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# The One AWWA Operator Scholarship

The **One AWWA Operator Scholarship** is funded through the support of AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and the Pennsylvania AWWA Section.

## **PURPOSE of AWARD**

AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and the Pennsylvania AWWA Section, will award the **One AWWA Operator Scholarship** in the amount of **\$1,000** for Water Operator training and education.

Scholarship award can be used for certification/licensure, two-year water related associate degree, technical school program, professional training program, books and manuals, and operator related conferences.

Each scholarship recipient will receive a one-year AWWA Operator membership.

## **ELIGIBILITY/GUIDELINES**

- Applicant must be a current water operator or seeking to enter the water operator profession.
- Applicant must be pursuing an Operator's License or Certification, two or four-year degree related to the water operator profession, or professional development.
- Disbursement of the funds will be made directly by the Section to the financial office of recipient's college, university, or technical school.
- Items related to books, manuals, conferences, professional development courses, and other eligible expenses will be reimbursed to recipient upon presentation of eligible receipts.
- Applicant must reside or work within the geographical boundaries covered by the sponsoring Section.
- Acceptance of scholarship constitutes permission to use recipient's name and scholarship story for purpose of promotion.

## **APPLICATION PROCESS: DEADLINE/SELECTION/PRESENTATION**

Please submit the application to Don Hershey, PA-AWWA at [donhershey@paawwa.org](mailto:donhershey@paawwa.org) or fax to: 717-774-8870. The deadline is September 16, 2016. The scholarship(s) will be awarded at the Joint conference on November 14, 2016 or PA-AWWA's 69<sup>th</sup> annual conference in Hershey, PA on April 26, 2017.

**Special note: The award may be split two ways depending on the amount of nominees and qualified applicants.**



# The **One AWWA** Operator Scholarship APPLICATION

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Years at Job: \_\_\_\_\_ Operator Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of AWWA:  Yes  No

Veteran:  Yes  No

## HOW YOU WILL USE THE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

- 2- or 4-year Water Operator Related Degree  Technical School  Operator Certification or Licensure  
 Professional Development Program or Conference  Books and Manuals

## ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO THIS APPLICATION FORM:

- One page essay of career objectives and how this scholarship will enhance your ability for professional development and bring value to the water industry.
- Résumé
- Two letters of recommendation/reference

## CERTIFICATION

*I certify that the information included in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and I grant permission to AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and sponsoring Section to release my name and award for promotional use.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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