained in this application is true and accurate. I agree that this application and supporting documents may be used for the purpose of evaluation and selection for the Gene Harder Memorial Scholarship. I agree to provide my social security number to the Inland Pacific Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors if I am chosen to receive this scholarship. I give permission for IPC-ABC to use my name and photo in future scholarship advertising if I am selected to receive this scholarship.

Signature _____

Date _____