



NAWIC

National Association of Women in Construction

Quad City Chapter #50

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2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAWIC Chapter #50, Quad Cities AGC & Lori Estes Memorial Scholarships

(Application Deadline: March 31, 2017)

Scholarship requirements and information:

1. **The applicant must be enrolled in a construction related program at a university, college, or vocational/trade school** in the United States.
2. The **applicant must be a full time student** with a minimum of 12 hours enrollment per semester and be enrolled in the Fall 2017 Semester. Students graduating in May of 2017 and not continuing their education are not eligible.
3. All of these scholarships are open to both female and male students.
4. Scholarships are only awarded to undergraduate students, and those working on a Master's degree. We do not award scholarships to PhD students.
5. The applicant must have a **minimum grade point average of 3.0** based on a 4.0 system.
6. The applicant must submit with the application a copy of school transcripts through the fall semester 2016.
7. **Applicants need to be permanent residents of Iowa, Illinois or Wisconsin or attend school in one of these states.** Proximity to the Quad Cities is desirable but not mandatory.
8. Student members or children of members of NAWIC Chapter #50 are not eligible for the NAWIC Scholarships, but can apply for the Estes or AGC Scholarships.
9. Lori Estes Memorial Scholarship gives first preference to children of Estes Construction Employees, then to female students and lastly to male students. **A preference will be given to those expressing a desire to return and work for QC area firms after graduating. Please describe your interest in returning to QC and how you intend to pursue QC area firms".**
10. AGC student members *are* eligible receive the AGC Scholarship.
11. Scholarship funds are paid directly to the financial aid office of your school and are to be used for tuition, fees and on-campus room & board only. We do not provide funds for project materials, books, tools or off-campus living expenses.

Please check if any of the following apply

- I am a student member of AGC
- I am related to an employee of Estes Construction
(If so, identify relative.) _____

Do not submit hand written applications (electronic form is available from www.nawicqc.org or can be requested by email at gcnawicscholarship@gmail.com;

Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, OR VOCATIONAL/TRADE SCHOOL at which you are enrolled or will transfer: (Scholarships will be made directly to the Financial Aid Office of your educational institution)

School Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

SAT and/or ACT Scores:

ACT or SAT _____ Testing Year _____ **High School GPA:** _____

High School _____

Graduation date _____ **or GED date** _____

University, college, or trade school GPA _____

Current class: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior (high-light or underline one)

Major: _____

Credit hours currently taking: _____

Personal References (name, address, phone number of at least three (3) people, e.g., teacher, professor, coach):

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

Employment History: Attach listing of full or part-time employment, briefly explaining duties and responsibilities. List chronologically, most recent first. If part time, indicate number of hours worked per week.

Brief Resume of Your Scholastic Background and Volunteer work: Include any awards received, offices held, and extracurricular activities, such as clubs, sports, etc. Additional information that may apply to this scholarship may be added here.

Essay Questions: **Select two (2)** of the following eight questions and give us a **one (1) page single spaced** answer **for each** of your selected questions.

- A. What has been your most important extracurricular activity, your most important contribution to it, and what has your participation meant to you as an individual.
- B. Explain why you have chosen this particular course of study and what event or series of events has led you to this decision.
- C. Explain how you would apply your education to the construction field.
- D. What effect on your education would this scholarship have if you're selected?
- E. What are the most important issues your industry is facing today?
- F. If you have done a mission trip, study abroad program, or lived in another country how has it influenced your goals, values, attitudes or perceptions?
- G. How have you demonstrated leadership skills in your life, work or school?
- H. Does any attribute, quality, or skill distinguish you from everyone else? How did you develop this attribute?

Certification

I certify that all answers to the preceding questions are true and complete. I understand that any false answers or deliberate omissions on this application may be grounds for rejection of this application and withdrawal of any award granted. I authorize investigation of my schooling and other activities, and release those persons or organizations from any and all liability and responsibility for any damages I may suffer as a result of this information. I agree that I will abide by the decisions made by NAWIC Chapter #50.

Applicant Signature

- **Email your application, including essay question responses and fall semester transcripts in .pdf format** (preferably as one attachment) **to:** gcnawicscholarship@gmail.com
- It is preferable to do this in one attachment.
- Official sealed transcripts from your school are not required.